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NEXT WEEK'S DINNER MENU: WEEK 2

Attendance figures for week ending Friday 21st September are as follows:

Year R 100%	Year 1 90.7%	Year 2 100%	Year 3 98.5%
Year 4 100%	Year 5 94.3%	Year 6 100%	97.5%

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

Whole school attendance this academic year: 98.2%

DINNER MENU SWAP FOR NEXT THURSDAY AND FRIDAY

Next Thursday 4th October will be Fish and Chips or Cheese & Tomato Pizza and Chips (normally Friday's option)

Friday 5th October will be Southern Style Chicken Goujons or Quorn Dippers, Sauted Potatoes, Tomato & Cucumber Chunks (normally Thursday's option).

CHILDREN'S SAFETY

Please ensure you reduce your speed when entering or leaving the car park as children and adults may be crossing unseen.

BAG2SCHOOL

A big thank you to everyone for bringing in their Bag2School, £72 was raised for the Friends.

YOGA

Yoga will be back next Friday 5th October as usual.

YEAR 6 – SECONDARY SCHOOL ADMISSION

Don't forget to apply for your child's secondary school place by Wednesday 31st October. You can do this online at www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline or by calling 0345 155 1019 to request a hard copy of the form..

HARVEST SERVICE - THURSDAY 11th OCTOBER

Our Harvest Service will be held at 10am on Thursday 11th October at school. We hope you can join us. As usual, donations of cans, packets, fresh produce etc. will be welcome. This will be sold after the service and any remaining items will be taken to the foodbank. The money raised from this event will go to CAFOD.

PARENTS EVENING 29th/ 30th OCTOBER

Parents evening will be on Monday 29th and Tuesday 30th October. This will give you an opportunity to see your child's teacher and discuss how your child has settled in. If you have any queries before this then please see your child's teacher.

PLYMOUTH CAST

Plymouth CAST (the academy of 35 schools that St Johns is a part of) has asked us to consult with parents about our values and vision. There will be a meeting on Friday 5th October at 1.30pm should you wish to share your views.

HARVEST DISCO

The Friends are running a Harvest Disco on Friday 12th October, 3:30-5:30pm. The cost is £2 per child and this includes unlimited drinks, a packet of crisps and a glow stick. There will be sweets available to purchase, prices range from 1p-£1. Permission slips will be in your child's book bag today, if your child would like to attend then please fill it in and hand into the office with payment. Thank you.

PART TIME JOB AVAILABLE AT DARTMOUTH'S YORKSHIRE BUILDING SOCIETY

There is a permanent part time job vacancy for a Customer Consultant at the Dartmouth branch of Yorkshire Building Society. The hours are Monday and Tuesday 9am to 3pm, Wednesday and Friday 9am to 2.30pm and Saturday morning 9am to midday.

The link to the job application is

<https://www.jobtrain.co.uk/ybscareers/displayjob.aspx?jobid=1185>

The closing date is 30th September.

HARVEST FESTIVAL FUN DAY IN THE PARISH OF DARTMOUTH

The Parish of Dartmouth's Harvest Festival and Fun Day will take place on Sunday 7th October from 11am in St Clements. They will hold their Harvest Family Service which will involve all the children and during the service gifts will be brought forward to the altar (please bring fresh or tinned goods).

After the service there will be:

- An auction of fresh produce, donations from which will be given to 'ShelterBox' (tinned items will be donated to the Dartmouth Food Bank)
- A children's hot dog lunch during the auction
- Wizzbang children's entertainer after their lunch for an hour
- A barbecue lunch for the adults with a donations bar

It will be a great day of fun and Fr Will really hopes you will be able to join him. If you would like any further information please contact: Fr Will Hazlewood (01803) 414767
vicar@dartmouthanddittisham.co.uk

ST JOHN'S FACEBOOK PAGE

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

THE GIVING MACHINE

Please don't forget to use the 'giving machine' website when shopping.

www.TheGivingMachine.co.uk

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Fri 5 th Oct	Values and Vision meeting 1.30pm
Sun 7 th Oct	Harvest Festival and Fun Day at St Clements from 11am
Thurs 11 th Oct	Harvest Festival 10am
	Friends meeting 2pm
Fri 12 th Oct	Harvest Disco 3:30 – 5:30pm
Mon 22 nd to Fri 26 th Oct	Half term
Mon 29 th Oct	Parents Evening
Tues 30 th Oct	Parents Evening
Fri 9 th Nov	Non-Pupil Day
Fri 7 th Dec	Christmas Bazaar 1:30pm
Mon 17 th Dec	Senior Citizen's party 1.45pm
Tues 18 th Dec	Nativity 2pm and 6pm at St Clements
Wed 19 th Dec	Christmas Dinner and Party all day!
Thurs 20 th Dec	Break up!
Mon 7 th Jan 2019	Back to School

