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Newsletter 51

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Dear supporter,

Welcome to our next newsletter and a special welcome to our first time subscribers. We hope you enjoy either catching up with what has happened over recent years at Imprezza Academy or finding out for the first time all the wonderful work Catherine and her staff and students are achieving at their school.

First of all I make no apology for repeating our urgent appeal to help provide clean and plentiful supply of water at the school with the installation of a deep borehole. Please continue to support this worthwhile appeal by either donating directly or perhaps running a fundraiser. Thank you in anticipation of any support you can offer.

The Rains Have Failed – again! AN URGENT APPEAL

The rainy season is about to end but unfortunately little or no rain fell, for a second year!!!! This has potentially dire consequences not only for the area generally but Imprezza Academy in particular. With little or no rain it has meant walking over a mile to collect water and little has been collected as there has been none to collect. The answer is a deep bore hole but this costs money, money the school does not have. It means a shortage for washing, drinking, cleaning, cooking and irrigating crops. No crops means any spare(!) cash has to be used to buy food which would normally be grown on site. A shortage of food stuffs generally means higher costs adding to the problem. Less food at higher costs means fewer meals per day per student. So you see where this is going!! Our immediate priority therefore is to support the school raise much needed funds to sink a deep bore hole. If you can help with this urgent appeal we would be most grateful.

<http://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/fund/imprezzaborehole>

Many, many thanks in advance of anything you might be able to give.

Solar Plant Update.

Fantastic News - Solar Energy Provides Electricity at Imprezza for the first time!

In the photo below you will see the first stack of solar panels which is already providing electricity to the school site. The future is starting to look very exciting as the school begins to extend its use of electricity throughout the school.



Student Exams

Students in our top two years are currently engaged in their mock exams. We wish them well as always.

Anastasia Update

Anastasia's tumour is shrinking due to her ongoing chemo treatment and the surgeons hope to operate in the not too distant future to remove it. She is still on target to return to the school in January 2020. Donations towards her treatment are always welcome. We currently have to find around £2,500 for her current treatment, operation and post operative treatment.

Upcoming Events

Below is a list of forthcoming events. If you are unable to see these posters please visit our website where full event details are available.

7pm 21st September 2019

United Reform Church Organ Concert

A selection of show music and family friendly songs performed by John Merrigan. Entry by donation in aid of Operation Imprezza and the New Life Home Trust. Refreshments will be available, full details to follow.

Wednesday 9th October 7.00pm

Murder On The Riviera

Moonstone Theatre Company presents another amazing Murder Mystery dining experience - "Murder On The Riviera" at Marco's Italian in Budleigh Salterton. Tickets are £25 to include an Italian Meal and can be purchased from Marco's Italian 7 High St Budleigh Salterton EX9 6LD Tel. 01395 442676

7pm 18th October 2019

A night at the Nags Head with Del and friends with the Moonstone Theatre Company

Join us for another night of theatrical hilarity and fantastic food with Moonstone Theatre Company at the Trade Winds Restaurant in Teignmouth. Please arrive at 7.00pm for 7.30pm start, tickets £27.50 per head to include a 2 course meal and tea or coffee.

1-3pm Sunday 20th October

Teignmouth Jazz Festival

"The Gwilliantics" play at Coasters in Teignmouth as part of the Teignmouth Jaz festival on Sunday 20th October between 1pm and 3pm. Whilst this is on there will be a collection for Operation Imprezza.

Friday 15th November 2019

Byng's Fun Night Friday

Byngs Fun Night Friday is sure to be a night to remember, at the Teignmouth Rugby Club, full details to follow.

Saturday 15th February 2020
Valentine's Ball at Teignmouth Golf Club

Details to follow.

Lastly another reminder of our raffle (organised by the Otter Valley and Sid Valley Rotary Clubs of East Devon) with a 1st Prize of £1000 ! Tickets are a £1 each and the draw will be made on the 19th November so plenty of time to get yours. Either from any of the trustees, or at our events. You can also request yours by emailing bob@operation-imprezza.org and requesting as many as you like! For more details please visit our website, see our facebook page or reply to this email.
<http://www.operation-imprezza.org/events.html>

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