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### Summer Term Newsletter No.6

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020

Messages from Mrs Eveleigh...

Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that you are all still keeping safe and well.

I would like to start by thanking all of you for completing the questionnaire regarding your current thoughts on your child/ren returning to school. It has helped tremendously with our planning and school organisation.

Currently we anticipate that around 30% of children will be returning when, and if, we are ready. I am still completing and actioning extensive risk assessments for each school which take into account national government, department for education, local authority and union recommendations. The Board of Governors will need to see these risk assessments prior to the schools re-opening. I will write to you all next week, probably on Thursday or Friday as I believe the Government may give an update on Thursday evening which may affect schools. My letter will give many more details of what we are able to offer, what this might look like for the children and how we need your help to achieve maximum reduced risk. I am hoping that we will have completed moving all class-based spaces around, and that we will be able to share photographs of these so that both you and the children know what it might look like. Please ensure you look out for this **SCHOOL OPENING** update letter.

#### Home Learning

Thank you to all children and parents for all your hard work this week. Summer Week 8 will be on the school website next weekend. Please have a half term break as Summer Week 7 😊 - I can see you smiling and the children shouting hurrah! The weather looks nice, so enjoy the fresh air! I would like to thank all staff that have been involved in the home learning this half term, and particularly thank those who have been in school each week supporting the Key workers and Vulnerable children for the past 8 weeks.

#### Residential and Refunds

The Y5/6 Residential **is now officially cancelled**. We will process refunds when we are able.

#### Year Six Information

At the moment we have no further information.

#### Sept 2020 Reception Intake

Letters have been posted with regard to our planned, phased entry in September. 😊. A copy will be on our website.

Robin - thank you once again our assembly. Robin writes:

*"This assembly gives children and adults a chance to talk and reflect about the current lock-down situation. The photos are a follow up from Assembly 4, where Stuart shared some amazing nature photos. This is the crab spider he showed in that assembly but actually catching its dinner. Would be great to share this with your children.  
God Bless, Robin"*

The assembly can be found by clicking **HERE** and the photos are at the end of this newsletter. We have some lovely work produced by the children in school that is linked to the assembly - they are also at the end of the newsletter.

Thank you to Chris Ostler for the live music streaming last week. We hope you enjoyed listening - you can still see the stream, please click **HERE**. Chris has kindly agreed to do a half term live stream again. This will be at 6pm on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> May, just relax and enjoy the end of the half term. Please click **HERE**, scroll down to the video that is live and click it. For all updates please go to:

[www.facebook.com/chrisostlermusic](https://www.facebook.com/chrisostlermusic)

We have a new link for you this week for some BBC KS2 music lessons click **HERE**.

With my very best wishes to you all,

Deborah Eveleigh  
Executive Head Teacher

#### KEY Message from Emily Hooper-Taylor, Chair of Governors:

*Thank you to the parents and children for a doing a sterling job with all your home learning this summer half term, under what can only be described as exceptional and challenging circumstances for us all. I would also like to thank the staff for all their tremendous hard work too. Governors really appreciate the huge effort that you are now undertaking in the mammoth task of preparing the schools for a gradual reopening. I hope you all manage to get some rest this bank holiday.*

Kindest regards

STARS OF THE WEEK		
Noah B Arlo P Lilah-Mai P Savannah S		Albie P Harley H Freya B Leon S
<b>THE TVP DIARY</b>		
<b>KEY WORKERS MESSAGE</b> <b>SUMMER week 7 - ½ term Emergency Childcare KEY WORKERS Only</b> <b>Thank you to many of you who have organising care in half term to enable us move things during half term - the essential 'maintenance' to enable for the wider opening after ½ term.</b> Please let me know <b>urgently via my head teacher</b> account if there are difficulties for you and we will try to accommodate you. I have spoken to individual families re urgent care needed. <a href="mailto:head@webbers.devon.sch.uk">head@webbers.devon.sch.uk</a>		
Date	Location	Activity
MONDAY 25 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>BOTH SCHOOL WEBSITES</b>	Newsletter for last week
<b>Mon 25<sup>th</sup> MAY</b> Tuesday - Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> MAY	<b>SUMMER week 7 is HALF TERM inc BANK HOLIDAY MONDAY 😊</b>	
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> May	Click <a href="#">HERE</a>	<b>CHRIS OSTLER LIVE streaming MUSIC PARTY Thursday 6-7pm</b>
MONDAY 1 <sup>st</sup> June - 5 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Webber's School and Burlescombe</b>	<b><u>PLANNED BUT NOT CONFIRMED</u></b> <b>OPEN to Reception, Year 1 and Year 6 ONLY - all week.</b> <b>Please see Head Teacher's letter - anticipated Friday 29<sup>th</sup> MAY.</b>  <b>Please note - <u>REGARDLESS</u> of whether or not school is officially open, we will still be open to Key worker children and Vulnerable children as we have been doing at Webber's for the past 8 weeks. We will contact you if this changes.</b> As usual, please email between 9 and 3pm should you need to use this service as children need to be booked in ( <a href="mailto:admin@webbers.devon.sch.uk">admin@webbers.devon.sch.uk</a> ). In an emergency email <a href="mailto:head@webbers.devon.sch.uk">head@webbers.devon.sch.uk</a> . Lunch is available but - wear own clothes/coat/wellie/water bottle & and PE kit.
MONDAY 1 <sup>st</sup> June	<b>For ALL children at Home</b>	<b>Home learning released for Summer Week 8</b>
<b>We will advise you where we can of any changes of the dates via SCHOOL web pages BLOG and direct email</b> Latest national guidance <b>SCHOOL OPENING ADVICE - Please click here</b>		

