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A message from Mrs. Denham

21st May 2021

We are really sorry that the PTA had to cancel their plant and ice cream sales this week due to the weather but are looking forward to this happening next Thursday 27th May. This will also the Crazy Hair Day and the last day of this half term. We are very much looking forward to seeing your crazy hair styles.

After-School Club

We have been approached by a few parents asking if we would be willing to consider offering a breakfast club and potentially an after school club again.

We obviously have to make this cost effective for the school but we are willing to look into this again, especially breakfast club. St Michaels Nursery are also considering running their after school care again. Would you please email the school **asap** if you would be interested in your child attending either or both breakfast club or after school club and on what days?

We cannot promise it will go ahead but we are willing to explore the possibilities.

DIARY DATES:

Wednesday 9th June – Tempest Group photos Monday 5th July – New intake visit - 09:00 to 12:00 Friday 9th July – Sports Day. We are hoping that this will be an open event for parents to attend. We will update you nearer the time. Monday 12th July – New intake visit - 09:00 to 13:00 Monday19th July – New intake visit - 09:00 to 15:00 Thursday 22nd July – Y6. Leavers service – Tawstock village hall. 2 to 3pm.

Holywell is a NO NUT Zone.

<u>Summer Term</u> Last day of the Summer term will be Friday 23rd July Non-Pupil Day Friday 28th May Half term Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June inclusive

News from the PTA



We hope you enjoyed reading the PTA newsletter earlier in the week! Thank you for taking the time and your interest in supporting your child's school.

Volunteers needed for the Summer event!

We are planning this to happen on Tuesday 13th July after school. Could you lend a hand on the day in any way? We would love to hear from you! It could be anything from selling ice lollies to helping clear out at the end, all skills considered! We are having a planning meeting online on **Wednesday 26th May 7.30pm**, all welcome!

Zoom: Summer event planning meeting 26 May 2021 07:30 pm https://us04web.zoom.us/j/79040078868?pwd=dU4xUENiTmcrQSt5QzV4cDdrcVBSUT09 Meeting ID: 790 4007 8868 Passcode: zY3QgV

Plant sale postponed to Thursday 27th May due to adverse weather today

Crazy Hair Day Thursday 27th May (last day of term) £1 per child with wild hair, please wear normal school uniform.

Ice lolly sale

We will be selling ice lollies on **Thursday** next week, weather permitting. If you are happy for your children to buy them, please remember to bring some money. **Please dispose of the wrapper responsibly!** Use the bag provided or take it to a bin.

Summer Raffle

We are planning to host a raffle this summer and would be most grateful for any donations of prizes.

Online fundraising

Raise BIG donations for Holywell School when you switch your energy provider, insurance, broadband, mobile and more. Top retailers including Vodafone, Uswitch, EE and Moneysupermarket are offering donations when you switch to their services via #easyfundraising. Every donation makes a difference! Shop now: <u>http://efraising.org/hhu6nEs4I7</u>

 $\underline{https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friendsofholywellschool/?utm_campaign=raise-more \& utm_content=s-n4$

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Want to help make a difference while you shop in the Amazon app, at no extra cost to you? Simply follow the instructions below to select Friends of Holywell School, Tawstock as your charity and activate AmazonSmile in the app. Amazon will donate a portion of your eligible mobile app purchases to us.

How it works:

- 1. Open the Amazon app on your phone
- 2. Select the main menu (=) & tap on "AmazonSmile" within Programmes & Features
- 3. Select Friends Of Holywell School, Tawstock as your charity
- 4. Follow the on-screen instructions to activate AmazonSmile in the mobile app

Your School Lottery

This is a weekly draw and tickets are just £1! Tickets can be bought any time at <u>https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/holywell-church-of-england-primary-school</u> Good luck! Thank you very much to those winners who have donated their winnings, it is really appreciated!

Second hand uniform

If you need to buy or wish to donate pre-loved uniform, please contact Hazel on 07974208835.

Bag2School collection Monday 14th June 9am

Summer Fete Tuesday 13th July after school