



Pupil of the week:	<b>Jack</b> Coly Class	<b>Miles</b> Otter Class	<b>Nicola</b> Yarty Class	<b>Daisie</b> Axe Class
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Dear Parents

Another wonderful week at Kilmington Primary has passed, the weather is improving and the children are loving being able to go up to the cricket field at lunchtime. Please remember that although there is shade up at the field, the children do not like to play in the shade, so sunhats are an essential part of the summer uniform.

Yarty class have now finished their Forest School activities – they have had an absolutely wonderful time and the children have grown in confidence every week. Axe class have one more session next week, they have also benefitted tremendously from their visits. I would like to thank all the parents for their help in transporting the children to and from Monkton Wylde, it means that we can really maximise the benefits of the visits. Also thanks to the PTFA for purchasing the all-in-one suits for Axe class – they can have a great time in the stream without getting cold. Having visited a couple of times I can see that the stream is one of their favourite times and it great that they can access it whatever the weather

#### SANDALS

I gave been asked this week if children are allowed to wear sandals to school, I hadn't even thought about it before now!

Anyway, I do not have a problem with sandals in principle but the safety of the children is my first concern so, if your child does want to wear sandals to school, you must consider whether they are suitable for school use. Sandals with any sort of heel are clearly not suitable, or any sandals that are too 'open'. Even the oldest children still like to run around at playtime and we absolutely encourage them to do so. Sandals, if worn, must still be supportive and socks should still be worn, children should be able to run around freely in them. Absolutely nothing that resembles a flip-flop will be considered acceptable (for obvious reasons!)

#### MAYPOLE

This year's Maypole event will be held next Tuesday, 22<sup>nd</sup> May outside the village hall at 1.30pm. The PTFA will be selling cream teas throughout the event. We hope to see you all there!

#### GROW A POUND

The PTFA have been asked to hold a small market style event at the school for the children that would like to sell their Grow a pound produce.

The Market will be on Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 3.30, in School Lane. Some children will be playing netball and others will be at the sports academy at Colyton Grammar school. This is the only available date we have. Please bring along friends and family to have a look around our Market.

For all of those who have already raised their money outside of school please could we ask you to bring your money in on the same day. For those that haven't managed to grow their pound please return your pound to your teacher on Wednesday.

Well done to you all, we hope you have enjoyed this rather different fundraising event!

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**FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> MAY IS AN OCCASIONAL HOLIDAY  
SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED**

# School Diary Dates

Our forthcoming events and diary dates are on our website listed in the *School Diary* section.

Should your child be participating in a particular event or visit, then more specific details from your parent letter can be viewed online by clicking on the relevant event, this will then display the letter content.

[www.kilmingtonprimary.co.uk/school-diary/](http://www.kilmingtonprimary.co.uk/school-diary/)

<b>MAY</b>	
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Maypole & PTFA Cream Tea 1.30pm
Tues 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Y5/Y6 Quad Kids Athletics Final 4.00pm-6.00pm (team event) – Parents to transport
Wed 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Y6 PE Academy Workshop 1.30pm-3.30pm (selected pupils) – Parents to transport
Thurs 24 <sup>th</sup>	Axe class Forest School – PACKED LUNCH - Parents to transport
<b>Fri 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>OCCASIONAL DAY – SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
<b>Mon 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>BANK HOLIDAY – SCHOOL CLOSED</b>
<b>HALF TERM HOLIDAYS</b> <b>TUESDAY 29<sup>TH</sup> MAY – FRIDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> JUNE</b> <b>MONDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> JUNE – NON PUPIL DAY</b>	
<b>JUNE</b>	
<b>Mon 4<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>NON-PUPIL DAY – STAFF TRAINING DAY</b>
Tues 5 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/Y6 Rounders League East Devon Final (team event) – Parents to collect 6.00pm
Thurs 7 <sup>th</sup>	Axe Class Farm Visit – PACKED LUNCH
Fri 8 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Canoe Day – PACKED LUNCH – Parents to transport
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup>	Y4/Y5 High 5s Netball training (team event) – Parents to transport 4.00pm-5.15pm
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 – Axe Valley Academy Transition day (small schools)
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 – Axe Valley Academy Transition day
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/Y6 Aquathon Competition (team event) – Parents to transport
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/Y6 Move, Make, Motivate (selected pupils) – PACKED LUNCH
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup>	Y3/Y4 Quad Kids Athletics 4.00pm-6.00pm (team event) – Parents to transport
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup>	Y4/Y5 High 5s Netball training (team event) – Parents to transport 4.00pm-5.15pm
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 – The Woodroffe School Taster Day
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Junior Life Skills – PACKED LUNCH – Parents to collect 3.15pm
Tues 26 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 – Colyton Grammar School Transition Day
<b>JULY</b>	
Wed 4 <sup>th</sup>	Y5 Play Leader Training – PACKED LUNCH
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/Y6 Sports Festival – PACKED LUNCH
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 PE Academy Activities Day (selected pupils) – PACKED LUNCH / Parents to transport
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup>	(Reserve Sports Day)
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup>	Y5/Y6 Federation Sports Day (team event)
Fri 13 <sup>th</sup>	End of Year Reports
<b>Mon 16<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>PTFA Whole School Trip</b>
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Leavers Assembly
Tues 24 <sup>th</sup>	Y6 Leavers Tea Party (by invite)
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup>	Axe class – Day out
<b>Fri 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Last day of Term – 1.30pm finish</b>