



Clyst Hydon Primary School

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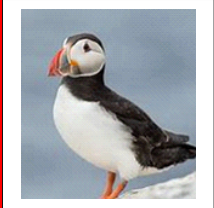
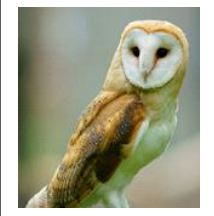
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Forthcoming Activities and other Information

w/c 21.3.22 Menu week 3

w/c 28.3.22 Menu week 1

w/c 4.4.22 Menu week 2



Breakfast Club 8 – 8:50am
Monday – Friday

Mondays
Library Club – with parents
3:30pm – 4:00pm

There are no other After
School Clubs at present

Friday 18th March
Red Nose Day
(Comic Relief)

Sunday 20th March 9:30am
Palm Sunday Donkey
Procession starts at
Lychgate

Wednesday 6th April
2:15pm Easter Service at
the Church, followed by
refreshments at School.

Friday 8th April
End of Spring Term

Monday 25th April
Staff Training

Tuesday 26th April
Start of Summer Term

Wednesday 18th May
School Health Team
Height and Weight checks
(Reception and Y6)

Newsletter 4th March 2022

'Love Learning, Love Life!'

Confidence and Courage Creativity Compassion Connections Curiosity Communication

CONGRATULATIONS

The winners of our **COMMUNICATION** certificates this week are:

Hettie and Rose who have demonstrated amazing use of the English language throughout the week.

GOLD

Well done to Polly, Evelyn, Henry, Aurora and Oscar who have achieved their GOLD awards this week.

Dear Parents and Friends of Clyst Hydon School

Finally, the sun is out, it is feeling warmer, and Spring really does look like it has arrived. The village is looking beautiful, with all the flowers, new leaves and blossom, and on our nature walk today we used paint colour charts to see how many different sorts of greens are on display at the moment....a lot!

Thank you to those parents who used some of their own time at the weekend to cut back some of our slightly overgrown greenery ready for new growth. We really appreciate it. Thank you also to Annabelle and Arthur's family who have bought 2 more RSPB birds for our nature display shelves in the entrance hall – a gold finch and a chaffinch. We have a lovely collection of birds now, and hope to add to these over coming months. Mrs Rensburg is currently creating a 'tree' to hang them on – watch this space!

We are hoping to resume some after school clubs after Easter and we would like to see what need there is amongst our parents and if there is something in particular you would like to see going on as an after school club. Please fill out the survey that is being sent out with this newsletter and send back/email back to school by next Friday. Thank you.

The library re-fit is going well. We have packed up all the books and resources in there and the walls are now almost ready for painting. If anyone has time to pop into school for an hour or so to help with some washing down of walls, or painting then we would love to see you – many hands make light work! Please ask in the morning what needs to be done. We are still seeking some white paint if anyone can source some cheaply...or for free would be even better! Again, please chat to us to see what is needed. We really want to get our library up and running ready for next term so any help at all that you can give would be really gratefully received.

Related to this, on Friday 1st April we would like to invite you into school at 2.45 – 3.30 p.m. for our next Parent Forum. This will be all about reading and what we are going to be doing to promote, encourage and support reading in our school community, in conjunction with the new library. More details to follow but please come along if you are free at that time.

Joanna Rousseau
Head of School

Recommended books



In a world built for Perfect Pets, Barnabus is a Failed Project, half mouse, half elephant, kept out of sight until his dreams of freedom lead him and his misfit friends on a perilous adventure. A stunning picture book from International best sellers The Fan Brothers, joined by their brother Devin Fan.

Deep underground beneath **Perfect Pets**, where children buy genetically engineered “perfect” creatures, there is a **secret lab**. Barnabus and his friends live in this lab, **but none of them are perfect**.

They are all Failed Projects. Barnabus has never been outside his tiny bell jar, yet he dreams of one day seeing the world above ground that his pal Pip the cockroach has told him about: a world with green hills and trees, and buildings that reach all the way to the sky, lit with their own stars.

But Barnabus may have to reach the outside world sooner than he thought, because the **Green Rubber Suits are about to recycle all Failed Projects** . . . and Barnabus doesn't want to be made into a fluffier pet with bigger eyes. **He just wants to be himself**. So he decides it's time for he and the others to **escape**. With his little trunk and a lot of cooperation and courage, Barnabus sets out to find freedom – and a place where he and his friends can finally be accepted for who they are.

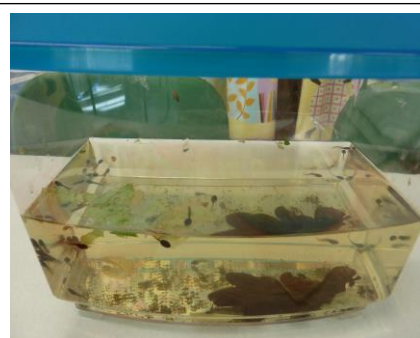


When Joe tells a local news reporter exactly what he would do if he were leader of the country, the video goes viral and Joe's speech becomes famous all over the world!

Before long, people are calling for the current leader to resign and give someone else a go . . . and that's how an ordinary boy like Joe ended up with the most extraordinary job. Now the fun can really start . . .

Hats for cats! Pet pigs for all! Banana shaped buses! Swimming pools on trains!

A hilarious story of one boy's meteoric rise to power!



Our tadpoles are gradually changing into little froglets.

Would you be able to help out with transporting children to and from events and activities? We are looking for a few willing parents to help reduce the costs of taking the children to offsite experiences. If you think you may be able to help, please see Mrs Stevens for the relevant forms; we would need to see your insurance, driving license and your car details, we would also need to complete an enhanced DBS check as part of our health, safety and safeguarding procedures. Thank you.

Attached to this newsletter is the Snippets brochure. This is put together by Children and family Health Devon and is full of really useful information, including access to free training for parents.

Safeguarding and Child Protection is extremely important to us. Supporting children and young people exposed to Domestic Abuse.

We are an Operation Encompass School. Occasionally we may need to make a referral to CYPS or other external agencies.

After school clubs

Child name _____

I would use an after-school club for my child if it was running on these days:

Monday	
Tuesday	
Wednesday	
Thursday	
Friday	

(please tick)

I would like to see the school running clubs such as:

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Hettie’s Dad is an experienced tennis coach and has very kindly offered to run a tennis club in the summer term on Tuesdays from 3:30pm – 4:30pm.

I would like my child to take part in this club Yes/No

Please email or send this form back to school by Friday 25th March. Thank you.

EASTER ACTIVITIES FOR THE FAMILY

EASTER HOLIDAYS   **TIVERTON MUSEUM**
of Mid Devon Life

SPRING CELEBRATION

9th to 23rd April

SPECIAL FAMILY TRAIL
AROUND THE MUSEUM.
Entry as part of normal
admission.

Crafty Tuesdays

Origami and natural collage.
£3 per child with paying
adult. Drop-in.

12th & 19th April



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