



Exbourne: Encouraging Excellence

'Let us spur one another to acts of love and good deeds.' Hebrews 10:24

School News 29th November 2024

Dear Exbourne Friends and Families,

Surprise visitors!

Last week we had a meerkat, barn owl, katydid, tarantula, praying mantis, and a milk snake called Yogurt come to school! Thank you so much to Exmoor Zoo for bring these exciting visitors and thank you to our supportive PFA for organising this educational and fun treat.

See our Facebook page for lots of photos!

Attendance this year to date

Olive 97.49%

Dove 96.64%

It's the time of year when we do expect a drop in attendance due to seasonal colds and we know there have been some nasty bugs around.

However, attendance at Exbourne still remains one of the best in the Trust, and above national for this time of year. Well done everyone!

Attendance Matters





Thank you for your support

Your support has made a real difference to those in the
Armed Forces community.

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please visit rbl.org.uk/about-us



To Exbourne School.

Thank you for supporting the Royal British Legion

Together we raised £58.65

Halksley Area Total £4292.71

Registered charity number: 219279



Thank you so much for your generosity to Royal British Legion during our Poppy Appeal.

Meet our new PCSO!

We are pleased to welcome Sean Jones, our new Police Community Support Officer (PCSO) for the Exbourne area. A PCSO plays a key role in keeping our community safe and supporting local schools, like ours with safety and wellbeing initiatives.

“I’m excited to be part of this community and look forward to getting to know all of you. My goal is to support students, parents and staff and work together to create a safe and welcoming environment for everyone. Please don’t hesitate to come and talk to me if you have any questions or concerns”.

The presence of a PCSO in our area not only helps to maintain security but also promotes positive relationships between young people and the police.

He will be coming along to meet the children and talk to them about road safety later this term, unfortunately due to the weather last week we have had to postpone.



30782 Sean Jones
PCSO

As it’s December 1st on Sunday... next week we can officially get Christmassy! Learning will of course be taking place, just with an added twinkle of tinsel in the background!

PFA Quiz

I hope to see lots of you tonight for our quiz!

Please follow us on Facebook so you can keep up to date with all of our school news.

www.facebook.com/exbourneprimary

All the best,

Tara Penny

Principal

Upcoming Dates:

December

Sunday 1st December – Santa Dash in North Tawton – (it's for North Tawton School, but all are welcome!)

Monday 2nd December - KS2 Panto Trip

Tuesday 17th December - KS1 Panto trip

Wednesday 11th December - Olive Class Performances

Wednesday 18th December 2pm - Carols at the Church

Friday 20th December – Last Day

January and beyond

Tuesday 7th January – Back to School

Wednesday 8th January at 5.30pm - Y6 Residential Parent meeting at North Tawton

5th and 6th June – Year 3 and Year 4 camping residential

17th – 20th June Y6 Cambridge

30th June – 2nd July – Year 5 residential to Bristol