

# Parents and Carer News

# 18<sup>th</sup> March 2022

# This Week's News

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### Comic Relief/Red Cross DEC Ukraine Appeal

Thank you to all staff and students who took part in our Fundraising Week for Comic Relief and supporting Ukraine through The British Red Cross. We have reopened the Mufti Day offer on Squid for those who have not yet donated. Students can also continue to bring in clothing, shoes and accessories to give to Mrs Jubb for The British Red Cross.

#### Uniform

Please can we remind you the hightop/midtop trainers are not allowed for normal uniform or for PE uniform. Students are also reminded that a dark coloured waterproof coat should be worn if needed, not cotton fleece lined shirts or zip up hooded sweaters. Our uniform expectations can be viewed on our website here: <u>Uniform and Personal Appearance</u>

#### Family Forum

A reminder that our Family Form will be held on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> April at 5.30 – 7pm in the Telfer Centre on Gipsy lane. Spaces are limited, so if you would like to attend please complete this form <u>Family Forum Booking Form</u>

#### PTFA

ECC's first PTFA meeting will be held next week on Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March 6.30-7.30pm in the Telfer Centre on Gipsy Lane. If you would like to attend please email Mrs Rowe at admin@exmouthcollege.devon.sch.uk

#### Vacancies at ECC

We have some great career opportunities within the college. Please visit the vacancies page of our website to see the great roles available. You can also join our *Talent Pool* by completing the form on our website to be contacted should a job be advertise that may be of interest to you <u>Exmouth Community College - Vacancies (exmouthcollege.devon.sch.uk)</u>

#### Performing Arts

We are very much looking forward to productions from both the Dance and Drama Department. **Macbeth:** Performed by year 7 and year 8 students in Hall 3 from the 26<sup>th</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> March. Tickets available via Squid **The Blend – Unlocked:** Performed by students across all year group at the Exeter Phoenix Theatre on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April. Tickets are currently only available to families of performers due to limited availability.

#### Free School Meals

If your financial situation has changed you may be eligible for Free School Meals. Please visit the Devon County Council website and use their citizen's portal <u>here</u>

Key Dates: April 6<sup>th</sup> – Year 10 Parents' and Carers' Evening Online 7<sup>th</sup> – Family Forum 8<sup>th</sup> – Last day of Spring Term



# Student Success

### Health and Social Care

We have had two Post16 students who have been completing work experience placements in local Children's setting Sunshine Pre-school. The feedback from the pre-school has been outstanding, and we are incredibly proud of Jasmine Woolsey and Eloise Townsend for being excellent role models and advocates for ECC and helping us to strengthen our community links. Both students will receive Principal's Awards. Thank you to Sunshine Pre-School for continuing to support out students through their qualifications.

### The Exmouth Ecos



At lunchtime on Monday, Exmouth Ecos had the opportunity to speak to Mr Simon Jupp, the East Devon MP, to ask him some questions about plastic pollution, the environment, water pollution and recycling. The students took it in turns to ask questions which they had generated themselves. Mr Jupp was very encouraging of the work being done by the eco group and answered all of our questions. Well done to all the students involved and thank you to Mr Jupp for giving up his time to speak to our group.

## **Outstanding Sports Students**

Our Year 7 football team became East Devon champions this week in a very close final against Uffculme School. Thank you to all the parents and carers who came to support the team

Congratulations to our Under 13 Cricket team who were runners up at the indoor South West finals this week, a fantastic achievement by an outstanding group.





Last weekend our College trampoline team were awarded 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the Schools Trampoline National Championships. The team Yr7/8

Individual places were also awarded to 8th in GB Cian Dignam yr7/8 9th in GB Freddie Pickering yr9/10 2th in GB Austin Burgess yr7/8



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