

WHAT'S ON AT WIDEWELL

Widewell Primary Academy Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers

I was delighted to open an email from a parent this week and discover what some of our children had got up to over the weekend! **Esther and Faith** in Y2 have raised some money for the Prader Willi Syndrome Society through their own sweet selling initiative. Well done girls, we are very proud of you.

We are hoping to hold our annual **Sports' Day on Wednesday 6th June**. Please keep your fingers crossed as we did not manage to hold Sports' Day at all last year because the weather was so poor. Bring your picnic blankets and chairs and come and join us from 11am onwards. Remember to also bring your trainers so you can join in with the parents races!

Our **class swap day** will be held on 5th July this year and I will let you know the class teachers at the end of the week before once all of the new appointments have been made. This is a really important day for the children as they spend the whole day with their new teacher in their new classroom so please make sure they are in school unless they are poorly. We will also hold our **transition meetings** for Foundation children going in to Y1 and Y2 children moving into Y3 straight after school on those days. So if your children are in Foundation or Y2 please put this date in your diaries so you can attend.

I look forward to seeing you all after half term.

Kind regards,

CL Pyne

Cup winners	11.05.2018	18.05.2018
Friendship Trophy	Noah Griffiths	Olivia Pender
Courtesy Cup	Skylar Bevan	Matthew East-Jenkins and Abi McLuskey
Perseverance Trophy	Sara Iacoban	Year 6
Reading Award	Christopher Brimacombe	Emma Nixon
Class Cup	Year 5	Year 2
House Cup	Jennycliff	Bovisand

Hungry Caterpillar News

Can children please ensure that they come to school every day with a named water bottle filled with **water** only. Children can have juice in their packed lunches but not in the classrooms.

Also any snacks should only be fresh fruit or vegetables, not breakfast bars or packet snacks.

Fruit is available from the kitchen for 20p per day.



Key Dates for 2018/2019

25 May Foundation Class assembly 2.45pm

25 May End of Term 5
4 Jun Start of Term 6

6 Jun Sports' Day 11am start

8 Jun Reserve Sports' Day 11am start

17 Jul Open Afternoon 2.30pm

18 Jul Y6 Leavers Show 6pm

20 Jul 1.15pm End of Term 6

5 Sept Start of Term 1
19 Oct End of Term 1

29 Oct Start of Term 2
19 Dec End of Term 2

3 Jan Start of Term 3
15 Feb End of Term 3

25 Feb Start of Term 4
5 Apr End of Term 4

24 Apr Start of Term 5
24 May End of Term 5

3 Jun Start of Term 6
19 Jul End of Term 6



Esther and Faith raised £22 for PWS with their sweet shop. They designed a poster and sold sweets all afternoon to the local children (and grown ups!)



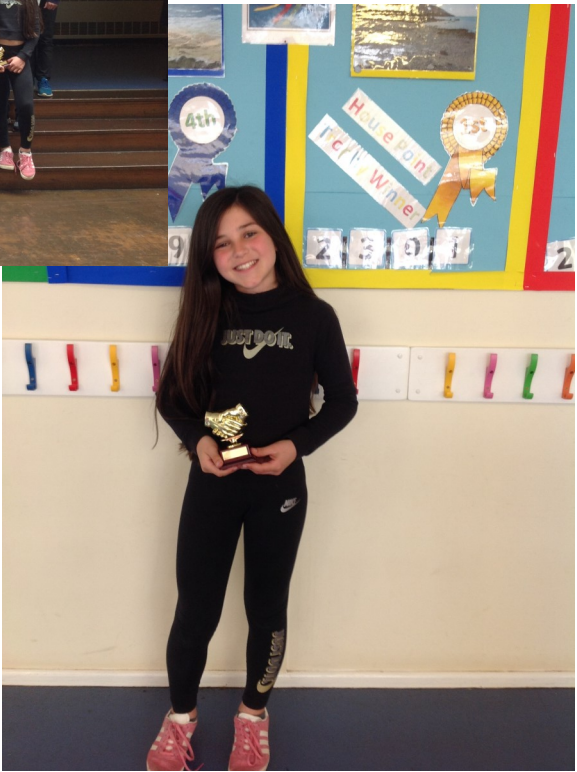
Well done to all the children (and staff!) who took part in the Half Marathon on Sunday as well as a big thank you to the parents who came to support.



**HMS Drake Field Gun Competition
The team gave an outstanding performance and deserved the trophy.
Well done Widewell Wolves!**



Weekly Cup Winners



Newsletter Team

Year 6 have mixed emotions that the KS2 SATs have finished. On the one hand, they are relieved that the tests are over and they are pleased that the stress they were feeling has gone! However, they are sad that Mrs Holder won't be providing their breakfast anymore!

The tests have all been sent off for marking and all the year 6 children are keeping everything crossed for some good results!

Lots of the children completed their half marathon distance by joining all of the runners up on the Hoe on Sunday in the sunshine. Tobias Maclean in year 4 came first out of all of the Widewell runners and said that it made him feel 'pretty good'. All the runners were pleased with their goody bags and medals.

HMS Raleigh Open Day

This will be taking place at HMS Raleigh, Torpoint, Cornwall on Wednesday 1st August from noon to 5pm.

Admission is free, parking is limited and all under 14s must be accompanied by an adult.

Come for a family day out and see what goes on behind the gates of the Royal Navy's largest establishment in the South West

For further information contact 01752 811221

Ivybridge Community College open mornings for Year 5

We look forward to welcoming you to the open morning's on Tuesday 12th and Wednesday 13th June from 9.30-10.40am in the dining hall

Please contact the college if you wish to attend to enable us to plan accordingly.

Duchy College Open Day

Duchy college open day and food festival will be taking place on Sunday 24th June from 10am-4pm at Stoke Climsland, Nr Callington, PL17 8PB

This will be a fun day for all the family with activities including, tractor and trailer rides, equine displays, meet the animals, food and drink exhibitors, digger driving challenge, rifle shooting range, children's creative zone and a fun family dog show.

Entrance is £5 per car. For more information visit www.duchy.ac.uk

Word of the week

21st May precocious
4th June inconclusive
11th June exploit
18th June bristling
25th June posture
2nd July typical
9th July cuisine
16th July flourish

Parental Consent Forms

Just a reminder that all completed forms **must** be returned to school by tomorrow.

