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2nd July 2021

Dear Parents

We have had a very busy week this week here at Dunsford. The children have been learning lots about the importance of looking after our world and conservation. Their ideas and opinions have been incredible to hear and I am confident that our children will go on to become beacons of hope for the future of our planet!

A huge thank you to our Eco Council for organising Hedgehog Awareness Day and for helping us to raise money for Dartmoor Zoo's new hedgehog rescue centre. We are pleased to announce that we raised a wonderful amount of £66.60 that will help support this fantastic cause. Thank you for supporting this event!

Swimming Pool

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we have worked hard, in collaboration with the PTFA, to reopen the swimming pool. We are pleased to announce that the pool will open from Saturday 10th July for the parents and children to use. I will be sending a list of approved pool users who have had training to the PTFA and they will then organise on those times who the spotters and authorised pool users will be on site.

Please can I remind everyone that the risk assessment for the pool needs to be adhered to (copies of this have been emailed and will also be on the pool side for you to see) and that the rules for use must also be followed at all times.

Please note that, in order to be an authorised pool user, you must have completed all 3 elements of the requirements (DBS check completed, pool training session with myself and Mr Stothard this year and first aid training with Karen). If you have not completed any one of these elements then you will need to ensure that you only use the pool in the presence of at least two authorised pool users. If there are not two authorised pool users on site then you will not be permitted to use the pool. If people are found to be not adhering to the risk assessment and the critical safety measures put in place, then the pool would not be able to remain open and this would jeopardize the future use of this amazing facility for everyone.

During these times of restrictions, it is also important that the current guidance is followed which states that there is a maximum of 30 people to gather outside at any one time. Please can you also



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ensure that, in order for us to continue to keep the pool open, that these rules are followed. There is additional information regarding the future of the pool in the PTFA newsletter that you will also receive.

I am sure that you are all looking forward to being able to use the pool once again this year and I am looking forward to hearing about how much everyone is enjoying this experience. Thank you for your ongoing support and understanding in helping to keep everyone safe.

PTFA Summer Show Raffle

This year the PTFA are leading on a number of exciting events to continue to raise money in the absence of the Dunsford Show and the Summer Fete. One of those events is an online summer show raffle!

There are 21 fabulous prizes to be won, including a 2 night stay in a 6 person Dartmoor holiday home!

If you would like to take part then please follow the link attached:

<https://raffall.com/241003/enter-raffle-to-win-21-incredible-prizes-hosted-by-beth-webber>

Good luck!

I hope that you all have a wonderful weekend and I look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Yours sincerely

Mrs. Guntrip

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Head of Academy