## Dear Parents/Carers

The children had a great time today sharing their jokes for Red Nose Day. With your help we have raised £142.05 for this very worthy cause - thank you so much.

We would like to welcome Mr Lester, Mr Baxter and Mr Jackson, student teachers who are working with Key Stage One at the moment.

In class, we have been telling the No-Bot the Robot story in our own words and securing the sequence of events before we move on to innovating with our own ideas.

In maths, Year 1 have continued to explore halves and quarters while Year 2 have begun to learn about thirds.

Mrs Grimwood/Mrs Huggins' class enjoyed making fantastic paper rockets with Mr Lester, our student teacher. We have great fun firing them around the classroom.

Our junk space craft are taking shape and will soon be lifting off to our display on the Key Stage One steps, outside the classes.

## Book Fair – Mon, 18<sup>th</sup> and Tue, 19<sup>th</sup> March – 8.30–9am and 3.15–4.45pm

Thank you to those of you who have already visited the book fair. It would be wonderful if we could beat the amount raised last year of £638. This was spent on new books for the school library and class book corners. If you have not already visited we are open today, Monday and Tuesday. There are over 200 titles with prices starting at £2.99. Every book you buy helps us get free books for the school. Payment will be in cash or via phone payment. Children can use their World Book Day £1 vouchers to put towards the costs of a book at the fair.

## Lunch menu for next week is 'Week Three".

Diary Dates (don't forget to check the school website, <u>www.ovschool.co.uk</u> for up to date information)

Thur, 21<sup>st</sup> Mar – Down Syndrome Awareness Day – Rock your Socks Tue, 2<sup>nd</sup> April – FoOV Tuck Shop Fri, 5<sup>th</sup> April – FoOV Family Bingo evening Fri, 5<sup>th</sup> – Last day of school before Easter Mon, 8<sup>th</sup> to Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> April – Easter holidays. Tues, 23<sup>rd</sup> April – Back to school after Easter

Have a wonderful weekend; stay dry and warm.

KS1 Team

# PARKING AND SPEED LIMITS AROUND ORCHARD VALE

Like many schools the safety of our pupils and families is paramount to us as is being respectful of the inconvenience caused to our neighbours during morning drop off and afternoon pick up.

Despite your support we have recently received concerns from parents and neighbours about dangerous parking and abusive behaviour. The bus companies and council waste collection trucks have also found they are unable to park due to inconsiderate parking.

Please could parents/carers help us keep our children safe and maintain the good relationship we have with our neighbours by.



Noting the maximum speed limit, when warning lights are on, approaching Orchard Vale - 20mph. **Please do not exceed this**.

Parking in the designated area available either side of the road just past Kingfisher Road. (Parking restrictions are enforced outside school drop off and pick up hours).



Please do not park in, opposite or obstruct the bus stop on either side of the road.



If you have to park in the residential roads around the school, please park <u>respectfully and sensibly</u>by not blocking driveways, junctions or mounting pavements.

Thank you for your cooperation. Fiona Pearce—Head Teacher



Roll up, roll up! The Book Fair is on its way to Orchard Vale. Please come and join us on

Thursday, 14<sup>th</sup> March - Friday, 15<sup>th</sup> March Monday, 18<sup>th</sup> March - Tuesday, 19<sup>th</sup> March At 8.30am to 9am and 3.15pm to 3.45pm In the School Hall

There are over 200 titles with prices starting at £2.99. Something for everyone to enjoy! Every book you buy helps get FREE BOOKS for our school.

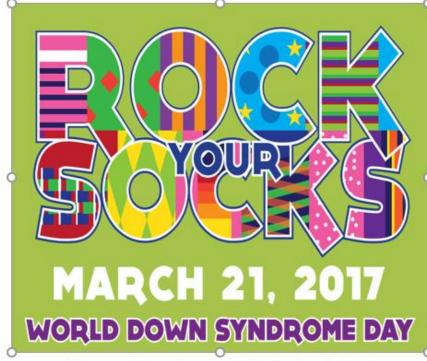
The more we sell the more commission we have to spend on books for the class book corners and the school Library.

# Payment methods Cash or Phone Payments



As a school we are not organising anything for World Down Syndrome Day.

However, we would just like to make you aware of when it is and what you can do show your support if you would like to.



You are welcome to wear odd socks to school but

### please do not bring in a donation.

If you would like to make a donation please go to <u>www.worlddownsyndromeday2.org</u>





### EASTER HOLIDAY CAMPS AT:

PILTON INFANTS PRIMARY SCHOOL, OUR LADY'S PRIMARY SCHOOL AND BISHOP'S TAWTON PRIMARY SCHOOL (With Tia and Jemma Sloman)

Children from ALL Primary Schools are welcome to ANY of the holiday camps

Pilton Infants School on: MONDAY 8TH APRIL AND MONDAY 15TH OF APRIL 9-3PM

Our Lady's School on: TUESDAY 9TH APRIL AND TUESDAY 16TH APRIL 9-3PM

Bishop's Tawton School on: WEDNESDAY 10TH APRIL AND WEDNESDAY 17TH APRIL 9-3PM

### ONLY £10 PER DAY IF YOUR BOOKING IS RECEIVED BEFORE FRIDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MARCH.

### £15 for any bookings received after this date!

These Holiday camps will consist of ALL different types of sports, working on agility, balance, coordination, speed, team work exercises and lots of games. It's a great way to keep your child active and participate in a wide variety of sports though Primary Sports and Education.

 Pay by cash or cheque to Tia Sloman by inserting into an envelope with the below slip plus the name of your child and hand to your school office.

