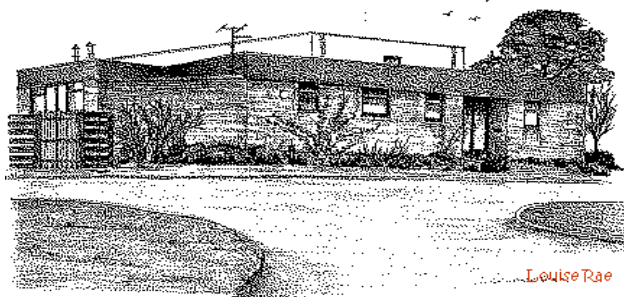


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Diary Dates (Please keep!!)

Thursday 27 th February	Incredible Years at Mosterton Village Hall Continuation Violin Lesson Tag Rugby Practice Y1 Phonics Check Parents Meeting	9.30 a.m. – 12 noon 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. 3:10 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.
Friday 28 th February	Guitar Lessons Keyboard Lessons Forest School	a.m. p.m.
Saturday 29 th February	Cross Country Practice	9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
Monday 2 nd March	After School Club	3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday 3 rd March	Individual Photos – please let the school office know if sibling photos are required Footie4 Dorset	a.m. 3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Wednesday 4 th March	Tag Rugby Practice STAMP Drama Club	3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Thursday 5 th March	World Book Day – Dress as a character from your favourite book Incredible Years at Mosterton Village Hall Continuation Violin Lesson Kenway Cup at Beaminster School	9.30 a.m. – 12 noon 2:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. 2:30 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Friday 6 th March	Guitar Lessons Keyboard Lessons Forest School	a.m. p.m.
Saturday 7 th March	TAG Rugby Festival at Bridport RC Cross Country Practice	9:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. 9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.
Monday 9 th March	After School Club	3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday 10 th March	Footie4Dorset	3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Wednesday 11 th March	Forest School Primary Relays Cross Country at Sir John Colfox STAMP Drama Club	12:45 p.m – 3:15 p.m. 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Thursday 12 th March	Incredible Years at Mosterton Village Hall Y4 Cross Country Race at Castle Court County Cup Football Tournament at Heatherlands School, Poole Continuation Violin Lesson	9.30 a.m. – 12 noon 11:30 a.m. – 4.30 p.m. 1:45 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. 2:30 p.m. – 3.00 p.m.

Friday 13 th March	Guitar Lessons Keyboard lessons Forest School	a.m. p.m. p.m.
Monday 16 th March	After School Club	3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday 17 th March	County Cup Semi-Final if successful Footie4Dorset	TBC 3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Wednesday 18 th March	Forest School STAMP Drama Club	All day 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Thursday 19 th March	Rehearsal for Choral Concert Y5/6 Incredible Years at Mosterton Village Hall Continuation Violin Lessons Choral Concert Y5/6 at Beaminster School	9:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. 9:30 a.m. – 12noon 2:30 p.m. – 3.00 p.m. 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m. (children to arrive between 6-6.15pm)
Friday 20 th March	Guitar Lessons Forest School Keyboard Lessons Ready, Steady, Book Fair	a.m. p.m. p.m. 3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Monday 23 rd March	Afterschool Club	3:00 p.m. – 4.30 p.m.
Tuesday 24 th March	Y4 Residential Footie4Dorset Afterschool Club	3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Wednesday 25 th March	Y4 Residential Forest School STAMP Drama Club	All day 3.00p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Thursday 26 th March	Y4 Residential Incredible Years at Mosterton Village Hall Continuation Violin Lesson	9:30 a.m. – 12noon 2:30 p.m. – 3.00 p.m.
Friday 27 th March	Y4 Residential Guitar Lessons Keyboard lessons Forest School	a.m. p.m. p.m.
Monday 30 th March	Cricket Festival After School Club	3:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Tuesday 31 st March	Footie4Dorset Afterschool Club	3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.
Wednesday 1 st April	Forest School STAMP Drama Club and Performance PTFA Bunny Bingo	3:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Dear Parents

Welcome back to the second half of Spring Term. There are many exciting events happening this term. The Y6 Residential in Cornwall is a highlight of the year and it is a great opportunity to see the children developing much needed resilience and independence. On the sporting front we are now into the knockout stages of two football competitions playing schools considerable larger than ourselves. We also have 2 cross country events and also Bridport Rugby Club Tag competition. Could I draw your attention to the PTFA events, please support them as they provide valuable resources for the school.

