



# Magdalen Court School



Senior School Headmaster: Mr J. Bushrod B.Sc. Hons. PGCE  
Middle School Head teacher: Mrs S. Wrightson B.Ed. Hons  
Junior School Headmistress: Mrs. J. Jenner B.Ed Hons. B.A.

Dear Parent,

I am proposing to run a trip up to this show, if you would like your child to accompany us, please complete the slip on the reverse of this letter.

Devon County Show [www.devoncountyschool.co.uk](http://www.devoncountyschool.co.uk)

The Devon County Show is the largest event in the county calendar and is the perfect place to enjoy a virtual tour of rural life. The Show is a giant shop window for rural Devon and links consumers with farmers, food producers and others working in the countryside economy.

Info:

- Location: West Point, Exeter
- Price: £10 (Children are free on Sun. when accompanied by an adult)
- Date: Fri. 20<sup>th</sup> May
- Times: leave school 8am. Return to school for 5pm



Who can go?

- If you have been before, the show changes little from year to year. Leave it a couple of years & go again. If you have not been, it's a MUST
- Early GCSE & above. Yr10 & y11 will have exams & coursework on their minds. You don't have to go with school, you can of course go with your family at the weekend, Children are free on Sun. when accompanied by an adult.

Trip info

- You will need to bring money, £5 should be fine + I recommend packed lunch & drinks. They are expensive in the show. There are loads of food opportunities, but they are expensive.
- The trip will be accompanied by Mr J & Keri Jenner
- Children will be encouraged to explore the show in small groups, these will be unsupervised.
- Each group will have a means of communicating with me, Mobile phones are ideal for this.
- Each pupil will be given a map of the show ground + a business card with contact information for myself, the school.
- We establishing a 'Meeting Point', at the entrance of the members area.

We take all the pupils there first, & then meet them there in the middle of the day & when we leave.

I was amazed when I did a show of hands in class, how many pupils have not attended the show & some had not even attended a village show either. It is such a big part of West County & English life, I'd strongly recommend pupils attend, there is so much to see & do, a wonderful day out.

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Please return by Tue. 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

We would like our son/daughter to go on the MCS trip to 'Devon County Show' on the Fri. 20<sup>th</sup> May. we enclose £10.

*Would you please pay these payments by cheque, marked with the **child's name** & the **'Devon County Show'** written on the back.*

Childs Name: .....

Parents signature: .....

### Show Info

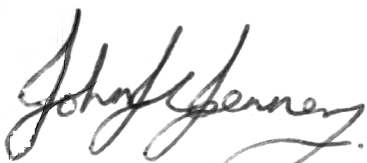
- Step onto a virtual roller coaster and enjoy a whirlwind trip around the countryside - past, present and future
- Come and see Devon in 93 acres.
- Take in magnificent animals, wonderful regional food, traditional rural skills, dazzling flowers and gardens, musical parades and hundreds of shops.
- Watch the sheep shearing, dog handling, gun dog trials, forester's axe chopping competition, Show jumping, among many others.
- Look the pens of best of breed animals; goats, sheep, pigs, cows, chickens, ducks, turkeys, lamas etc etc. See the wide range of breads of all our domestic animals all next to each other.
- Visit the beekeepers tent & watch the colonies of bees in their observation hive, or honey being extracted, candles being made .....
- Go to the food tent & take advantage of the free food tasting of our local produce.

Special attractions include the:

- Fabled Knights of Powderham Castle
- Internationally famous White Helmets motor cycle display team
- Watch out in case you bump into Titan (the giant robot!).

I hope you will be able to join us.

Yours sincerely



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