



A partner school in the Westcountry Schools Trust (WeST)

Friday 5th March

Week 8

Hello Yealmpton Family,

This week the children have emersed themselves in science. We started the week from a visit from Explorer Dome the theme this year was light.



We also used the talents from our community to enrich our learning.

A big thank you to the wonderful volunteers from Partac for supporting our Science Week. The children learnt all about science at sea and how scientists use data collected from the ocean. It was fantastic to see how this experience opened the children's eyes to a range of STEM careers, and how enthusiastic they were to discover the many possibilities within marine science.



Year 3 enjoyed a particularly engaging presentation about how weather and waves are measured. They were fascinated to learn about the scientific instruments used and will be bringing home a task to design their own. We can't wait to see their creative ideas!

We were also delighted to welcome Dr. Morley, who delivered an inspiring session on forces. The children learnt about gravity and upthrust before putting their knowledge into action by designing and building their own boats. They then tested how many weights their boats could hold before sinking. Every child took on the challenge with great enthusiasm and teamwork.

Well done, Beech and Willow Class — fantastic work all round!

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Our wonderful parent visitors continued to arrive! Children learnt all about wind turbines and then radio waves, analogue, digital and made a timeline of different gadgets from the 1950s to present day.



Today Y3,4,6 the children had a demonstration of the heart which was highly active and great fun.

Today Plymouth Aquarium visited and we took part in a 'Slimy Sea' assembly.

Thank you so much to the parents that dedicated so much time and thought to these sessions they have been truly inspirational for our children and made science come to life!!

Easter Service



Join us for an Easter celebration at the church. The children have been practising a range of Spring Time songs this half term. The service starts at 2pm on 31st March.



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School Council News

Red Nose Day!



On Friday 20th March we will be raising money for Comic Relief. School Council have been busy planning for the day and are excited to share what they have come up with 😊.

- Children will be invited to come into school wearing red or pajamas! We are asking for a donation of £1 for this.
- The theme for Red Nose day is all about being a little bit silly so School Council have asked for some grown ups in school to be a little bit silly! So if on Red Nose Day our total is £300, some of the adults will be involved in some silly activities. One I have already heard of is a cream pie to the face!

School Council will do an assembly to raise awareness for Red Nose day and the purpose of Comic Relief and there will be Red Nose Day activities for children to do also.

If you would like to donate to Comic Relief and see some of our group ups involved in some silly antics, please donate via our school Just Giving page:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rnd26-yealmpton-primary-school>

Alternatively, you can bring cash into school on Red Nose Day.

We are looking forward to a great day, raising money for a great cause.

Thank you for your support with this.

School Council and Mrs Ward



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FYFS News



FYVS CIRCUS SKILLS WORKSHOP



FYVS have organised for
Circus into Schools
to deliver a day of circus skills
workshops.

This will be on Monday 23rd March and
each class will enjoy learning some
circus skills!



Friends of Yealmpton Village School
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FYVS EASTER DISCOS



Reception, Year 1 & 2:
Monday 30th March at 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Year 3, 4, 5 & 6:
Wednesday 1st April at 3.15pm - 4.15pm

Please pay £3 on Parent Pay and give
consent for your child/ren to attend.



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Tickets are available via the link below – we'd love for you to join us for this truly special day!

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Key Events this half term

Red Nose Day 20th March

Easter Discos (FYFS event)

Monday 30th March Foundation, Y1, Y2 3.15pm-4.15pm

Wednesday 1st April Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 3.15pm-4.15pm

Easter Service at the church 31st March 2pm

Easter Egg Hunt (FYFS event) 2nd April

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Hope you all have a great weekend

Kind Regards Sam Wilkinson