Attached to this newsletter is a letter from the Rt Hon Nick Gibb, Minister for Education, congratulating the school on their achievements in our Y6 assessments. I would like to take this opportunity to thank all of my wonderful team for their hard work and dedication.

Mr Smith

Sport Update

We have 2 boxes of Sports Relief wrist bands on sale at £1. Sport Ambassadors will be selling them at lunchtimes from today. Please support this wonderful cause.

Congratulations to our Y5/6 footballers who beat Puddletown Middle School in the County Cup match. The score at the final whistle was 3-2, goals being scored by Stanley, Seb and Owen. It was an extremely hard fought game which has taken us through to the next round which will be played shortly.

Race 2 in the Cross Country season took place at Beaminster School on 11th February. We took 38 children to this event who all ran an exceptional race including children who had never ran at an event before. We are delighted to announce that we won 5 cups at this event. Y3/4 Boys A Cup shared with St Catherine's, Y3/4 Boys B Cup, Y3/4 Girls Cup, Y3/4 B Cup and Y3/4 Combined Trophy. What a fantastic achievement. We are now looking forward to the Relay races at Sir John Colfox on the 11th March.

The Kenway Cup is scheduled for 5th March and we wish our team well.

On Saturday 7th March we will be taking part in the Tag Rugby Development Festival at Bridport RFC. Many thanks to the training coaches Ben Bailey and Malcom Dommett who have given up their valuable time to train our children. Good luck to all.

PTFA

Welcome back, we hope you have had a great half term. Thank you to all that came to the movie night, which raised £103.85. Our next event is chocolate Easter Bunny bingo on the 1st April 2020 at 5.30-7pm. We look forward to seeing you there.

Breakfast Club

Our Breakfast Club runs 7:30am - 8:30am every morning Monday to Friday, term time only. Please send registration forms to the school office and all payments should be made using SIMS Pay. The cost of each session is £5 to include breakfast. Many parents requested that we have a breakfast club but at the moment, the breakfast club is running at a considerable loss and means there will be a difficult decision to be made at the end of the school year.

Big Breakfast At South Perrott

The next Big Breakfast at South Perrott Village Hall is on Sunday 8th March between 9am - 11am. Do come and enjoy a full English breakfast or a healthy porridge alternative. We are raising funds towards the renewal of the vestry roof at St Mary's Church, South Perrott.

Monday After School Club

The Monday After School Club runs from 3:00pm - 4:30pm with Mr Dyer. Please book and pay for this club via SIMS Pay.

SIMS Pay Online Payment and Consent

Please use SIMS Pay to provide consent and pay for school trips and events organised by the school. If you have any problems logging in to the system, please let us know and can reset your account. Where you are unable use the system for whatever reason, we can provide the facility to pay via PayPoint at a Post Office, please let us know if you would like us to send barcodes.

Hot School Meals

Local Food Links are our hot school meal provider. To find out about the meals they provide, please visit <https://www.localfoodlinks.org.uk/> The ordering system can be found at <https://www.myschoolmeals.co.uk> If you haven't received an activation code letter, please ask the school office for a code which is required when you use the system for the first time. Meals can be ordered, changed or cancelled 7 days in advance.

Also all Corfe and Chesil Key Stage 1 children are entitled to free school meals under the Government Universal Infant Free School Meals Scheme. Meals for Key Stage 2 children are very reasonable at £2.40 each.

Please log in to your LFL account and check that meals have been ordered and that you have noted the days where you need to send a packed lunch for your child. If you have any problems ordering meals during the holidays, please contact Local Food Links they will have staff that can help you.