# Farway Church of England Primary School

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Dear Parents,

We hope you all had a super half term break. We have got off to a busy start to the second half of term. Class 1 had a super visit to a farm on Tuesday. They met their 'adopted' cow, Diamond and other calves, saw them being fed and watched the rest of the herd being milked in the milking parlour. We would like to thank Mr and Mrs Hurford for enabling this trip to take place and to all the parents who helped us with transport.

It has been lovely to read some super writing from the pupils in Class 2 this week on the theme of Remembrance. Some of this work will be read during the Act of Remembrance on Tuesday.

A reminder of my contact details across the federation:
Branscombe 01297 680339, Broadhembury 01404 841304 or email me on <a href="mailto:headteacher@farway.devon.sch.uk">headteacher@farway.devon.sch.uk</a> I can pick these up from any of the schools and from home.

Thank you for all your continued support.

God bless and have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes from Katie Gray and the staff at Farway School

## Question of the week

Class 2: What was your favourite tv programme from your childhood and why?

For the safety of the children, please DO NOT park in the lay-by outside school.

#### **Dates for your Diary**

Mrs Gray will be in school on Tuesday and Wednesday next week

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> November** – Act of Remembrance 10.45am

**Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November** – Children in Need – Superheroes theme plus table top sale in afternoon

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> November – PTFA AGM 7 pm. at the Hare & Hounds

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December** – PTFA Christmas Bingo 6 pm. at school

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Play 6.30 pm in Church

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> December** – Christmas Lunch followed at 3.00 by a music performance by the older recorder group and guitars.

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December** – Last Day of Term – Cups & Commendations 2.30 pm. plus Coffee & Mince Pies

Sunday 21st December – Farway Carol Service

The PTFA are putting together a Christmas Hamper to raffle, and would appreciate any donations for this to be sent into school. Thank you

## **Children in Need – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November**

The theme for the day is Superhero! We will have a non-uniform day and children can come along disguised as their favourite Superhero for a minimum donation of £1. We will also be holding various activities in the morning and a tabletop sale in the afternoon. Please send in your donations next week. Thank you.

#### **PTFA Meeting**

PTFA AGM Meeting on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> November at 7pm at the Hare & Hounds – All are welcome – as parents of children at Farway you are automatically a member of the PTFA, so please come and support your children. All are welcome – come along and bring new ideas to the table and help us to plan for future events.

#### **Branscombe Eco Greenhouse**

Branscombe pupils are building an eco greenhouse and need lots of empty/clean plastic drink bottle 2 litre size. They would be very grateful if the other children in the federation could help collect them. Please bring them to the school office and Mrs Gray will take them over to Branscombe. Thank you.

#### **Bags-2-School**

Farway Primary School PTFA are raising money by running a bag-2-school collection. We can take any unwanted clothes, shoes, handbags, belts, soft toys & bric a brac (bric a brac includes small ornamental vases, dishes, photo frames, figurines, decorative teacups etc). Sorry but we can't take bedding, towels, underwear or books. If you have anything suitable to donate, please bag it up & drop it off at Farway School. For further information, please call Sally Hurford on 871365.

#### **Photographs**

The Photographer has been into school today, and the proofs are enclosed with this newsletter. Please return any orders to the office by next Friday, 14<sup>th</sup> November. Thank you.

#### **FARWAY COMMUNITY EVENTS:**

#### Wartime Concert

There will be a concert of wartime songs, stories and sketches at Farway Village Hall featuring the New Ottregians on Saturday 8 November at 7.30pm. Tickets are £5 to include refreshments from Sue Tucker on 871208.

## **Every Friday Night In November**

The Farway Winter Skittles League is in full swing with matches every Friday night during November. The bar opens at 7.30pm in the Village Hall – you are most welcome to join us.

#### **Coffee Morning**

A Big thank you to everyone who came to the coffee morning at the Village Hall on 18 October – over £730 was raised for Marie Curie Cancer Care

#### NEXT WEEK'S NEW MENU – Week 2 – Please fill in the order form below and return to school

Monday	Pasta Bolognaise with Garlic Bread
	Macaroni Cheese with Seasonal Greens
	Chocolate Crispy Cake
TUESDAY	2 Chipolata Sausages, Creamy Mash, Peas & Gravy
	2 Vegetarian Sausages, Creamy Mash, Peas & Gravy
	Chocolate Mousse
WEDNESDAY	Roast Pork with Apple Sauce, Seasonal Green, Swede and Roast Potato
	Roast Vegetable Tart with Seasonal Green, Swede and Roast Potato
	Fruit Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Toad in the Hole with Mashed Potato Peas & Carrots
	Vegetarian Toad in the Hole with Mashed Potato Peas & Carrots
	Banana Custard
FRIDAY	Fish Cakes with Mash, Peas & Sweetcorn
	Vegetable Quiche with Potato Wedges, Peas and Carrots
	Homemade Shortbread

Salad to include: Lettuce, Cucumber, Grated Carrot, Grapes, Cherry Tomatoes, Coleslaw Drink: 200ml Semi Skimmed Milk is included with each meal

Please order meals for	

	Choices for Week Beginning Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> November 2014	Cost
Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
Thursday		
Friday		
	Amount Enclosed	£
	– Please make cheques payable to <b>Devon County Council</b>	