All bookings are NON-Refundable

All equipment will be provided; Children are expected to wear suitable PE clothing, daps/ trainers and provide their own packed lunch and drink. Warm/wet weather gear and a towel are also advised. It is the responsibility of parents to make sure inhalers are brought with the child and we are informed of any medical conditions. All the sports that are listed below could result in children being injured. Primary Sports and Education will accept no liability.

DEADLINE FOR RETURNING THE BELOW SLIP IS: FRIDAY 5TH APRIL.

For queries please contact Jemma or Tia on Email: north.devon@primary-sports.co.uk or Tel: 07531530131 or 07789954068 – 6 Higher Cross Road, Bickington, Barnstaple EX31 2LD

### BOOKING FORM

Please indicate which sports your child/ children would like to participate in:

Football - Netball - Tag Rugby - Basketball - Cricket - Rounders - Tennis - Gymnastics -Hockey/Quicksticks - Multiskills - Dodgeball - Dance - Athletics - Multi-games

Childs name

Dates Required (Please circle): Monday 8th April, Tuesday 9th April, Wednesday 10th April

Monday 15th April, Tuesday 16th April, Wednesday 17th April

Email address:

Emergency contact No:

YES NO

Medical Information:

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I enclose payment of £\_\_\_\_\_\_ for my child to attend the Holiday Sessions

Signed (Parent/ Guardian)

Photos may be taken for use on our website. Please indicate whether you give permission for photos to be taken:

#### COOL TO BE ACTIVE... FUN TO BE FIT

www.primary-sports.co.uk

Tia Sloman: 07789 954068 Jemma Sloman: 07531 530131 E: north.devon@primary-sports.co.uk

Reg. Co. Name: Primary Sports and Education (North Devon) Ltd Company No: 11523022 Reg. Address: 6 Higher Cross Road, Bickington, Barnstaple North Devon (X31 2LD



# Welcomes Carers of Children and Young Adults with Additional Needs.

Weekly 'term time' groups that offer support, friendship and information sharing.

# Start Date: Tuesday 26th March

## WHERE

WHEN

Barnstaple Youth House 6 Market Street Barnstaple DEVON EX31 1BX TUESDAY EVENINGS 6:30pm to 9:30pm

WEDNESDAY MORNINGS 9:30am to 12:30pm

## **Further Information**

Tel: 07423317634

Email: sidebysidebarnstaple@outlook.com



@ St. John's Church, Newport, Barnstaple, EX32 9DT

> Saturday March 23rd | 3:00 - 5:00pm £2

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With: Team Games, Amazing Crafts, Sweets, Live Band, Bible Talk and much more...

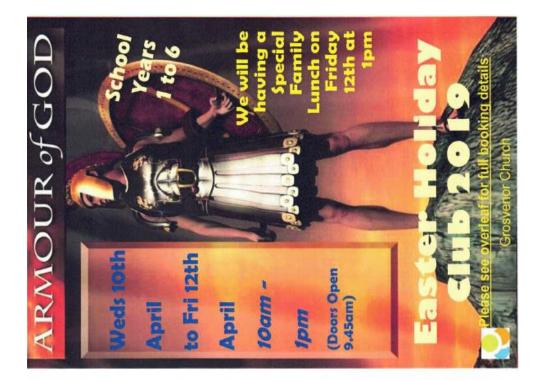
Please register with your local church or by contacting us directly: 07445410687 // xsitendevon@gmail.com

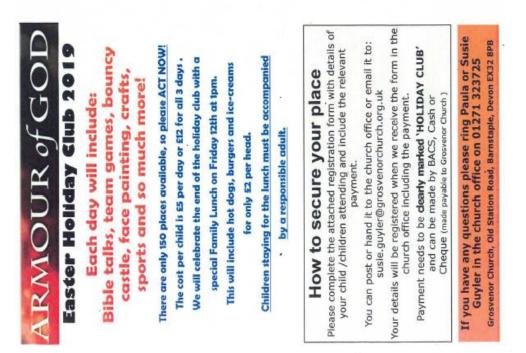
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# **REGISTRATION FORM** HOLIDAY CLUB 2019

Wednesday 10th April -- Friday 12th April

### Cost per child: £5 per day / £12 for all 3 days / £2 lunch per person

Surname: Children's First Names:	Date of birth	School year	Days required (please tick) Wednesday Thursday		Friday	Fri 12 April lunch Number of people
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# or responsible adult please.

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gency Contact

#### Special requirements

Print Full Name

Details of any regular medication, medical problem (e.g. asthma, epilepsy, diabetes, allergies, dietary needs etc) or disability which may affect normal activity.

Child 1	
Child 2	
Child 3	
Child 4	

I give permission for the child/children listed above to take part in the normal activities of this Holiday Club. I understand that while involved he/she/they will be under the control and care of the group leader and/or other adults approved by the church leadership and that, while the staff in charge of the group will take all reasonable care of the children, they cannot necessarily be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury suffered by my child during, or as a result of, the activity.

I have read, understood and accept your Data Protection Policy. (Available on our website under Privacy Policy) YES NO (please tick)	I give permission for my son/ daughter's photograph to be taken for the purposes of promoting the activities of the church	In an emergency and/or if I am not contactable, I am willing for my child to receive necessary hospital or dental treatment including an anaesthetic.		
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Signed	Granuar	r Church Old Station Road Barnstaple EX32 8P8		
Date		01271 323725 www.grosvenorchurch.org.uk Number 1107748 / Company Reg. Number 05321738		
Parent/Carer		6		
Print Full Name		grosvenor church		

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