Friday 27th June 2025





Upcoming Events

THE CAREY FEDERATION

Ashwater Primary School

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Newsletter No.21 Summer Term

Dear Families,

Year 6 children have had a taste of College life on their transition days this week. It's always a little nerve racking but also exciting and we are very proud of them for being resilient.

The children have received their leavers' hoodies and are enjoying wearing them to school. Thank you to the PTFA for gifting these.

It's a busy time of trips and visits. Class 2 have an upcoming Beach Festival and trip to Okehampton (a letter will be sent home next week), Reception, Year 1 and 2 are heading to Newquay Zoo and Year 5 and 6 are looking forward to their trip to London next week. A copy of the PowerPoint from our trip meeting a few weeks ago is being sent home today via email, along with a letter with some points to note. I am sure the children will thoroughly enjoy the trip.

Rob Pudner - Drama Masterclass

To support the Year 6 children and all of Class 2 in preparing for their Leavers' Show, Rob Pudner will be in on Monday to give the children a drama masterclass. Thank you to PTFA / Friends for paying for this opportunity.

Staff News

Madame Clark, who has taught French in the Federation for 16 years retired this week. Her enthusiasm and sense of humour will be greatly missed. We thank Alison for her many years of dedicated service, not only as French teacher but also as a governor. I am sure you will join me in wishing her a very happy retirement.

Class 2 Beach Festival – Monday 7th July

Class 2 will be joining other schools at Summerleaze Beach in Bude for a Beach Festival with lots of beach games and fun. A letter has been sent out this week.

Class 2 Halwill Sports Day invitation – Tuesday 8th July

Class 2 have been invited to compete at Halwill Sports Day. A letter has been sent home regarding this, this is optional.

June 30

Rob Pudner – Class 2

July 2

2nd - 3rd July London Trip Y5/Y6 After School Club – Cricket YR-Y6

July 7

Beach Festival Trip - Class 2

July 8

Halwill Sports Day – Class 2 invited

July 9

Sports Day 1.30pm

July 10

Okehampton Trip - Class 2

July 15

Newquay Zoo Trip - Year R,1&2

July 17

Open Evening, Summer Concert & Y6 Leavers' Show 3:30 – 5:15 pm

July 18

Scribbleton - Pre-School trip

July 23

End of Term

School Lunches – please book by Sunday for the following week

Term Dates 2025 -2026

https://www.thecareyfederation.co.u k/ashwater-primaryschool/parents/term-dates/

Sports Day – Wednesday 9th July

All families and the wider community are invited to watch Sports Day on the 9^{th} July. Please come along for 1.30pm.

Class 2 Okehampton Trip – Thursday 10th July

Class 2, along with Class 3 Halwill, will be going on a trip to Okehampton to study the river, which they have been learning about in class. They will walk along the river in Simmons Park. A letter will be sent home next week.

YR,1&2 Newquay Zoo Trip – Tuesday 15th July

This year, KS1 have the exciting opportunity of a class trip to Newquay Zoo, which ties in with their curriculum work. A letter has gone home this week.

Open Eveing and Summer Concert - Thursday 17th July

The Open Evening is from 3:30 – 4:15 and is an opportunity to view you child's work, meet your child's new teacher, if they are moving class, and say goodbye to their previous teacher.

The Summer Concert is at 4.15 and showcases children who are learning instruments. This will be followed by the Year 6 Leavers' Show, in which all Class 2 will be involved. All parents are invited to this.

Pre-School Scribbleton - Friday 18th July

Pre-School will be visiting Scribbleton near Winkleigh. A letter will be sent out early next week regarding this with more information and travel arrangements.

Swimming

The children are swimming at Ruby Oak. The remaining dates for YR,1&2 are 3^{rd} , 10^{th} and 17^{th} July.

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Useful Links

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Safeguarding: If you have any concerns about a child, please speak to one of the safeguarding team or email safeguarding@halwill.devon.sch.uk

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Miss Hayley Frayn

Mrs Rosie Cawsey

Attendance Officer

Mrs Ceren Brooker

If you have concerns that your child may have a Special Educational Need, please raise this with Mrs Caswey, the Federation SENDCO. You can contact her via the school office to arrange a meeting