Dear Parents/Carers 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018

We have had a very busy week and were really looking forward to our trip to We the Curious today and will updated you on our adventures in next week's newsletter.

#### Homework

Next week's spellings were sent home yesterday. Please encourage the children to practice these during the week ready for our spelling test next Friday.

## Ventrus Athletics Event - Monday, 25th June

Good luck to the children taking part in the  $1^{st}$  Ventrus Athletics Day on Monday. It is another early start, children will need to be in school at 7.30am ready to travel down to Exeter Arena, a separate letter was sent home on Thursday (a copy of which is on the website).

## Bike Breakfast - Wednesday, 27th June

We look forward to seeing as many children as possible cycling to school. The first 30 children to arrive at school, on their bikes, will receive a free breakfast. Don't forget your helmets.

## Race for Life - Friday, 29th June

We hope the children are looking forward to taking part in the OV Race for Life. Please don't forget to get some sponsors; every little helps.

## Parent/Pupil/Teacher interview - Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July (Non pupil day)

Children will be bringing home their reports next Friday. If you have not already requested a time slot and would like to discuss your child's report please contact your class teacher so they can arrange a suitable time.

Lunch menu for next week is 'Week One".

#### **Diary Dates**

Have you visited our website lately for the school calendars 2017/18 news of school events www.ovschool.co.uk.

Tues, 3rd July - FoOV Tuck Shop

Thurs, 5th July - KS2 Swimming Gala

Thurs, 12th July - Years 3 and 4 Sport Day - 1.15pm to 3pm

Sat, 14<sup>th</sup> July - FoOV Summer Fayre (contact Claire Knight for info regarding stalls) Wed, 25<sup>th</sup> July - Last day of term.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Miss Gulliford Mrs Grimwood Mr Luttman Mr Huggins



Dear Parent/Carer.

#### Bike Breakfast

On Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> June we would like to encourage children to cycle to school. Bob, the big orange bike and Morris from <u>Sustran's</u> will be rewarding the first 30 children to arrive at school by bike with a free bike breakfast.

The breakfast will be fruit, yoghurt, pastries and juice and will be a fun way to get together with your cycling friends. It will be held in the school hall at 9:30am.

Arrive early to school that day and collect a breakfast ticket from Sue Manley or Morris.





Yours faithfully,

Sue Manley



15th June 2018

Dear Parents/Carers and Children

It's that time of year again! OV's Got Talent is back!

This year is going to be bigger and better with an amazing prize to be won by the winner of a £30 gift voucher for Argos; if there is more than one person in the winning act the prize will be split as equally as possible. There will also be prizes for the two runner up acts.

OV's School council would love to see something different this year, we would especially welcome dancing acts, magic acts, acting or performing, comedy, circus acts or something unique.

Auditions will start Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> June at 1.30pm. Any children not seen on this day will be invited to audition on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> June at 1.30pm. Children will be called from each class by a member of the school council. Auditions will be no longer than 3 minutes long so be prepared and bring any props needed with you.

We look forward to finding out all of your wonderful hidden talents!

School Council

What's On 18 June to 01 July 2018

Box Office: 01805 624624
Plough Cafe: 01805 625925
www.theploughartscentre.org.uk

# Our Open-Air Theatre Season Kicks Off This Week with Four Shows!

Our Open-Air Theatre programme really kicks off (football - get it?!) this week and includes 30 open-air theatre events from now until the end of August by ten companies all taking place at picturesque North Devon venues including Hartland Abbey, Castle Drogo (NT), Manor Gardens Lynmouth, Castle Hill at Filleigh, Arlington Court (NT), RHS Garden Rosemoor, Tapeley Park and Blackberry Farm, Milton Damerel to name just a few.

All our theatre events are by well-known touring companies such as Heartbreak, Illyria, Hotbuckle Productions, The Pantaloons, Box Tree Productions, The Festival Players, Handle Bards and everyone's favourite, The Rude Mechanical Theatre Company. They often have a unique take on well known and loved stories which never fail to entertain.

The HandleBards - Shakespeare on Bikes - are at Tapeley Park (Instow) with 'Romeo & Juliet' on Thursday 21 June at 7pm. Expect riotous amounts of energy, a fair old whack of chaos and a great deal of laughter. Come on a bike and you can get in at a special price of £10 per person!

Hotbuckle Productions are bringing 'Wuthering Heights' to three different venues this week - Friday 22 June at RHS Garden, Rosemoor; Saturday 23 June at Manor Green, Lynmouth and Sunday 24 June at Hartland Abbey. All performances start at 7pm and as usual bring low back seating, blankets, sunglasses (!) and picnics if desired. All venues will provide refreshments if required.

After a wet, wet winter with a bit of snow thrown in for good measure we are hoping for a lovely, hot summer. So, start thinking about your picnic hampers and long lazy evenings enjoying our wonderful open air theatre season. We hope to see you soon.

## This Week at ThePlough@StAnne's, Barnstaple

Dead Good Walk at St Anne!	s, Wednesday	y 20 June 7.3	0pm
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Workhouse Tales and Haunted Side Streets of Derby Area.

A walking haunted history tour of old Barnstaple, sharing true tales of the ghosts that apparently still haunt buildings in the town, the murders, 'working girls' enterprising antics and more...

Then back to St Anne's for refreshments and cake, while perusing documents and photos related to the tour.

Call the Box Office on 01805 624624 or online HERE



There are a huge number of events, with loads for families and children, in over 20 venues around Barnstaple.

Some are ticket only events, but many are turn up and make a donation , or even free!

There is really something for everyone-so for more information, look up

www.Theatrefest.co.uk

28 June - 1 July

78 shows, 232 performances

tickets online 1 June