



# Warbstow Primary Academy and Nursery

*Small and mighty is the Warbstow Way*

NEWSLETTER 31 Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a quieter week in school while our Year 6 children complete their SATs. We are very proud of all of their efforts and preparations. The testing agencies instructed by the DfE did not go easy on our children, they rose to the challenge however and should feel very chuffed with themselves! Their resilience and courage was exemplary! They celebrated by making us all a cupcake decorated in a really fun way!

In amongst invigilating the SATs I have seen many role models this week; I have been treated to conversational French demonstrations, excellent examples of Maths reasoning; PE stars; homework inspired by our curriculum and kindness. What a joy!

**Thank you to all you who responded to our second breakfast club survey. We will be sending booking forms home next week! This is such an exciting step forwards for us. We are thrilled to be opening a breakfast club. I will be collecting our brand new industrial toaster in half term! LJD Coaching will be providing the care in the club which we are thrilled about. Mr Dart and his colleagues are well liked by the children and staff at Warbstow. They will provide a range of activities including a healthy breakfast. Even if you do not require wrap around care for your child for work purposes you are very welcome to book on to the club to make the most of the fun activities on offer before school. An email will be sent home early next week with booking information.**

Don't forget our Family Fun Day on 22<sup>nd</sup> June. We hope you will all bring family and friends. Tickets will go on sale after the half term break. Please can you support the day by taking part in our mufti day (non-school uniform) next week:

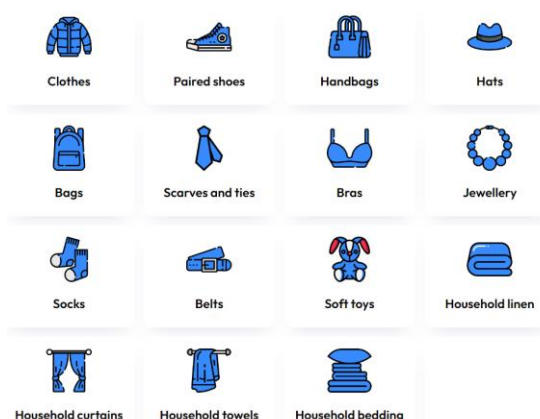
**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June: MUFTI DAY in exchange for a bottle donation for the tombola – alcoholic/non-alcoholic drinks, bath products, ketchup! etc etc**

Wishing you a lovely weekend, Mrs Bancroft

## Bag2School Collection

Now the sun has made an appearance it time to sort your clothing and bring out the shorts. If you have any unwanted items, please bag them up and bring to the Community Hall foyer on Monday or Tuesday morning. Items that can be collected are shown in the image. For every kilogram that is collected we receive money back to school.

**Bag2School will be collecting the goods on Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May.**



### **Open Morning**

On Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May we welcome you into your child's class for open morning, 8.40-9.00am. This is a wonderful opportunity to see all the fantastic work that your child has completed this half and speak with the class teachers. The children are very proud of their work and delight in showing it to others.

### **Household Support Fund**

**The entitlement criteria for automatic payments from the Household Support Fund is changing. If you have any questions regarding the changes, please DO NOT contact the school. You will need to contact Cornwall Council direct.**

In order to be entitled to a payment from the Household Support Fund scheme in 2024, you must be responsible for at least one child and on 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2024 either:

- be entitled to Council Tax Support or
- have been placed in emergency accommodation by the Council

You will receive £80 per child. If you are already in receipt of Council Tax Support, then you don't have to do anything else – you will receive your payment automatically.

To find out if you are eligible for Council Tax Support, please check the information here <https://www.gov.uk/benefits-calculators> .

You can make a claim for Council Tax Support by using this link <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/council-tax-support/apply-for-council-tax-support/>

**It is important that you submit your application by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2024.**

### **Parking**

Please can we ask that parents and carers are considerate in the car park & help younger children with car doors, unfortunately there has been an incident where a car has been accidentally knocked this week. Thank you for your cooperation.

### **Dates**

20<sup>th</sup> May – Reception Vision Screening  
21<sup>st</sup> May – Bag2School Collection  
24<sup>th</sup> May – Mufti Day in exchange for a bottle  
27<sup>th</sup> -31<sup>st</sup> May – Half Term  
7<sup>th</sup> June – Community Cohesion Day, school closed for pupils  
13<sup>th</sup> June – Mufti Day in exchange for a fill jar  
18<sup>th</sup> June – Surf's Up Beach Day  
22<sup>nd</sup> – FUN DAY  
26<sup>th</sup> -28<sup>th</sup> June – Y5/6 residential trip to YHA Okehampton  
1<sup>st</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> July – Sir James Smith Transition Week  
4<sup>th</sup> July – Sports Day  
10<sup>th</sup> July – Earhart Summer Production  
11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> July – Budehaven Transition Days  
15<sup>th</sup>- 16<sup>th</sup> July – Launceston College Transition Days  
16<sup>th</sup> July – Warbstow Transition morning  
16<sup>th</sup> July – New Nursery Stay and Play  
17<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> July – Y3/4 residential trip to Carnyorth  
24<sup>th</sup> July – End of Year Celebration Assembly  
24<sup>th</sup> July - Last day of term