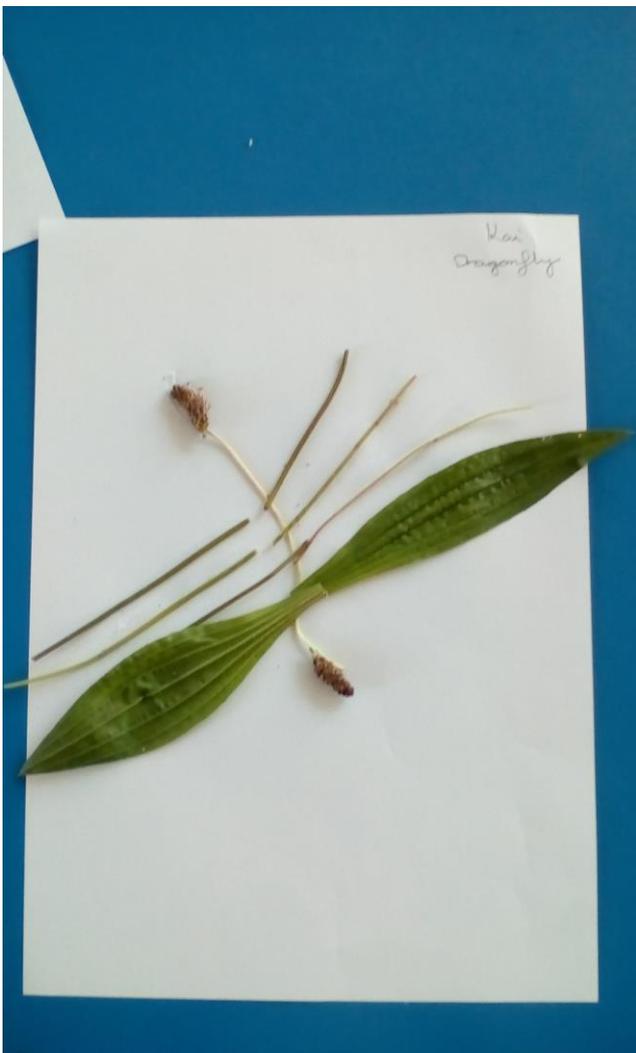
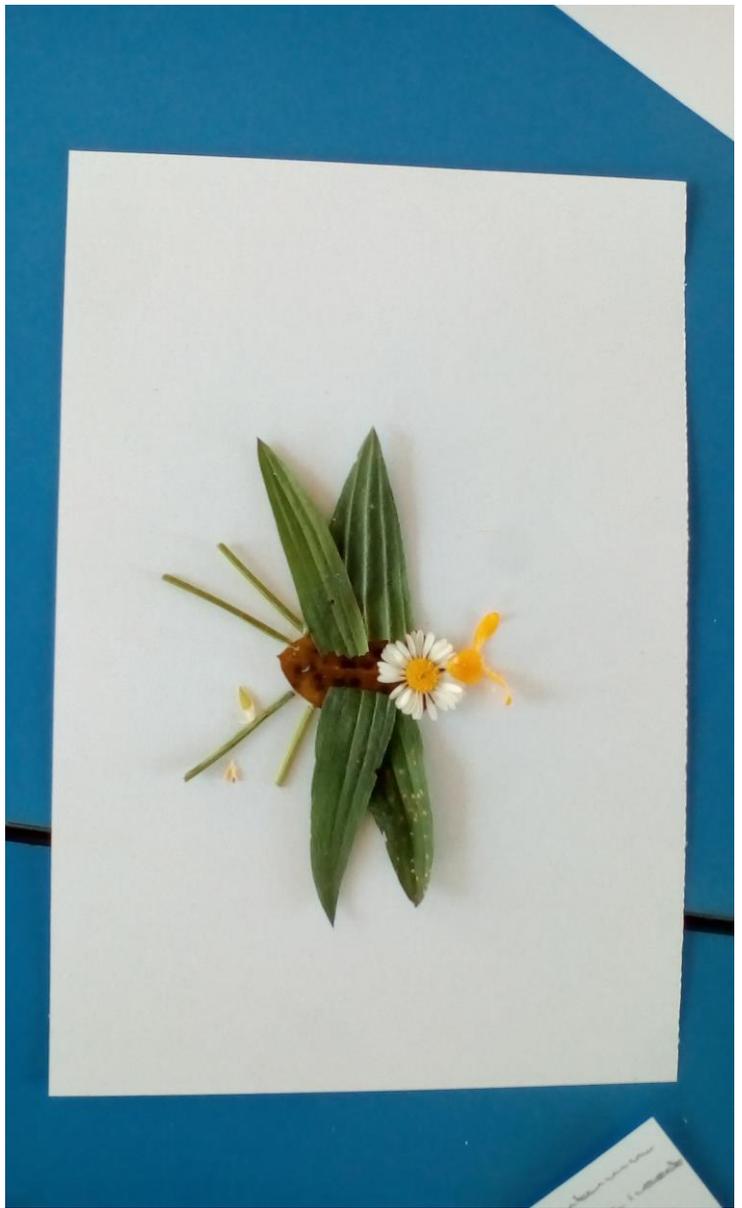
### HOME LEARNING LINKS for Week 8 : in next weeks newsletter

