



# Beer C of E Primary School

## Friday Flier - 34



Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2018

Executive Headteacher: Miss Rebecca Porter

Chair of Governors: Mrs Jean Smith

COMING UP	
w/c Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	Phonics Screen Week
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> & 19 <sup>th</sup> June	High 5's netball training (year 4 & 5 selected team)
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> June	Sports Day 1.30pm

### A message from Miss Porter & Mr Evans:

Welcome back! We hope you had a fantastic half term holiday and managed to enjoy the decent spells of sunny weather. The year seems to have gone so fast and we find ourselves in the final half term already. It promises to be a very busy seven weeks with sports day, drama workshops, big arts week and leavers assembly to name but a few of the major events happening in school. This week has been very productive and has seen children being Vikings, Sports stars, Environmental scientists, novelists and musicians – a typical week in Beer Primary School! We have also seen scarecrows cropping up all over the place as we have supported the Beer Village Festival which is happening this weekend. Our Ukulele group is performing at the Mariner's Hall on Saturday at 3:25pm so please go along and lend your support if you can. A big congratulations to Poppy who has finished her charity swim. She has swum the equivalent of the English Channel and raised a fantastic sum of money for FORCE. This achievement has concluded with a cake sale after school today and we will share the total amount raised when we have counted up. As this is a particularly busy half-term, please keep looking at the key dates section to ensure you are informed of all important events. We will update this each week as necessary and things are likely to be added as more events are confirmed.

Best wishes, Miss Porter & Mr Evans

## Thank You Certificates

### School Values Awards:

- Class 1:** Kai for humility, for quietly being a lovely member of our class.  
**Class 3:** Darcie May for always showing 'friendship' when working in teams.  
**Class 4:** Leo for humility, for being really thoughtful and helpful, putting others before himself.

### Learning Behaviour Awards:

- Class 1:** Molly for independence, for writing a sentence by herself, Grace for always completing her work to a good standard and using her time productively and Riley for risk-taking, for being brave making new friends and trying everything at his new school.  
**Class 2:** Eddie and Isaac for independence, for becoming 'free readers', Stanley for resilience, for becoming a yellow reader, Jackson for resilience, for coming back to school after being ill, with a hard working attitude and Louis for resilience, for focus and concentration.  
**Class 3:** Daniel and Lauren for their great resilience shown during our Maths lessons.  
**Class 4:** Clara for reflectiveness, for recognising the enormous strides she has made this year.

BAFTA - Luke



## The Children's Week

**Classes 1 & 2:** Having had a break, the children were invited to write postcards to tell us what they had enjoyed over half term and enjoyed talking and writing about what they had done.

Having completed their wonderful books explaining the journey of milk, we have now moved on to the story of 'Oliver's Milkshake' with the end outcome being to make our own milkshakes flavoured with fruit. To kick start this, the children tested milkshakes to decide which was their favourite flavour and we recorded the results as a class pictogram. The children then had to choose their own question to answer such as: Which is your favourite toy/colour/fruit/vegetable? etc. They surveyed their friends and produced their own pictograms.

To finish the week, we have been learning about time by practising days of the week and months of the year. We have used clocks to learn to tell the time at an appropriate level for each year group and will continue to practise at intervals over the coming weeks.

**Class 3:** We started this week continuing with our Haiku poetry, turning them into Tankas, this was great fun and drew out the descriptive language we had. In Maths we have begun our topic of time. We have begun by looking at the different days/weeks/months in a year and converting the duration between them. During our topic sessions, we were very fortunate to take part in a drama workshop all about Vikings!! We've also begun an array of different experiments focusing on the topic of plants.

**Class 4:** We have started the final half term with lots of positivity and eagerness to learn. We began to explore Greek myths and legends and identified key features. In Maths, year 5 began calculating with decimals and year 6 have started to explore geometry. In Science, class 4 have been learning about classification of species and started to learn about the taxonomy system. They looked closely at a variety of living things and devised their own criteria to sort them. They then went into the school grounds to identify as many plant species as possible.

## Reminders / Notices

### Spanish Club

Please note that there will be 3 more sessions - 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> June.

### Mindfulness Club

Please note the 5 weeks of sessions will commence on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> June.

### Sporting Chance Cricket Club

Please note the 5 weeks of sessions will commence on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June.

### Cake Sale for FORCE cancer charity

Some members of class 4 have held a cake sale this afternoon to raise money for FORCE cancer charity, we will let you know next week what they have been able to raise. Well done also to Poppy who has successfully completed her 'swim the equivalent of the channel' challenge over the last month!

### Key Stage 2 – Drama Sessions

On Tuesday, Class 3 enjoyed an afternoon of drama with Rob Pudner. As always, the children had a fantastic time learning new drama techniques, singing songs and they improved their understanding of their topic, 'The Vikings.' They began with a yes/no quiz testing their knowledge of the subject before creating their own stories based on the facts using improvisation skills. There were some fantastic stories and it was great to see the children growing in confidence as the session went on. The children all had a fantastic time and are looking forward to their next session.

### PTFA Sports Day Cake Stall

Next Friday is the School Sports Day and the PTFA will be serving tea, coffees and soft drinks as usual.

