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Mr Ellis Office Hours

Monday-PM Tuesday- All Day Thursday- All Day Friday- PM

21st September 2018



Tuesday 25th September- Tempest Individual and Family photos

Wednesday 26th September- Year 1 Hearing
Screening

Thursday 27th-28th September Class 1 Camp Tuesday 2nd October- Nasal Flu spray Reception-Year 5

in the Hall. Parents welcome
Thursday 18th & 19th October INSET DAY
Monday 22nd-Friday 26th October-HALF TERM
Monday 29th October-INSET DAY
Tuesday 30th October-BACK TO SCHOOL
Wednesday 28th November- Music Assembly
1.30pm- Parents Welcome
Wednesday 12th December- Matinee school plays
Thursday 13th December- Evening performances
Tuesday 18th December- Carol Service

Wednesday 19th December- Christmas lunch and party

Thursday 20th December- LAST DAY OF TERM

This week the school were visited by Olympic Bronze medallist- Melissa Reid. She won Bronze in Rio 2016 as a Triathlete. She shared her modified swim goggles around to the children, so they could see what it is like being visually impaired. She shared, how she overcame obstacles along the way, including a dislike of swimming in the beginning.

The rain has returned but that hasn't stopped our new Reception children venturing up to the woods with some hot chocolate. Class 1 have been making gloop as part of their science experiment. They have been learning about the country code, ready for their camp next week, along with doing a display. Year 2 have continued their lessons with Mrs Harvey in their own classroom.

Class 2 have completed their Myth of Sisyphus comic strips, and started planning an alternative ending for the legend of Jan Tregeagle. In Maths, they have been solving addition and subtraction calculations using the mental method. They enjoyed playing games to learn about Anglo Saxon crime, and punishment.

In class 3, Year 6 pupils have been doing practice SATS papers with Mr Turnham this week. They have been looking at Health and nutrition and learning about the impact this has on their bodies.



Individual and family photos on Tuesday 25th. If you would like a family picture taken of your children with a child who is not in Pre-School that day please arrange to be in the hall for 8.30am. All other family photos will be arranged throughout the morning.



Class 1 Camp

Please ensure all permission slips are returned ASAP.

Attendance School year to date

98.5%

This is an increase of 0.3% Thank you for your support

Hearing Screening

Year 1

On Wednesday Year 1 will be having their hearing screening tests. These tests are performed by a Paediatric Hearing Screener from the NHS. They are non invasive and do not hurt. These tests can help identify a child with a hearing problem, for example glue ear.

If you **do not** want your child to have this test done then please speak to Miss Hicks ASAP.

Uniform

Please can you ensure that your child's uniform is named. We are having an increased number of items of uniform coming into the office and are unable to return easily.

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments

DAYS ABSENCE (190 school days)

100%

EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE

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6
DAYS ABSENCE
OR MORE

96.99%

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DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE

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Coffee morning

Serena will be holding a coffee morning for Macmillan on Saturday 29th September in the Hall from 10-12.

Serena would be grateful for any volunteers and donations of cakes/prizes. (Please contact Serena if you are able to assist).

This is open to all so please share within the community.



Next Friday (28th September) Class 1 will NOT be swimming as they will be on their camp. Instead Class 2 will be going swimming as a one off for this term. They will be doing personal lifesaving.

If your child is in <u>Class 2</u> please ensure you send them in with their kit next week.

Thank you to all who have paid their contributions for swimming already. Just a reminder that you are able to do this on ParentPay or in the office.



School Storm Dry Coats

Another uniform order will be going in shortly. If you would like a school coat for your child, please arrange payment of £19.99 via ParentPay or pay in the office. Please advise Miss Hicks of the size you require. Miss Hicks does have one available in her office to purchase at present. (age 9/10)

An order will be happening on Friday 28th so please let her know by Thursday, end

of day.

We are pleased to let you know about the upcoming Census Day theme day menu.

School Census Day is on Thursday 4th October. The meal numbers achieved on this day will set the funding provided to our school by the DfE for the next three months.

We are pleased to provide this fun menu which the children will enjoy helping to ensure the uptake on this day is as high as possible.



Auntie Wendy

We have had an update from the family.

The service will be held at 2pm on Friday 5th October at Cannworthy Water, followed by the Crematorium at Bodmin for 3.30.

Afterwards the wake will be held at Trethorne Leisure Farm from 4.30pm.

If you are planning to attend the service with your child at 2pm please collect from school just after 1pm. Each class will be preparing a board of photos and messages for a display at Trethorne Leisure Farm from 4.30.

Warbstow Wonders

To share our children's achievements we are going to publish the names of pupils receiving special certificates.

Club 33 achievements

Freya Janosh Jago Freddie Harvey Cameron Malaki Billy Oscar Peter Holly Matthew Tik Emilia Cory Oliver This week congratulations go to:

Club 44 Alex

Club 66 Millicent Kind and Helpful

Liam Archie G Holly Ollie
Evie Jago
Esmee Janosh
Lily Lauren

Alex

Working Hard