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## NEWSLETTER 29<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2018

Dear Parents, I cannot believe how little we have left of this term~ I think we will remain busy right up to the very last minute!

### SPORTS DAY

It was lovely to see so many of you at sports day ~ the weather didn't put anyone off, even though I'm sure we were all melting! The children thoroughly enjoyed themselves and we hope you did too.



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## SWIMMING

We are thrilled to be able to support our local pool this year, although I suspect logistically it's going to be full on! Miss Pooler and I picked up the Link Academy mini bus yesterday and Miss Pooler had a test run to the pool and back ~ great as she volunteered to be our driver next week!

Please ensure your children come with kit (wearing or in their PE bag) as we have no access to spare swimming kit, water bottles and sun cream as I think the good weather is due to continue into next week.

## DARTMOOR 3BALL EVENT

On one of the hottest days of the year so far, 3 teams from Landscope put on a valiant display against some very tough opposition, and in some challenging conditions, in the Dartmoor 3Ball finals at Forches Cross. All 3 teams demonstrated great team work; communicating well during fielding (a vital skill for 3Ball) and cheering each other on with motivational words of support. They were superb representatives of Landscope and our values. Their fielding skills were amazing, and their batting skills led to a few balls being lost in the hedge as they went so far!

The results were - Year 3/4 team came 4th in their league, Year 5/6 A team - third in their league, winning 4 of their matches and Year 5/6 B team - 6th in their league.

A huge well done to our teams. We are very proud of you.



## SIAMS

The Archdeacon of Totnes presented our Outstanding SIAMS certificate to three members of the children's Ethos Committee during our Open Book collective worship last week (hence Ruby in her costume!). It's now proudly on show in the hall.

## FOLS UPDATE from Kate

### GREAT GATSBY

Thank you everyone who supported the Great Gatsby evening. It was a great night and raised about £1200, which goes a good way towards getting smart screens in classes 1 and 2. Particular thanks to the committee who worked very hard to put this on; it could not have happened without a few dedicated parents.



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## SWIMATHON

Thanks also to Sam, Charlie AC, Hope, Heather, Isaac, Patrick, Caitlin, George and Evie who took part in the sponsored swim at Ashburton pool and between them raised over £300 for FOLS. A great effort for just 9 children!

## FRIDAY ICE CREAMS

We are looking for someone to do after school ice cream sales on Friday 13th July. Let me know if you are able to help.

## SUMMER FAIR 6<sup>th</sup> JULY 3:30-5:30

The summer fair is next Friday (6th July) after school from 3.30 pm to 5.30 pm. Emazdad



the Magician will be doing a magic show from 4 to 4.30 pm. We will also have all the usual stalls and fun to entertain everyone. We still need more volunteers so please let Kate know if you are able to help. We particularly need someone to set up and run an obstacle course and someone to do the BBQ. Also anyone who can help set up please join us on the field from 1.30pm. If anyone has any bunting we can borrow please bring it into school in the morning. Summer fair day will be a mufti day for the children and in return, you are asked to bring in cakes, cookies, flapjacks etc (if your child is in classes 1 or 2), a bottle (alcoholic or otherwise), or children's tombola prize (for



those in classes 3 and 4). These should be brought into the school hall on the morning of the fair.

## SEA MOOR LOTTO

We have signed up as a good cause in the Sea Moor Lotto supporting good causes in the South Hams. For your weekly chance to win £25000 follow the link, buy your ticket(s) and nominate Friends of Landscope School as your cause.

<https://www.seamoorlotto.co.uk/support/friends-of-landscope-school>

## NATIONAL BOOK TOKENS

Our school needs you! Help us win £5,000 of National Book Tokens for the school library - and get £100 for yourself! Just enter the competition online, it only takes a minute: <http://po.st/schools18>



## SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

The Totnes library visited last Friday and have told the children about this year's reading challenge~ many seemed interested so I feel sure you will be nagged to go to your nearest library!

## SCHOOL VALUES

We have just finished our fortnight with a focus on Wisdom, one of our visiting values, and next week we begin our final value of this term: Generosity. Please use the link to access the home/school activity page on this value.

[landscope.thelink.academy/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/GENEROSITY.pdf](http://landscope.thelink.academy/wp-content/uploads/2015/03/GENEROSITY.pdf)

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## SAFEGUARDING & ATTENDANCE

Staying Safe in the lovely sunshine:

Please help us by reminding your children to Wrap up in a T-shirt, Splat on the sun cream and wear a brimmed Hat this week as the hot weather continues.

Our designated safeguarding officer is Mrs Ryder and the deputy safeguarding officers are Mrs Jessep & Miss Pooler.



Attendance: 2018 (Our school target is 96.8%) <b>Our attendance is still below our target for the year</b> <b>Please help us...NO holidays in term time!!!!</b>		Number of sessions missed per class: (session = a whole morning or afternoon) Year to date:
Whole school	95.8%	1197
Class 1	93.83%	143
Class 2	96.1%	330
Class 3	94.79%	427
Class 4	96.98%	297
<b>Well done: Class 4</b>		

**Can we remind you that school opens at 8:45 and registration begins at 9:00am. We need your help to start the day on time!**

## WELCOME TO MISS BARLOW

After a rigorous round of observations, educational tasks and interviews, I am pleased to inform you that we have appointed Miss Karen Barlow to take up the reins of Class 4 when Miss Pooler leaves at the end of term to take up her new post at Hennock. This is great as Karen has been with us for a year and has had an outstanding end of year assessment ~ we know we're getting a new, already valued addition for our hard working team!

## LANDSCOVE VILLAGE FETE 14<sup>th</sup> July 4pm

Please support our local community fete ~ we're hoping to have a team of country dancers working with Miss Pooler to support this event.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

### COMING UP

- 2nd-6th July Swimming week
- 5<sup>th</sup> July Year 1 Story Telling Event @ Buckfast Abbey
- 6th July New reception tea party and FOLS Summer fair
- 13th July KS1 Summer sports festival @ KEVICCs
- 14th July Landscope Village fete
- 16th July Reports out today
- 18th July Class 3 Wild Night Out
- 20th July Exmouth Beach whole school trip
- 24th July 10:00 Y6 Leavers assembly
- 24<sup>th</sup> July – End of Term – **2.30 p.m. finish.**

That's it for now. Have a great weekend and enjoy the sunshine that has been promised!

Jill Ryder