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Dear Parents and Carers,

### **Goodbye**

Today we said goodbye and good luck to our wonderful Year Six children: Dylan Fenton, Olive Gibbon, Levi Gregory, Alfie Huish, Connor Ireland, Ellie-May Ireland, Saffron Lord, Alana Manley, Heidi Manning, William McKinnon, Hayley Melvin, Verity Moulton, Finn Phillips, Robbie Rochfort, Ellee Rowe, Flo Towner, Freddie van Rossem-Boyd, Maya Whittlely and Sophie Wrenn. They are off to Pilton Community College, Park School, South Molton Community College and Shebbear College; their future schools are very fortunate to have them.

We also said goodbye and thank you to Miss Peddle, Mrs Gibbon, Miss Bailey, Miss Jess Harvey and Mrs Laura Manley. Mrs Gibbon will be spending most of her time at Ilfracombe within our Federation and Miss Peddle will be coming back for two weeks at the beginning of term to work alongside Mrs Prowse before she moves to Essex.

### **Years Four, Five and Six Performance of 'Romeo and Juliet'**

Thank you for coming to support the children. They gave an amazing performance and we are all very proud of them. Well done!



## **Whole School Topic Overview**

Class One - Will you read me a story?

Class Two - Heroes and Villains

Class Three - The Victorians

Class Four - Wild Explorers

## **Annual Governors Report 2016/17**

Please find attached a copy of the Annual Governors Report.

## **Term Dates**

Please find attached a copy of the 2017-2018 term dates. The first day back for the children is Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September.

## **After School Clubs**

Please note that after school clubs will commence on the first week of term on Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> September. Please see the attached permission slip for a list of the clubs and complete and return it on the first day of term if you would like your child to attend an after school club(s).

## **PFTA News**

Thank you to all of you that attended the Goodleigh Fun Day, the sweet jars tombola was very popular and raised an amazing £68.50 for the PFTA. There were many fun activities including the water slide for the children to take part in. A very big thank you to Finn and his family for running a crepe stall and raising funds too.

We were really pleased to hold the school's first summer fayre last Friday afternoon after school, the event was well supported and all the children really enjoyed it. Thank you to all the parents and the Year Six's that helped us run the stalls. We raised £215.65.

The raffles at the summer plays were held with some great prizes up for grabs, your generous contributions raised another £203.32 for the PFTA funds.

Lastly we would like to take this opportunity to say a massive thank you to all parents, friends, teachers and carers that have supported the PFTA events over the last school year. Your generosity has allowed the PFTA to donate £750.00 to our Forest School and £750.00 towards the school's transport costs.

## **Road Safety**

A polite reminder to all to ensure that you consider the safety of all road users at all times when driving and parking on the roads around Goodleigh. The Village Hall kindly allows us to use their car park before and after school and we recommend that you primarily park here if you intend to stay for a while either before or after school.

## **School Email Address**

We have a new school email address: [admingoodleigh@goodilf.org.uk](mailto:admingoodleigh@goodilf.org.uk). If you would like to receive an emailed copy of the newsletter each week please email us to let us know.

On behalf of all of the staff we wish you all a very relaxed and enjoyable holiday.  
We look forward to seeing you in September.

Kind regards,

Claire Grant      and      Kate Grant  
Headteacher      Head of Teaching and Learning

### Diary Dates

Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> September	First day of term
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	- Class 4, Wild Night Out, usual time on Friday morning,
Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup> September	collect Saturday at 10.00am
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> September	Year 4, Coldharbour Mill - Victorian Drama
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> September	Hannah Woolacott, Guitar Concert, St Gregory's Church
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Years 2 & 5, Fire Safety Talks with Bideford Fire Station
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 6, Annual Primary School Sports Festival, West Buckland School
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> October	Appledore Book Festival, Barnstaple Library Theatre Alibi Performance 'Apple John', Village Hall
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	Non-Pupil Day
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> - Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>	Half term
October	
Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> October	Back to school

## After School Clubs Permission Slip

Please complete and return to the office on the first day of term

Name of child / children	When	Activity	For
	Monday 3.30-4.30	Multiskills with Sam Beck	Years 1-2
	Monday 3.30-4.30	Willowbank Activities with Mr Delahunt	Years 3-6
	Tuesday 3.30-4.30	Gardening club with Mrs Zeale, Becki and Mr Delahunt	Years 1-6
	Wednesday 3.30-4.30	Willowbank Activities with Mr Delahunt	Years 1-2
	Wednesday 3.30-4.30	Digital Photography with Mr Morris	Years 2-3
	Wednesday 3.30-4.30	Football with Sam Beck	Years 3-6
	Thursday 3.30-4.30	Stay and Play with Lou Meddemmen	Years 1-2
	Thursday 3.30-4.30	Netball club with Mrs Sampson and Mr Delahunt	Years 3-6
	Thursday 3.30-4.30	Chess club with Mr Graeme Lester	Years 3-6

