



School Newsletter



Tuesday 20th March 2018

"It never snows here!" Words I heard so many times at the start of the term, and yet we have now had three snow days! The photos of the local area have been beautiful, but I am certainly hoping that some warmer and brighter weather is on the way.

This morning we had our first **parent forum** meeting. We had 13 parents representing children from every class. I fed back some of the key information and actions as a result of the school review. The updating of the behaviour policy was briefly mentioned, and this will be a future focus. Finally, we looked at some proposals for home learning going forward. It was very useful to get feedback from parents as I feel strongly that we need to be working together as a team in order to get the best for our children. The feedback was very positive and I hope that more parents will be able to attend our next meeting. A letter will be sent later this week confirming discussions from the meeting.

Laura Cornish

Whole school **attendance** last week:

95.1%

Government expectation: 96%
Persistent absentee: below 90%

Dorchester Swimming Meet

Last Friday, Years Five and Six went to Dorchester Sports Centre to compete in a swimming gala. At first, we were all nervous as there were lots of schools and some were wearing matching uniforms and swim caps. Then Rosa raced and came a brilliant second. After that, it wasn't too bad and we learned lots about competitive swimming. Our school was great at perseverance, especially Jonathan who swam 4 lengths non-stop! We also had great team spirit and found the event fun.

Report by Spike



Star Celebrations

Certificates linked to learning, learning behaviours and demonstration of our school values were shared in assembly today. Well done to:

Rosa, Lemoni, Charlie, Keavy, Darcy,
Isla, Bill and Amy

Class Attendance

Well done **Starfish** class for the highest attendance during the last week with **97.2%**. They have another certificate to put up in their classroom.

Parent Governor Elections

Please remember that voting closes at 9am this Thursday.
The ballot box is in the office area.



**Charmouth
Primary School PTFA
DISCO**



**Wednesday
28th March**

At Manor Farm Holiday Park (Charmouth)

Disco 1:
Reception, Yrs 1, 2 and 3
5pm-6pm

Disco 2:
Yrs 4, 5 and 6
6:15pm-7:15pm

Entry £3
to include unlimited
water/squash!
Bar available for adults!

Diary dates

Wed 21st March—World Book Day celebration—
Our rescheduled event will be going ahead with a
Where's Wally theme



Wed 21st March—Turtles open assembly (2:45)
Mrs Verity has agreed to work with the class to
ensure that they are able to lead their assembly,
particularly as this is the rescheduled date

Thurs 22nd March—Beach school—Turtles

Tues 27th March—Beach school—Dolphins

Wed 28th March—PTFA disco

Wes 28th March—last day of term

Charmouth Cub Pack

Charmouth Cubs are urgently seeking a uniformed leader. The future of the pack is under threat if they cannot fully staff their meets. If you would like to know more, please contact Kevin Payne, Group Scout Leader, 1st Charmouth on 01308 459080.

VACANCY at LOCAL FOOD LINKS

We have a temporary vacancy for a **General Assistant in our Bridport Kitchen**. The hours of work are 12 – 4 Mon to Fri to start immediately. Initially, this contract is until the end of the term, but with possible extension to a longer contract. Kitchen experience is desirable but not essential.

For more info please contact Laura or Suzie on 01308 428924 or email laura.cox@localfoodlinks.org.uk or suzie.king@localfoodlinks.org.uk. Thank you.

SMUGGLERS EASTER EGG TRAIL

Families are invited to embark on an adventure this Easter on the Smugglers Easter Egg Trail solving clues to navigate their way through the town and locate the nine cunningly hidden eggs.

The notorious smugglers from the 'Charmouth Shark Tooth Gang' have discovered some rare Easter eggs in an ancient sunken shipwreck off Lyme Regis and have hidden them in the shops around Lyme Regis leaving clues which only the best detectives can solve.

Once they have located each hidden egg they must answer a very cunning question. At the end of the trail, participants can claim a special Easter chocolate prize. More information can be found at [www.wackynation.com/easter-adventures]www.wackynation.com/easter-adventures

Trail forms available from Roly's Fudge Pantry, Broad Street, Lyme Regis

SMUGGLERS EASTER EGG TRAIL

1st - 15th April



Join in the Family Fun

**Trail forms available from
Roly's Fudge Pantry, Lyme Regis**