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NEXT WEEK'S DINNER MENU – WEEK 3

Attendance figures for week ending Friday 31st January are as follows:

Year R 100%	Year 1 100%	Year 2 100%	Year 3 95%
Year 4 100%	Year 5 98.6%	Year 6 100%	99.6%

Well done to Years R, 1, 2, 4 and 6 for 100% attendance

Whole school attendance this academic year: 95.5%

GOOD WORK ASSEMBLY – FRIDAY 14TH FEB 9AM

Next Friday 14th February at 9am there will be a good work assembly. Come along and celebrate your child's achievements with us.

BAG 2 SCHOOL

Thank you to everyone who helped to pack a bag for Bag 2 School. The Friends raised £104.

DISCO

Thank you to everyone who attended, helped and cleared up at the Disco last week. The Friends raised a fantastic £130.53.

RAINBOW READING CHALLENGE

The school introduced a Rainbow Reading Challenge on Monday 3rd February. The children will earn rewards for the amount of times that they read with an adult at home. Please find the time to read with your children.

CARNIVAL CRAFTS AT DARTMOUTH LIBRARY

On Tuesday 18th February, 10-11.30am, the Library will be running Carnival Crafts. They will be making Venetian masks, Russian Dolls, Brazilian rain sticks and snake rings. There will also be a snow ball (which is a Russian winter doll game) and a 'carnival around the world' treasure hunt. The cost is £1 per child to cover all the feathers and sequins. Please drop in and enjoy the event.

COMMUNITY HUB @ THE HALL

The Community Hub is back at Townstal Community Hall every Friday from 11am to 3pm until 27th March (including school holidays). There will be tea, coffee, hot meals and warm welcomes. There will also be the use of laptops and a phone and support for access to services, form filling, information and a community swap shop.

SCHOOL SHOES

If your child has outgrown their school shoes and they are still of good quality, then please could you consider donating them to school. Thank you.

CLASS 1 READERS

If anyone has any spare time to hear Class 1 read then please could you let Mrs McClounnan or Mrs Lang know. Thank you.

FRIENDS MEETING

Our next Friends meeting will be on Friday 14th February at 2pm in the staff room. If you are interested in joining the Friends of St Johns then please do come along. This meeting will be concentrating on the Easter Bazaar and future fundraising ideas for new reading books.

FUNDRAISING CREATIONS

Every child will be receiving a Fundraising template and order form today. All information is on the forms. Could all templates and orders be handed into the office with payment on Tuesday 25th February please.

ST JOHN'S FACEBOOK PAGE

The Friends have a St John's Facebook page for last minute reminders and information. Please join the group at 'St Johns School Dartmouth'.

MUSIC CLASSES

There is an opportunity of a peripatetic music teacher if there is enough interest. They will offer guitar or ukulele lessons for Years 3 and upwards. Individual guitar lessons will cost £9.50 for 20 minutes or £9.50 each for 2 children for 30 minutes. The ukulele lessons will cost £4.00 and can be run as a lunchtime club. The children would need to bring in their own instrument but there are a limited number of ukuleles available. Please see Mrs Brown for more information.

THE GIVING MACHINE

Please don't forget to use the 'giving machine' website when shopping, simply go to the site at www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk and choose our school before you shop. Thousands of shops take part from Amazon, Argos and Asda etc. to Zooplus, Zavvi and Zest. Every time you shop the retailer makes a donation to your chosen cause.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Fri 14 th Feb	Good Work Assembly 9am
Fri 14 th Feb	Friends meeting 2pm
Mon 17 th Feb to Fri 21 st Feb	Half term
Tues 18 th Feb	Carnival Crafts at the Library 10-11.30am
Mon 24 th Feb	Non-Pupil Day