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GOODLEIGH UNITED CHURCH  
**SUPERHEROES HOLIDAY CLUB!**

Dear Parents / Carers,

Goodleigh United Church are excited to announce that we are running a **Holiday Club** for children in years 2 to 6 on **Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> and Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August in the Village Hall** with an optional junior led family service in the Church on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> August at 10:30. Your child can attend any or all of these dates. The club is open to children from the village and the school, is **free of charge** and will run **from 10:00 till 3:00**. Activities, based on the theme Superheroes, will include arts and craft, music, drama, bible stories, puppets and fun indoor and outdoor games. Your child will need to come in old clothes that can get mucky, they will need a packed lunch and a drink, a waterproof coat and a hat and sunscreen if it is hot. Additional snacks and drinks will be provided. We will be based in the Village Hall and also on the Willowbank. You will need to drop off and pick up your child at the start and end of each day from the Village Hall or, for older children, provide written permission to make their own way home.

Please fill out and return the permission slip below to secure a place, indicating the dates your child would like to attend and return to Kate Gibbon by leaving your slip in an envelope in the church porch. **Alternatively, you can fill out a slip on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> in the morning** (although it would be helpful to know numbers in advance). We will need written parental consent and your contact details in order for them to attend.

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**Goodleigh United Church Holiday club Parental Permission**

I would like my child to attend (please tick)

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> August

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August

I give permission for my child ..... age ..... to attend the Superheroes holiday club on the above dates at the Village Hall and the Willowbank. I give permission for basic first aid to be administered should the need arise.

Please provide any medical information including allergies below:

Contact daytime telephone number:

Parent / Carer name:

Signature:

(If there is anything else you feel we should know, please continue on the back)

## Children's BFG workshops



### ◀ Bideford Heritage Day

July 15 **FREE**  
For chldiers of all ages, The Burton's Crafty Kids tutor Nicole Hickin will be in Victoria Park offering sessions to make wonderful, phizzwizardly BFG dream jar suitcases!



### ◀ Make Bottled Dreams

August 3, 9am-4pm **£18 + £4 materials**  
A fun day in the BFG Lab, experimenting with layered liquids and glittery bubbles; design and test Whizzpopper Rockets and make Snozzcumber juice!



### ◀ Create your own bookmark

August 10, 9am-4pm **£18 + £4 materials**  
Whiffle around the exhibition to inspire drawing, figgler painting, sticking and jabbeling. Favourite characters will be crafted onto giant, humplehammer-sized bookmarks.



### ◀ Crafty rumpedumpus

August 11, 9am-12pm **£5**  
Join Crafty Kids tutor, Nicole Hickin, for some messy BFG art 'n' craft fun!



### ◀ The Twits wormy spaghetti craftyness

August 16, 9am-12pm **£5**  
The Burton's Crafty Kids tutor, Nicole Hickin, leads some tangly, Twits crafty fun!



### ◀ Dirty beasts rhymes and illustrations

August 18, 9am-4pm **£18 + £2 materials**  
This workshop takes Roald Dahl's poems to inspire children to create bold, BFG scaffolds full of beastly beautifulness. Led by Nicole Hickin, children will create a towering, majester-mixture of rhymes, art and illustrations!



### ◀ Revolting rhymes and illustrations

August 25, 10am-4pm **£18 + £2**  
This workshop takes Roald Dahl's disgusting re-imaginings of well-known fairytales to inspire BFG-themed revoltingness. Each child will create a scuddling, swigpill of poems, art and paintings!

### ▶ The super-powered senses workshop with children's author, Jennifer Killick

August 26, 9am-12pm **£5**  
As part of the Summer Reading Challenge, and in partnership with Bideford Library, this workshop uses *The BFG* and *Alex Sparrow and the Really Big Stink* as a springboard. Children will create characters with super-powered senses!



