



6th October 2017

Friday Flyer



Term Dates

Last day of half term

Wednesday

18th October

Non-Pupil Day

Thursday 19th October

Holiday

Friday 20th October

Half term holidays

Monday 23rd October—

Friday 27th October

Return to School

Monday 30th October

Diary Dates

School Disco

Tuesday 17th October

KS1 4pm-4.45pm

KS2 5pm-6pm

Harvest

Thursday 12th October

9.15 @ St Michael's

Church

Christmas Fair

Friday 9th December

**Christmas Nativity
Play**

Tuesday 12th December

Deadlines

Scholastic Book Orders

To be returned to
school office by
Wednesday 11th
October

ParentPay

REMEMBER

**Book School Meals by
3.30PM ON
WEDNESDAYS!**

Please remember Key Stage 1
(Ruby & Emerald class) need to
order lunches from the
'Afternoon' section as to avoid
being charged incorrectly.

**PLEASE
CLEAR YOUR DEBTS
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE**

REMINDER Harvest Festival

Come and join us for our Harvest celebration on Thursday 12th October 2017. Donations of foods will be gratefully received, these will then be distributed to local families in need through Exeter Foodbank.

Foodstuffs must be non-perishable and in date.

Many thanks

Good News for St Michael's and All Angels Church

St Michael's Church will be welcoming Rev Prebendary Nigel Guthrie to the parish as their new Vicar. Nigel has been Rector of Crediton Parish Church since 2002. Currently Tuesday 16th January 2018 is the proposed date for the Institution and Induction Service at St David's Church; please keep the date free in your diary.

Express and Echo Reception Class Photo's

Our new Reception children had their 'First Class' photo's taken by the Express and Echo this week. These class photo's will appear in the Express and Echo on Thursday 12th

October. Don't forget to buy your copies.

Wildlife Conference

On Tuesday Mrs Wonnocot and 6 children from Sapphire class went to the Wildlife Conference at Stoke Valley. They had a fantastic 'hands on' day playing bug games, making solitary bee hotels and shelters and generally enjoying being outside and exploring the environment. They even got to meet and talk to Nick Baker from the BBC Springwatch programme.

These were some of their comments:-

Krzysztof—'Making shelters was super fun, our tent was waterproof

Holly—'I liked the bug games'

Zara & Stephi—both enjoyed den making and making the bee hotels

Louis & Isabelle—'we made bee hotels with sticks of elder and recycled bottles'

The group have decided they will teach other children how to make a bug hotel for the school grounds!

Scholastic Book Club

Please have a browse through the fantastic Scholastic Book Club catalogue that was given to children to bring home today. There are some great books/sets available to order at reduced prices. For every order placed over £10, St David's will receive 25% of the value of the order to spend on books for the school.

Absences

Could all absences please be reported to the school office before 9am. If the school has not been informed, your child will be marked as having an unauthorised absence. Please also ensure you phone each day your child is absent.

Please either telephone 01392 255569 or email
stdavids@ventrus.org.uk

Coats

Could parents please ensure their children are sent to school with a coat each day. The weather is getting much colder and all children should now be wearing their coats during morning and lunch breaks.

Reading Certificates



THE RAMP DOOR WILL
BE LOCKED AT **9AM**
SHARP.

ALL CHILDREN SHOULD
BE IN CLASS & SEATED
READY FOR

REGISTRATION BEFORE
9am

WE ARE REQUIRED TO
RECORD ANYONE

ARRIVING **AFTER 9am**
AS
LATE.



Ruby Class

Emerald Class

Sapphire Class

Diamond Class

Gabriela 25
Kuba 25
Alfie 25
Olivia 50

Sara 25
Misho 25
Sky 25
Grace 50
Kara 50

Jack L-M 25
Melody 25
Grace 25



Well Done!



STAR AWARDS



Lunch Time Star

Harley B:

for always making everyone around him smile

Ruby	Reception: Marcus —because he is kind and helpful member of our class who works hard to follow the golden rules. He has also been trying very hard in phonics when learning his letter sounds and has even managed to find and say some of the sounds during his independent learning time. Fantastic work Marcus!
Emerald	Year 1: Katie —for her resilience in maths, learning her strategies and number value. Well
Sapphire	Year 3: Stephi —has worked very hard in maths this week, showing enthusiasm and still having a go even when things seem tricky at first. Some fabulous rounding to the nearest 10. Keep up the perseverance Stephi. Year 4: Ruby —has been noticed this week by a number of people for her maturity and eagerness to learn. She was especially praised by a visitor in school for her excellent participation and enthusiasm during reading roundabout this week. Thank you Ruby.
Diamond	Year 5: Jackie — because of the superb effort and thought that she has put into writing on the three main subjects in 'The Hound of the Baskervilles'. Well done and thank you Jackie! Year 6: Joseph —because of the manner in which he has been able to use humour and old-fashioned words and phrases in his Victorian writing to make it seem more authentic. Well done and thank you Joseph!

