

June 25th 2021 School Newsletter



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Total raised
£3,458.50
+ £529.13 Gift Aid

988% of £350.00 target

Dates

- ♦ 28/6/21 - sports day.
- ♦ 22/7/21 Last day of term



Race for Life

As a school we were keen to support Race for Life. It has been a tough year for everyone and as a school we are always conscious how often we ask for money. Therefore our plan was to keep this quite low key hence our conservative target. The current amount raised is truly amazing and definitely reflects the caring and generous nature of the St. Thomas community. The children also did brilliantly with many running more laps than planned; really motivated by the occasion! Thank you to everyone for getting involved, the support and generosity and a special thank you to Mr Luxton for organising such a fantastic event.



Teachers for Next Year

Whilst September still seems a long way off I am pleased to confirm where teachers will be teaching next year so that you know which teachers will be working with your children. There is a little bit of a change around as some staff are taking on new responsibilities. Over the past 18 months children have missed some school so consideration has also been given to this. Classes for next year are:

- Reception: Mrs Simpson (M,T,F), Mrs Pavey (W,Th)
- Year 1: Mrs Bessant, Mrs Pavey on Fridays
- Year 2: Mrs Winnall (M,T,W), Mr Jenkins (Th,F)
- Year 3: Miss Mackay
- Year 4: Miss Radmore
- Year 5: Mr Luxton
- Year 6: Mrs Evans, Mr Jenkins on Mondays

Although some classes are staying with the same teacher they will still move classrooms. We will ensure that where children are having a new teacher they will get chance to spend some time with them before the end of the summer term.

Sports Day

We are hoping to go ahead with our sports day on Monday but the weather forecast is not brilliant at the moment. Regardless of what the weather is doing on Monday morning children need to come into school **in their PE kits** ready for sports day. We shall be walking over to West Exe playing field for the afternoon and will be back at school for the end of the day. If by the afternoon it is too wet we will postpone and do some mini sports days on the playground.

Covid 19

COVID cases are on the rise in Exeter. It is vitally important that you keep the school informed of any contacts or symptoms your child may have had. I am required to work with Track and Trace and Public Health England and need to ensure I have clear information. Thank you for your help with this.