### ▲ Outdoor cinema event

September 2, Gates open 6.30pm, Film starts at 7.45pm in Victoria Park, Bideford (next to The Burton)  
**Tickets adults £8, children £5 (On the gate ticket prices: adults £10, children £8)**

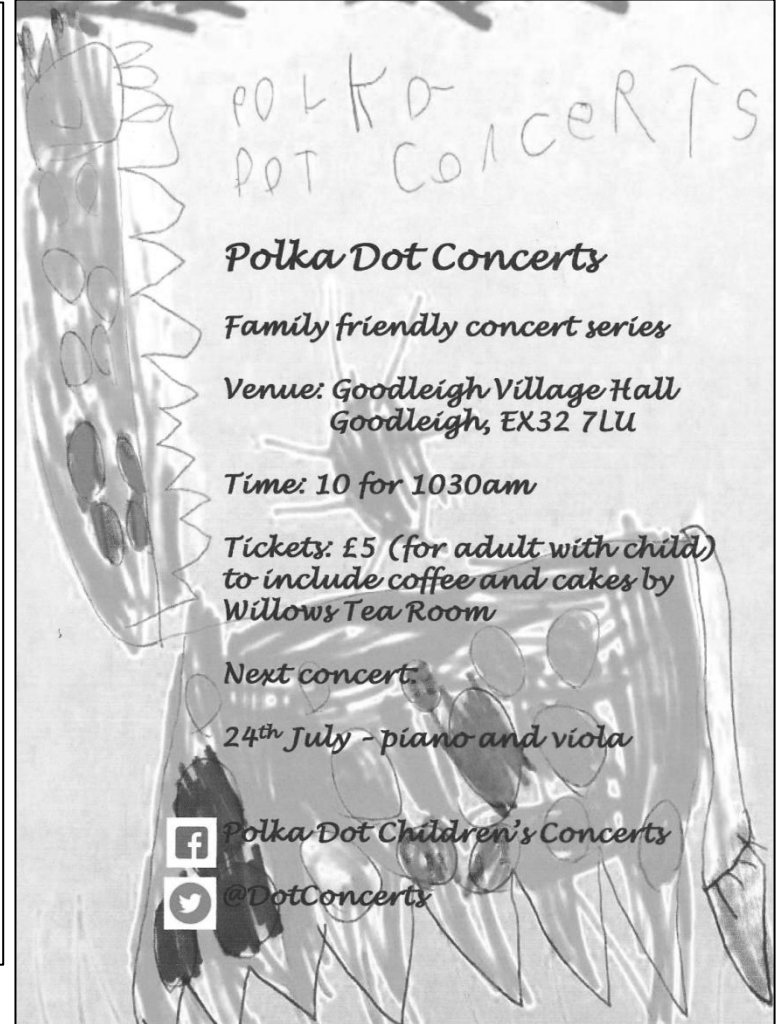
Join us for a special outdoor cinema event: showing the original animated BFG film, from 1982. Bring your picnics, blankets, camping and deckchairs, warm clothing and - if you like - wear some BFG-themed costumes too!

## ROALD DAHL DAY ▶

### ▲ BFG Storytelling session

September 13, 11am **FREE**

On national Roald Dahl Day, bring your little 'uns along to a cosy, fun storytelling session run by lovely Bideford librarian, Annie. All human bean parents and chldiers welcome!



## Children's events



### ▲ Crafty kids at The Burton

Every Monday, 10am-12pm  
**£1 donation per child**

If you are the parent of a little mischief-maker, then come along to our special Monday workshop sessions for pre-school children and their parents.



### ▲ Young Friends

(Art Group for ages 7-11)  
Last Saturday of every month (except August & December), 10am-12pm  
**£1 donation to cover cost of materials**

Creative art and craft workshops, led by community artist Nicole Hickin, for slightly older children. These sessions are often inspired by the exhibitions or objects in the museum.



**All materials are provided**



### ▲ Fab Lab

October half term (for ages 8-12)

A blast of techno fun for children.  
Book as many sessions as you like.  
Children can be left unaccompanied.

See our website for more details or visit:  
[www.fablabdevon.org](http://www.fablabdevon.org)

- 3D design, scanning and 3D printing. October 26 12.30-2pm and 3-4.30pm **£12**
- 2D design, vinyl cutting and t-shirt making. 9-11am, October 27 **£15**
- 2D design, laser cutting and clock making. 12.30-2.30pm, October 27 **£15**
- 3D design, scanning and 3D printing. 3.30-5pm, October 27 **£12**
- 2D design, dye sublimation and vinyl cutting designs for personalised bags and pencil cases. 9-11am, October 28 **£15**
- 2D design, laser cutting and clock making. 12.30-2.30pm, October 28 **£15**
- 3D design, scanning and 3D printing. 3.30-5pm, October 28 **£12**



# BEACHVOLLEYBALLSCHOOL

## ALL LEVELS WELCOME!

Try out beach volleyball.  
Professional coaches.  
Classes available daily.  
Please call to book.

Time: 9:30 - 11:30 am  
2:00 - 4:00 pm  
Venue: Croyde  
Price: £ 10 per session



### BOOKING ESSENTIAL

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