

# The Newsletter for Whimple Primary School

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## Football Focus

On a sunny Wednesday afternoon this week, we took two teams to Clyst Vale Community College to play football against other schools from our learning community. We knew these would be tough games as last year we didn't manage to win any games or score any goals! Mr Wakefield's team played five games and managed to win one, scoring three goals in the process. Mr Brown's team played four games, won two and drew two scoring a whopping 10 goals. Well done to Charlie, Joshua, Isabella, Donnie, Bill, Thomas M, Freddie, Henry, Hayden, Olivia, Sylvia, Daniel, Ben C, and Adam for playing some excellent passing football!



#### Swimming Success

As you may know, children in school like to share their achievements from outside of school and a great example of this was from Jemima this week. She asked if she could share her swimming medals from recent competitions... they just kept on coming! We even had to enlist some help to hold them all for the photo! A big well done to Jemima for all of her success, most notably winning two 'Swimmer of the Month' awards.

#### Keeping Healthy

As the term gets busier and there are many more events to fit into our weeks, looking after ourselves physically and mentally is really important. Here are some ways that can help us to keep happy and healthy each day. See how many of them you think you manage to fit in to your day? Can you fit in anymore?



#### Raising Money For Charity

A couple of weeks ago Evie Povey decide to do a big thing for charity. She decided to donate her hair to cancer. Evie had ten inches cut off to give to the Little Princess Trust. Her hair is going to be used to make wigs for people who unfortunately lose their hair during their cancer

treatment.

## All Stars Cricket

• All Stars Cricket is new initiative from England and Wales Cricket Board aimed at providing children aged 5 to 8 with a great first experience in cricket.

#### Programme features:

- For all boys and girls aged five to eight
- Delivered nationwide at over 2,000 centres
- Eight one-hour sessions, held over eight weeks
- Emphasis on having fun and being active
- Focus on developing your child's movement skills
- Great first introduction to cricket
- Safe and fully accredited
- Valuable time with your children—mums and dads are encouraged to
- Easy online registration

Every child that registers will receive a backpack full of goodies, including a cricket bat, ball, activity book, personalised shirt and cap all sent straight to your door. If you are returning in 2018, please see the image below for the new kit!

Sessions start May in 2018 so register early to ensure that you book your place for a

Summer of Big Moments.



Is your child interested in cricket? Sign up now!

Whimple CC are hosting All Stars coaching sessions for children aged 5-8 (although this can be flexible!). All children who sign up will receive 8 sessions of bespoke coaching as well as a personalised t-shirt, backpack, bat, ball and drinks bottle.

For more information, visit allstarscricket.co.uk

# Dates for your diary

Wednesday 9th May Fun Run at Clyst Vale Community College for KS2.

Monday 14th May Key Stage 2 SATs week

Monday 28th May - Friday 1st June Half-term

Monday 4th June Non-Pupil Day

Tuesday 5th June First day of half-term

Friday 8th June Sports Day

Monday 11th June Phonics Screening Week (Year 1)

Tuesday 12th June Beech Class trip to Killerton

Saturday 23rd June Summer Fair

More dates will be added. Whilst we try and give as much notice as possible we occasionally get last minute opportunities which are too good to miss!

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