



# The Beacon

Church of England (V.A.) Primary & Pre-School *Living life in all its fullness. (John 10:10)*

Dear Families and Friends,

## Highlights of the week:

**Pre-School:** Welcoming new friends and celebrating birthdays!

**YR:** Going on a scavenger hunt on the beach and finding some trainee police officers!

**Y1/2:** Learning how to program a short animation using Scratch Jnr.

**Y2/3:** Taking our Traction Men on an adventure around the classroom!

**Y4:** Examining & drawing botanical flowers, tree hugging and team building games!

**Y5:** Exploring reinforcement whilst making chairs in DT.

**Y6:** Finding out our roles for the summer show.



**Goodbye** We've said goodbye to Miss Simpson from our Pre-School today, and we wish her all the very best in her new role. Miss Brunwin, Miss Ridgway and Miss Chalmers will continue to lead our little ones until the end of term.

**PTFA news** Congratulations to Aiden, Phoebe and Ethan, who were the winners of our logo and poster competitions. You'll soon be seeing their artwork around school!

**Exmouth Community College open mornings for Y4/5 pupils** If you have booked to attend one of these events next week, please remember to advise the school office by email so that we can mark the register accordingly. If you have already let us know – thank you!

**PSHE meetings** As we have had very little response to the invitations to a meeting about the Personal Social Health and Economic curriculum, we have decided to cancel the meeting which was due to take place on Monday evening. If you have any questions about the curriculum, or you would like to access the Jigsaw resources we use, please speak either to your child's class teacher or to Mrs Pow, who leads on this subject.

**Children's Commissioner survey** At a time of significant change for children and young people, it is more important than ever that their views are reflected in policy making. The Children's Commissioner has issued a national survey called The Big Future, and is asking as many children as possible to complete it. Please encourage your child to take part via this link:

<http://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture>.

We wish you all a peaceful weekend,  
Mrs Anne Billington

**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

## Stars of the Week

**YR:** Aarsha **Y1/2:** Devon-May

**Y2/3:** Ivan N **Y4:** Tom & Edan

**Y5:** Ella **Y6:** Benjamin



## Next Week:

**Collective Worship:** Next week we will be looking at the story of the Roman Centurion and thinking about how the way we behave encourages others to respect us.

## School dinner ordering deadline

Please order school meals for week commencing 22<sup>nd</sup> June by **Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June**. Anything input after this date will not be included in our order.

**Monday Y6** to ECC Library

**Tuesday New Reception starters for September** Parents meeting 6pm-7pm

**Wednesday Multisports** YR-Y3

inclusive, 3.30pm-4.20pm

**Orchestra** for those invited, 3.30pm-5pm

**Thursday New Reception starters for September** Parents meeting 9.30am-

10.30am

**Y6 Sea Swimming** for those invited

**OFSTED report Parents' meeting** 6pm at school / via TEAMS (please complete the response form in the letter you've been emailed)

**Friday Celebration Worship** 9am at Holy Trinity Church, all welcome!

**Y6 Swimming**

**Multisports** Y4-Y6 inclusive, 3.30pm-4.20pm

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