## The Beacon

Academic Year 2021/22

Issue No: 26

Date 1st April 2022

#### Hello from Mrs Hunter

This week I talked with the children about change. We talked about a change of winter to spring (and back!), of caterpillars to butterflies and of players on the football pitch. We then talked about why change can be good: a fresh start, learning something new, getting a new perspective or getting new energy levels. I then explained that we are going to have a change here and explained my new job. I likened it to moving from the manager of a football club where they see me all the time to becoming the Director of Football. I am still involved in the club but they won't see me so often.

I have never had a career plan. Instead I have loved each job I have been lucky enough to have and thrown myself into it until such time that I think perhaps it might be time to consider something new. Until a couple of weeks ago I was still making plans for Montpelier for September and thinking about what I wanted us to achieve in the new school year. But then out of the blue, I had the opportunity to apply for the brand-new position of Assistant Director of Education within our trust. This will involve working alongside the Director of Primary to lead school improve across our ten (and growing) schools. I had thought that I might have been able to do this on a part time basis alongside my Montpelier headship but was asked to take this post on full time from September. It is an incredible opportunity and I am very honoured to have been asked. While it is going to be so hard to finish my final headship in our wonderful school, I am so glad that I will start be part of Montpelier as I will be working with everyone still in my new role. In the meantime, we have months left together yet and I will make sure that they are positive ones.

Thank you for your unending support. My headteacher colleagues in other schools are always envious when I talk of your positivity, patience and understanding.

Happy weekend. Mrs Hunter ©

#### School Term Dates for 2021/2022

Mon 11th - Fri 22nd Apr Inc. - Easter holidays

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> May - Bank holiday

Mon 30th May - Mon 6th June Inc. - Half term

Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> June - Queen's Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday

Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> June - Queen's Platinum Jubilee Bank Holiday

Fri 1st July - Non-pupil day

25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> July - non-pupil days

27th July - start of the summer holidays

#### School Term Dates for 2022/2023

Mon 5th Sept 2022 - Non-pupil day

Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Sept − First day of term

Mon 24th - Fri 28th Oct Inc. - Half term

Mon 19th Dec 2022 - 1st Jan 2023 - Christmas Holidays

Mon 2<sup>™</sup> Jan 2023 – Bank Holiday

Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> Jan - Non-pupil day

Wed 4<sup>th</sup> Jan − First day of term

Mon 13th to Fri 17th Feb Inc. - Half term

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> to Fri 14th Apr Inc. – Easter holidays

Mon 1st May – Bank holiday

Mon 29<sup>th</sup> May – Bank holiday

Tues 30th May - Fri 2nd June Inc. - Half term

Fri 30<sup>th</sup> June – Non-pupil day

Fri 21st July - last day of term

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# EASTER HALF TERM ROAD SHOWS

PLYMOUTH 2022 | APRIL

## MANADON SPORTS & COMMUNITY HUB

PL STARS 11th
STRIKERS & GOALKEEPERS 12th, 19th, 22nd
MULTI-SPORTS 13th, 20th
FOOTBALL 13th, 20th
MINI-KICKERS 13th, 20th
PDC TRAINING DAY 13th, 21st
GIRLS ONLY 19th, 22nd

## IVYBRIDGE COMMUNITY

STRIKERS & GOALKEEPERS 11th GIRLS ONLY 11th, 14th, 22nd FOOTBALL 14th, 22nd

### HOOE PRIMARY

FOOTBALL 11th, 12th, 14th, 19th, 21st, 22nd MULTI-SPORTS 13th, 20th

#### PLYMPTON ACADEMY

FOOTBALL 12th, 19th STRIKERS & GOALKEEPERS 14th, 21st

#### **WEMBURY PRIMARY**

MULTI-SPORTS 12th, 19th GYMNASTIC DAY 13th, 20th

#### **NEWTON FERRERS**

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MULTI-SPORTS 20th

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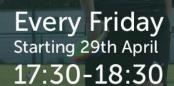
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10-13 yrs old



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