**This year we hope to return the infamous cake stall so we need your help with cake, tray bake and cup-cake donations.**

**Please leave all donations with the school on Friday morning. Many thanks in advance.**



## Scarecrows & BEER Village festival - 8/9/10 June 2018 – THIS WEEKEND!

There have been a few new members of school hanging around this week! We have been building scarecrows to contribute towards this weekend's village festival. The scarecrows all have a nautical/seaside theme and ours include: a pirate, a fisherman, and a granddad and grandson enjoying the beach. The scarecrows are going to be displayed over the weekend on the cliff top. Please pop along and see what we have been up to and enjoy the festivities.

Thank you for your continued support,  
The Beer Staff Team.

## Community Events & Notices

### Beer Village Festival - 8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> June 2018 - Charity Weekend

Beer, food, music, fun for all the family. Featuring 'Area 52' swing band on Saturday night. Pick up your programme from a local business! Supporting Children's Hospice South West and Seaton & District Hospital League of Friends.

### LEAF Open Farm Sunday - Gatcombe Farm, Seaton, EX12 3AA - 10<sup>th</sup> June 2018 - 11.00am - 4.00pm

Crops, dairy with robotic milking, beef, sheep and pigs. Farm tour with tractor & trailer rides around the farm, visit the baby calves, cow foot trimming and vet demonstration, food and refreshments. All visitors to wear sensible footwear. Dogs on leads are welcome. Free admission - donations to Devon Freewheelers. For more information please contact [julie@gatcombefarm.co.uk](mailto:julie@gatcombefarm.co.uk)

### Seaton Cycle Fest – Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2018

Children's relay race – if you are interested in forming a team of 4 for relay racing on the exciting seafront track, please email [admin@seaton.gov.uk](mailto:admin@seaton.gov.uk) for further information. [www.seatoncyclefest.co.uk](http://www.seatoncyclefest.co.uk)

### Goren Festival, Stockland - 29<sup>th</sup> June - 1<sup>st</sup> July 2018

We are organising a family friendly, nature and music festival in Stockland at the end of June. It is set on a 70 acre wildflower farm of meadows, woodlands and streams and various wildlife organisations will be coming along to do presentations on the Saturday morning and lead nature tours, bat walks, moth trapping etc through the meadows. There will be loads of nature based children's activities and workshops, mown paths through the meadows, a bar, camping, artisan street food vendors and trade stands, as well as 15 live bands playing on stage in the barn. The festival runs from 29th June to 1st July and tickets are only available online via the website: [www.goren.co.uk/festival](http://www.goren.co.uk/festival) - Adults only £30 for the weekend and children only £6.

### Seaton Eats Boutique - First Friday of the summer months

An evening street food market overlooking the sea - 6<sup>th</sup> July and 3<sup>rd</sup> August. 6.00 - 9.00pm.  
Jubilee Gardens, Seaton, EX12 2QU

### The Umborne Ug 10k and 2.5k Fun Run:

2.5k Fun Run, mostly on flat country lanes at Umborne Hall (EX13 7QL) north of Colyton on Sunday 1st July at 11.10am. This is mostly for runners under the age of 16 as those over 16 can do the multi-terrain 10k. The under 8's need to be accompanied by an adult please. There were over 50 runners last year. There are prizes for the first three boys and first 3 girls plus each junior receives a medal and maybe something else! On top of that, there are bacon butties, hot drinks and lots of delicious cakes at the hall so the family can come along and enjoy this event, organised by [www.axevalleyrunners.org.uk](http://www.axevalleyrunners.org.uk) and Umborne Hall Trustees. Entry (£3) can be done on the Fullonsport website (<https://www.fullonsport.com/event/umborne-ug10k/profile>) or on the day. It really is a fun event for the whole family and we would really appreciate it if you could spread the word and maybe put the attached poster up on your school notice board.

Eleanor (Axe Valley Runners Female Captain) & Rick Wood [rickandeleonor@btinternet.com](mailto:rickandeleonor@btinternet.com)

### Millwey Rise AFC Youth Open Day – Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> June – 10am – 12noon – Cloakham Lawn Sports & Social Club, Axminster

We are looking for more boys and girls to join our following age group teams: U10's, U13's, U14's Girls, U14's & U16's. We are also looking to create new age group teams, so all children 5 – 15 years old are welcome to join our FA Qualified Coaches for the morning session. BBQ & refreshments available.

### FREEdom Café – 16<sup>th</sup> June 10.30am – 1.30pm – St Gregory's Church

Free community café hosted by St Gregory's Church for everyone living, working or visiting Seaton. Coffee, cakes and light lunches, rummage stall, secondhand books and free raffle. Tel: 01297 23656. Email: [freedomcafe321@gmail.com](mailto:freedomcafe321@gmail.com)

### Summer School 2018 – Colyton Theatre Group – Monday 20<sup>th</sup> – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> August – 10am – 1pm

'The Pirates of Nan's Pants'. Join us on our voyage across the high seas in pursuit of the good ship 'Nan's Pants'. Will our intrepid pirates rescue their ship and the treasure on board?

Great parts for seafaring boys and girls aged 7 – 16 years. Reece Strawbridge Centre, Coly Road, Colyton. EX24 6PU  
Price £50 per child, sibling discount available. We provide biscuits and squash to keep everyone going and costumes for the show on the Friday. For more details: Marie 07870 296670, [info@theatrekidz.co.uk](mailto:info@theatrekidz.co.uk) [www.theatrekidz.co.uk](http://www.theatrekidz.co.uk)