THE NEWTON POPPLEFORD PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER SCHOOL MATTERS

DIGITAL DATES Saturday, 5th May Exmoor Challenge Wednesday, 9th May

Y3 Swimming starts Thursday, 17th May Little Popples Cake Sale Friday, 25th May INSET Day Monday, 28th May Half Term Week Friday, June 29th School Fete Friday, July 20th 1.30pm End of Summer Term



MAY 4 2018 NEWS FROM THE HEADTEACHER

EXMOOR CHALLENGE

On this Saturday, 5th May we shall be taking 14 Year 6 children to Dulverton for the 2018 Exmoor Challenge. In recent years, the Rotary Exmoor Youth Challenge (to give its full name!) has had over 100 teams each of 4 people following a 16 mile unmarked route. Following instructions, map-reading, and compass skills are essential. More details about the Challenge can be found at <u>www.exmoor-rotary.org.uk/youth_chall.html</u> Good luck to all who are taking part!

If you are yet to return the Spelling Shed permission slip, then please complete it as soon as possible and return it to the School Office so that your child does not miss out.

The Women Can Marathon will be passing through Newton Poppleford on the 27th May. Volunteers are needed as marshals. There is a poster included in this week's extras.

FROM THE PTFA

Come along to the next PTFA meeting on **Wed 9th May** at 19:45 at the Canon Inn where we will be discussing this year's Summer Spectacular Fete. We are hurtling towards our seemingly ambitious target of \pounds 10,000 and the Summer Fete is the ideal opportunity for you to help us reach and go beyond that target.

Don't forget to let us know if you would like to hire a pitch for a stall at this year's fete, email terilouisemurphy@yahoo.com to book.



Y5 Jack S- My Wow moment was writing a debate poem about my favourite drink— orange and mango juice. It was hilarious 'cause there were loads of absurd lines.
Y5 Anais- I really like the argument poems-

they're really fun and funny.

Y1 Poppy- I've enjoyed learning my odd and even numbers.

Y1 Reuben W- I loved writing my book about "What happens when...'

Y3 George- My Wow moment was getting all of my spellings correct.

Y3 Finnley- My Wow moment was correctly labelling all the angles on the board. I earnt 5 golden tickets. Y4 Kai- My WOW moment was when we wrote paragraphs of expanded noun phrases in English. Y4 Coco- When I was a sport superstar for two PE lessons in a

YR Logan- "Reading everyday makes a perfect day." YR Evie- Evie's plan for a safari park was amazing.

WOW MOMENTS

Y6 Esme- I've enjoyed doing Samba music in Year 6 and we looked at all of the instruments that play in samba. It was great.

Y6 Chloe- I learnt how fossils are really made.

Y2 Suki- I'm so proud of my story-writing this week. Y2 Tallulah-It was amazing when I saw Sir Francis Drake's ship on our trip to Brixham.