



Weekly Newsletter

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Dear Parents and Carers,

What is happening this week and next

Years 1 and 2 will be going on an educational visit to Plymouth Hoe and Plymouth Theatre Royal on **Tuesday 18th January (Dove)** and **Wednesday the 19th (Lime and Beech)**. The visit is linked to our current Geography topic and is a perfect opportunity to experience spending time within a city environment different to our school town of Totnes! The children will be watching the show 'The Man Who Wanted to be a Penguin' at the Theatre Royal in the morning and then walking from the theatre along the Hoe and to the Barbican area. Please could you hand in the completed forms.

COVID

Having finished 2021 with no cases in school things are changing pretty dramatically in 2022! We now have 12 cases in school, a total of 13 this term so far. We have a number of cases in Mountain Ash particularly. Please be vigilant and test when possible.

Year 5 one night residential at Adventure Okehampton

The Year 5 residential is all booked and will take place on Thursday 31st March for one night and is a fantastic opportunity for children to experience being away from home whilst taking part in two outdoor adventure activities with their friends. It will also allow them to experience the same venue for when they are in Year 6 and they have a 4 night residential. Letters will be sent out next week along with payment information.

Nasal Flu vaccination

Virgin Care immunisation team will be here on Thursday 27th January 2022 to deliver the nasal flu vaccination to all children whose parents consented using the link.

PTA New Year

Happy New Year to you all from the PTA, many thanks to all of you who supported our efforts last year, we hope to be able to do a little more this year so watch this space! If any of you have Christmas jumpers/hats/outfits that you know won't fit next year please drop them into school with my name on them and we will tuck them away for Christmas.

Kind regards

Hilary Priest

Adverts – please note that the school is neither recommending nor supporting the adverts below. If you wish to advertise in our newsletter then please contact the school for details.

Totnes Pantomime - Peter Pan Jan 26th - Jan 29th 2022

50% discount for Grove School parents on Wednesday and Thursday night



Yes! It is that time of year again when, Covid permitting, the Totnes pantomime will be on. This year, the pantomime is **Peter Pan** and will be running at the **Civic Hall** in Totnes from **Wednesday 26th January** to **Saturday 29th January**.

Details of the pantomime can be found in the **attached flyer** and you can book tickets here <https://www.ticketsource.co.uk/taods/>.

Even better, Grove students and their parents can get a **50% discount** on the **Wednesday & Thursday** nights by using the code "**GROVE2022**" when booking.

We hope you'll attend and enjoy what should be a barrel of laughs to set us up for the New Year.