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WHERE LEARNING  
BECOMES AN ADVENTURE

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Dear All,

MR IMRIE'S NEWS

Welcome back to a new half term of learning. We are already diving into our new learning topics and we look forward to sharing our learning with you at Parents Evening this term. If you have yet to sign up for an appointment time, please do so on your child's classroom door.

This week has been 'National Sausage Week'. We have welcomed children into school for a sausage sandwich breakfast. Next Tuesday (6th November), is 'National Hug a Bear Day'. Children are invited to bring in their favourite teddy bear from home for the day to use as part of a special writing competition. If anyone would like to wear a 'bear costume', please feel free!

Next week, our Scholastic Book Fair will be open daily from 8.30am until 4.15pm. All purchases made will earn the school commission to purchase books for our classrooms. Please come along and have a look!

We hope to see lots of children coming back to school tonight for the 'Glow in the Dark' disco. Early Years and Key Stage 1 are invited back at 5.30pm until 6.30pm and Key Stage 2 6.45pm until 8.00pm. Tickets can be purchased on the door for £2.00. Also, we hope lots of you can make the 'Downderry Bake off tomorrow'. Please see further information overleaf.

Finally, could all children please remember to pack their cheesy grins for their individual school photos which will be taking place on Tuesday 6th November. (Bring school clothes if coming as a bear!)

Have a great weekend,  
**Jake Imrie**



# St Nicolas News

FRIDAY 2ND NOVEMBER 2018

AWARDS (Awarded in celebration assembly next week)	DAZZLING WRITER	MEGA MATHEMATICIAN	STAR READER AWARD	FOCUS OF THE WEEK AWARD
EDDYSTONE CLASS <i>Mrs Clarke</i>	Elizabeth	Alfie	Elizabeth	Eva
GODREY CLASS <i>Miss McCarten</i>	Parker	Abigail	Teddy	Piran
TREVOSE CLASS <i>Miss Treasure &amp; Mrs Cooper</i>	Finlay D	Orry	Maddie	Beau
PENDEEN CLASS <i>Mr Imrie</i>	Grady	April	Eva	Lewis

## A Message from the P.T.A..

*The PTA hope you will be able to attend and support, 'The Great Dowderry Bake Off', tomorrow morning 10am-12pm in village hall. Go and sample some cakes, drink tea and coffee and vote for your winner. If you would like to enter, it is not too late, just bring your cake along at 9.30am to the Village Hall, to be in with a chance of winning.'*

## Reminders/ Notes....

- Is your child interested in drumming lessons? We may be able to provide this in school. Please contact the school office if interested.*
- Eddystone class will be starting their 4 weeks of Gymnastic lessons next Monday. Please make sure your child has a PE kit in school. Thank you.*

## CHILD REPORTER OF THE WEEK...

ON TUESDAY WE HAD A MAP FROM A PIRATE AND WE FOLLOWED THE MAP AND WE FOUND SOME CHOCOLATE COINS AND ANOTHER CLUE TO FIND A MESSAGE IN A BOTTLE. WE HAD SAUSAGES FOR BREAKFAST AND WE CAN BRING IN A TEDDY FOR NATIONAL HUG A BEAR DAY (JUST ONE FLUFFY ONE- A TEDDY BEAR OR A CUDDLY TOY).

BY: NATALIA      YEAR: 2      AGE: 7

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY...

### NEXT 2 WEEKS...

02.11.2018- Neon Disco  
EY/KS1- 5.30-6.30pm  
KS2- 6.45-8.00pm  
03.11.2018- Dowderry Bake-off  
05.11.2018- Eddystone Zero Gravity Gymnastics  
05.11.2018- Book Fair Opens  
06.11.2018- Individual Pupil Photographs  
06.11.2018- Hug a Bear day- Bring a teddy! (Dress up optional)

### THIS TERM...

12.11.2018- Eddystone Zero Gravity Gymnastics  
12.11.2018- PTA Meeting in school- 3.30pm  
13/14.11.2018- Parents Evenings  
16.11.2018- Children in Need Assault Course- Be Gung Ho!  
19.11.2018- Road Safety Week  
26.11.2018- Eddystone Zero Gravity Gymnastics  
12.11.2018- Eddystone Zero Gravity Gymnastics  
29.11.2018- Reception-Year 5 Flu Immunisations  
03.12.2018- National Tree Dressing day competition in school

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THIS CHRISTMAS, EYFS & KS1 WILL BE PERFORMING 'WHOOPS-A-DAISY ANGEL AND KEY STAGE 2 WILL BE PERFORMING 'THE INN-SPECTORS!'. FINAL DATES AND TIMES OF THE PERFORMANCES WILL BE SHARED SOON.