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Dear Parents,

On Tuesday the class one children had an exciting opportunity to take part in a gymnastics festival at Honiton Community College. They were all very enthusiastic and thoroughly enjoyed improving their gymnastic skills by performing forward and backward rolls, cart wheels and jumping onto and off a mini trampoline amongst other activities. A quote from one of the year two boys after it had finished was 'that was the best trip ever! I loved jumping on the trampoline'.



We will be holding Parents' Evenings across the Jubilee Federation next week. We are looking forward to sharing your child's achievements with you. Do come and have a chat with me during the evening, or indeed call me at anytime I am always happy to talk to any of you at whichever school I am at.

Thank you for all your continued support.

God bless and have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes from Katie Gray and the staff at Broadhembury School

Question of the week

Class 1 How can we find out about the past apart from using the internet?

Class 2 Would you prefer to live in a rural or urban area? Why?

Story Glory Online Shop

Story Glory are currently launching their online shop and are offering us as a school 10% of the value of all orders placed by our parents to spend for free on products for Broadhembury Primary School.

We would be really grateful if you could take a look at their shop at and place an order for some arts and crafts materials to use at home with your child. The more orders that are placed, the more we are entitled to for free for use in our classrooms!

The deadline for placing the orders is 23rd October and your orders will be delivered to your child's classroom in a clearly labelled bag approximately three weeks after this date. To place an order you will need to visit www.storyglory.co.uk and click on the 'shop' link. It is important that you give your child's full name and class and the name of our school so that we can claim our free products! Please also note that there is a place on the website for your delivery address but this will only be used in the unlikely event that one of your items is out of stock so your order cannot be delivered to the school with the other orders. It is important to fill it in, but it is unlikely to be used.

Thank you for your support. We will let you know how much we raised for the school to spend and what we spend it on!

PTFA AGM

The PTFA AGM will be held on Wednesday 4th November 7.30pm at the Drewe Arms, Broadhembury, come along and support your local school, whilst getting to know other parents.

Year 6 Secondary School Admissions Deadline – 31st October

A reminder to parents of year 6 children that the deadline to apply for a secondary school place is fast approaching. If you have not submitted your application yet you only have until **31st October** to do so. You can either apply using the online system www.devon.gov.uk/admissionsonline or by contacting My Devon, the customer service centre on 0345 155 1019 to request an application form from the Step by Step booklet.

Worship for All Ages – Sunday 25th October 10.00am Broadhembury Church

Broadhembury Church will be holding a family worship on Sunday 25th October at 10am, all ages are welcome.

Thelma Hulbert Gallery Half Term Activities

Wed 28 Oct: 11am – 3pm Family Drop In Workshop - Drawing with Clocks

Drop in any time to join artist Tony Johns creating clock-based drawing machines. FREE (suggested donations £2 per child)

All ages and abilities welcome. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

Sat 31 Oct: 11am - 3pm Family Drop in Workshop - Make a Crazy Clock out of...

Drop in anytime to join artists Kathy Norris and Anna Aroussi 'to make a crazy clock out of....' Materials all provided to make your very own clock. FREE (suggested donations £2 per child) All ages and abilities welcome. All children must be accompanied by a responsible adult.

5pm – 10pm THG Halloween Spectacular

Come along to the gallery for Halloween in our haunted house! The evening will include spooky art room activities, hot chocolate for little Trick-or-Treaters, woodfired pizzas, DJ and pop up cocktail bar. FREE admission and activities (pay bar and woodfired pizzas)

Primary Times

A copy of the October Half Term issue of Primary Times will be included with this newsletter. It includes a diary of what's on, and when, in Devon.

BROADHEMBURY BRIDGES to week ending Friday 9th October

Class One:

Lewen for his great drawings and enthusiastic attitude

Jason for great presentation and effort over homework tasks

Jack, Oliver & Bobbie-May for working well on their own during literacy today

Class Two:

Milly for all round beautiful reflection of the Broadhembury Bridges

Cameron for good ideas and questions in class

Samuel for a new attitude to learning

Key Dates

Mrs Gray will be in school on Thursday and Friday next week.

Miss Prince will be spending her Head of Teaching and Learning day (Thursday) at Farway next week

Tuesday 20th October - Parents' Evening 3.40pm-5.30pm

Friday 23rd October – Last Day of School before the Half Term holiday

Sunday 25th October – Worship for all ages 10am Broadhembury Church

Tuesday 3rd November – Back to School