### AN EXCITING ART COMPETITION

"In June last year Mid-Devon District Council and Tiverton Town Council to give a commitment to reduce our collective carbon emissions to 'net zero' by 2030. This June we intended to celebrate the anniversary of that commitment with a Climate Day in the town. Obviously with the Covid crisis we have had to shelve many of our plans. However, in order to keep this important commitment in the forefront of peoples' minds, we have decided to hold an **art competition** aimed at the young people in the town who are obviously the ones who are going to profit most from a sustainable future. They are going to be asked through **the medium of Art to imagine what their town will look like in a post-Covid world and a carbon neutral town.** The poster we are disseminating to promote the competition is displayed below. **The Eden Project have offered a free visit for the class of the overall winning entry.** We are working through 19 schools in Tiverton and surrounding villages and have 4 age groups. Under 7, 7-10, 10-13 and 14-16. A visit to the Eden Project is obviously a very appropriate prize for a sustainability competition. We would also like to offer an equally appropriate prize for each of the 4 winners in the age groups - a bike! We hope this will attract as many children as possible to enter the competition and raise awareness of plans for a sustainable future. As a local professional artist with experience of running children's workshops, I would be delighted to have all schools in the area on board with our sustainability project and helping to promote this exciting competition. So, we would be grateful if you could make the children in your school aware of the competition and encourage them to enter. Details of the competition, where to submit entries and terms and conditions can be found on <http://www.sustainabletiverton.org.uk/art/>. Best regards, Catherine Stott"

On behalf of Sustainable Tiverton <http://www.sustainabletiverton.org.uk>





# TTROCK STARS NEWS!!!

Guess what!?

We got in touch with **GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS®** about how fast some of our times tables rockers are getting. After some conversations they have created a new title - **"the highest score achieved on 'Times Tables Rock Stars in one minute!'"**

To make an **Official Attempt**, players need to record a video of themselves achieving their highest score in the Studio\* and send the video to support@mathscircle.com by 23:59 UK time on 4th June 2020.

[Read Official Attempt criteria in full](#)

The highest scores we've seen over the years have been 150+ in a single Studio game so we know the standard for this global title will be high.

If you think any of you have got what it takes to be the holder of this prestigious GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS title, please see criteria. **Children you must ask parents !**

Time to get rockin' during lock-in!

Bruno

\*Studio games go up 12×12 and include corresponding division facts

## We are here for you and we're in this together

Because of government guidance we as Church might not be able to support the school community in the same ways you were used to. We are still here to provide pastoral support, prayer, help or a listening ear over the phone or via email in this time of uncertainty.

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