

Notices

Class Lyn had great fun making bread today and doing lots of fun activities about The Great Fire of London.

Martial arts and dance clubs KS2 Places are still available, if your child is interested please contact the office.

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A Message from Mrs Denham

All KS2 children had a wonderful WOW day on Monday when they visited Woody Bay Station. They enjoyed their trip on the train and talk by a historian about WW2.

Class Lyn are looking forward to starting their swimming and gymnastic lessons which start on Tuesday 19th September.

Its been lovely to see the reception children settling in to school on their first full week.

Jeans for Genes We will be supporting this fund raising event, next Friday your child may wear **their jeans** to school for a donation of £1.00. Please wear school jumpers.

PTA AGM

The date of the AGM is on Friday 22nd September at 2pm in the school staff room. Please come all welcome.

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SPAM we have had reports from parents that there have been occasions when emails from school have been delivered to spam. To rectify this click on spam/junk box right click on the relevant email and mark not spam.

Water bottles Due to budget restraints we are unable to supply water bottles to KS2 children. Please supply your child with a named water bottle, these will need to be brought into school on a Monday and taken home on a Friday for cleaning.

NHS Flu Vaccinations all children in R and Year 1, 2, 3 and 4 have been given a pack regarding this year's flu immunisation. Please return the consent form by Friday 22nd September. Immunisation will take place in school on Thursday 12th October.

School Meals please can we remind parents to order their child's meal on a Monday. Free meals are provided to those children in Reception, and Year 1, 2. Payment for those children not receiving free school meals needs to be paid along with the order on Monday.

North Devon Schools Show Jumping League Once again Mrs Sanders has kindly offered to co-ordinate this event. If you would like to take part in the 2018 league October 2017—July 2018, please contact the school office.

Our P.T.A

Club 59

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Club 59 will recommence next week - Sat 23 Sep. If you would like a number, please let Melissa know. It's £1 per week. This term will run up until Sat 16 Dec, which will be £13.

All you have to do is pick your number between 1-59 (subject to availability!) if this matches the lotto bonus ball drawn that Saturday you win half of that weeks prize fund and the other half goes into the PTA fund. Thank you to you all for your continued support.

AGM

The date of the AGM has been changed to Friday 22nd September at 2pm in the school staff room.

Positions of Chair, Vice Chair, Secretary and Treasurer are up for re-election. If you are interested in becoming involved with the PTA please come along, we welcome everyone's input.

Bags2School

The date for the next collection of Bags2School will be Tuesday 17th October. This is a scheme where bags are sent home to fill with unwanted clothes, shoes etc. The filled bags are then weighed and monies are paid to the PTA. Bags will be sent home prior to the collection date.



World's biggest Coffee Morning - Let's change lives with every slice on 29th September in Bratton Village Hall from 9.30am onwards. Come along for a nibble and a natter everyone welcome.

PRE-SCHOOL

The Pre-School children have eased back into the routine and are really enjoying the new layout. Even though the weather has been extremely autumnal with heavy showers and high winds we have still managed to explore the outside play areas in our wellies and muddy puddles! The children have started to adorn our walls with their artwork so we are now looking brighter and more child friendly. So far we have welcomed 4 new children and their families to the setting, who have settled really well.

Pre-School is open between 8am and 5pm, Monday to Friday. We accept Early Years Funding where 3/4yr olds can access 15 hours of childcare a week. From September 2017, we are also offering the 30 hour free childcare entitlement where you can access an additional 15hrs funding a week. We are also an approved setting to accept 2 year old funding for 2yr olds. For further information or to arrange a visit, please contact us on 01598 710019.

BABY AND TODDLER GROUP

With the older children back to school, Toddlers this week seemed quiet, but with the musical instruments and lots of fun the 'little' ones soon made up for it!

We meet in the Village Hall between 9.30am and 11.30am every Wednesday and welcome babies and toddlers from birth to 5 years. Children can enjoy free play, story time, craft activities and sing-along. For further information, please contact Bratton Fleming Pre-School on 01598 710019

BRATTON FLEMING SPORTS CLUB

Bar meals available every Friday 5-9.30pm eat in or takeaway, also Happy Hour from 5-7pm!

This Saturday Witheridge v Haxton Rangers 2.30pm KO at Witheridge in the Devon Cup.

Future dates for your Diary: Saturday 23rd September playing live SUCH & VINCENT 9.30pm Everyone Welcome Saturday 21st October QUIZ NIGHT (further info to follow) Saturday 4th November Fireworks Night (further info to follow) Saturday 25th November playing live THE GARDEN CLUB New Years Eve - Live Band (further info to follow)

We have the following sports and facilities available: Football, Cricket, Pool, Skittles, Tennis, Table Tennis, Snooker and a function room available for hire. We are open Monday-Thursday 5.30pm-11pm Friday, Saturday and Sunday 5pm-11pm (Friday Happy Hour 5pm-7pm!!) Open earlier when sporting activities are on. Membership prices £15 per family (with a max 2 adults any number of under 16s) £7.50 per adult, £3 per junior (under 16s) Membership runs from 1st November each year. For further information pop into the club or call: <u>01598 710865</u> or Annie <u>07855878166</u>. Also find us on facebook.

KIDS FOOTBALL: (please check the 'Kids Football' facebook page for updates as we had to cancel last week due to heavy rainfall as the pitch is waterlogged and with the continuous rain seems very unlikely that we will be able to meet again this Monday!) Every Monday 6pm-7pm at Bratton Fleming Sports Club football pitch for ages 5-13yrs please wear shin pads! you can find us on facebook for further updates!

THE KABIN: (situated in the Sports Club car park) We hire out this wonderful space for children's birthday parties, band practice, village groups, all at very reasonable rates, for hire contact Annie on <u>07855878166</u> LIKE us on FA-CEBOOK (The Kabin)

Friday Klub - Youth Club open again Friday 22nd Sept 6pm-8pm for ages 7-15yrs at the Kabin, subs £1 Tuck Shop available. Also open on the following dates: Friday 6th Oct and Friday 13th Oct is Friday Family Fun Night 5pm-8pm BBQ, Bouncy Castle, Pillow Bash and lots of fun! FREE Admission, open to all families.

LEANNE FOSTER FITNESS TRAINER Ladies fitness and toning classes now running at the Kabin. Every Tuesday 7pm-7.45pm, Booking essential as spaces are limited and the classes have become extremely popular. 45 minute class £5 per class. Please contact Leanne on <u>07789995048</u>/01598710016 or email <u>leannefosterfitness@gmail.com</u>

LIFE DRAWING GROUP open every Thursday so pop along to The Kabin 7.30-9pm £6 a session (no obligation to attend every week) this is a self taught session you just turn up and draw. We are a friendly group of mixed ages and abilities, materials available if you would like to give Life Drawing a go. Further info contact Louise <u>07758077089</u>email: <u>brattonfleminglifedrawing@gmail.com</u>or join our Facebook (Bratton Fleming Life Drawing Group) www.brattonfleminglifedrawing.wordpress.com