

WHAT AN AMAZING WEEK FOR OUR SWIFTS! It seemed like a long time for our little ones without their big buddies in school who have had the most fantastic week at Porthpean enjoying 5 days of activities. These included water sports, high ropes, caving, climbing wall, problem solving, team building games and more! They even had time for a silent disco! What an incredible opportunity and experience for all. A huge thank you to all the staff who supported the children through the week, particularly Mrs Pallot who was there on hand day and night for the entire five days! We would like to also thank the brilliant team of activity leaders at Porthpean who ensured the children were safe and happy during all the activities. A week that the children will never forget.





























NEW TEACHER TO JOIN OUR PERRAN-AR-WORTHAL TEAM! After receiving a high number of applications for the new Yr1 Teaching Post at our school, we are delighted to announce that following a full day or lesson observations and interviews, Mrs Mary Arthur was appointed and will be joining our team in September and will be teaching our Yr1 Wagtails Class! Many of you may know Mrs Arthur as one of our very popular supply teacher at our school and as a parent.

### SO, WHICH TEACHER WILL BE TEACHING YOUR CHILD IN SEPTEMBER?

EYFS Puffins: Mon, Tues, Wed—Mrs Benner

Thurs, Fri—Miss Nadler

Year 1 Wagtails: Mrs Arthur

Year 2 Robins: Mrs Rawlings

**Year 3 Starlings: Mrs Edwards** 

Year 4 Skylarks: Mr Trudgeon

Year 5 Kingfishers: Mr Teasdale

Year 6 Swifts: Mrs Pallot



#### **♀ HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT ABOUT BECOMING A SCHOOL GOVERNOR?**

We now have one vacancy for a new Parent Governor. If you are interested in finding out more about the role then there will an opportunity before the end of term to come and talk to the Chair of Governors, Headteacher and current governors about the position and what the role involves. See our school website for more information using this **LINK**.



I am very much looking forward to welcoming a new parent governor to our board at a really interesting time for our school. This new governor will be fully involved in developing the strategic plan for Perran-ar-worthal School, which will cover the next 3 to 5 years and help to guide the future development of the school as it continues to grow within its 7 class structure.

We are a small group of people, supported by our clerk, who are responsible for making sure the school provides a good quality education for all pupils. Meetings follow a formal agenda, but the atmosphere is informal. We work as a team, as everyone brings different skills and experiences.

Raising educational standards in school is a key priority for everyone at Perran-ar-worthal. We do this by setting direction, policies & procedures together and alongside the head teacher, who is responsible for the day-to-day management of the school.

If you are thinking of standing, do talk to our other parent governors, contact me for a chat or come to an information session (date to be confirmed) where I, Rachel Heffer, and one or two of our existing governors will be happy to discuss informally the role of parent governor.

Val Royston (Chair of Governors)

For more information on the role of governors, watch this short video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=p3z1FZoYvNc



PLEASE BRING IN A DONATION FOR THE TOMBOLA FOR THIS YEAR'S.....



TOYS/GAMES
BOTTLE OF SOMETHING
BEAUTY/HEALTH ITEM
CRAFT OR HOUSEHOLD ITEM
IDEALLY NO CHOCOLATE PLEASE

## **FOPS** newsletter

Friends Of Perran-Ar-Worthal School

### **Upcoming Events**

Tuesday 20th June Non uniform day

Tuesday 4th July FOPs meeting 7.30pm at School

Thursday 6th July
Bags2School
Blue bags will be sent home
in the next couple of weeks.

Saturday 15th July
Perranfest 2023
Gates open from 3pm at
School. Stalls, games, music
and BBQ plus bar. Please
come to support us.

## Preloved School Uniform

Please contact Charli directly to make your order on 07740090777

We also would love uniform donations with the school logo, in good condition.

All proceeds go back into School.

Thank you!

#### **Non Uniform Day**

With Perranfest fast approaching, there will be a non uniform day on <u>Tuesday 20th</u>. <u>June</u>

Please bring in a suitable prize for the tombola.

- Toys/ Lego/ Games
- · Bottle of something
- Craft or household item
- · Beauty/health items
- Ideally no chocolate please.



# Perranfest 2023 Can you help?!



Do you know any local businesses that would be willing to make a donation for the raffle?

Vouchers \* Days out \* Experiences

Please speak to your class rep or grab Lucy, Rosie or Mary in the playground if you are able to help.

Anything would be fab!

### Easyfundraising plea

Please consider signing up to easyfundraising to raise money for the school for free every time you shop via the app or online.

www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/foperranarworthal/





Scan me to go straight to our easyfundraising page!

APPROPRIATE SCHOOL UNIFORM PLEASE: We have noticed a rise in KS2 pupils wearing inappropriate footwear during the week, nail polish, make-up, jewellery other than studs and unnatural hair colour. We would like to ask parents to support the school's expectations by ensuring your child attends school in the expected uniform. Please could we ask that pupils attend school with natural hair colour, no make-up or nail polish and wearing sensible school shoes during the week i.e. no heeled shoes or boots. Trainers can be worn on the day they have PE and on Fab Fridays.

The following accessories are acceptable:

Stud earrings, watches, sensible hair bands/clips/hair slides/hair grips/Alice bands. No more than one friendship wrist band.

Please do not wear the following to school:

Necklaces, bangles/bracelets, rings, hooped earrings, false nails, nail polish, makeup, heeled shoes/boots, unnatural hair colour.

Why is this so important?

We want our KS2 pupils to be role models for our younger children. We are also concerned about the risks relating to necklaces, bangles, rings and hooped earrings being worn in the playground when children are playing games.



WELL DONE TO OUR
MOST RECENTLY
NOMINATED KINDNESS NINJA!

Last week, one of our Year 5 pupils was nominated to be recognised for his Random Act of Kindness when he offered to help carry a heavy watering can full of water for one of our parent volunteers and then proceeded to help water the plants in the grow zone during his play time. This nomination goes to Harley Yendle in Year 5. Well done Harley and thank you for your kindness.

**TEAM POINT CERTIFICATE WINNERS 15<sup>th</sup> June 2023** 

SILVER CERTIFICATE - 100 TEAM POINTS

Year 3: Felix

**GOLD CERTIFICATE - 150 TEAM POINTS** 

Year 1: Kaiser

Year 4: Daisy

Year 5: Indah

**MEDAL - 200 TEAM POINTS** 

**Reception: Isaac and Lettie** 

Year 1: Hetty

Year 2: Lily

**Year 3: Agnes, Harriet and Aubrey** 

**BADGE – 250 TEAM POINTS** 

Year 3: Finn and Violet

Year 4: Blakely

Year 5: Eliza







#### **CONFIRMED SUMMER TERM DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

Tuesday, 20th June: Non-Uniform Day—please bring in prize for the tombola

Thursday, 22nd June and Friday, 23rd June: Yr4 Surf and Sleep with Global Boarders at Gwithian

Monday, 26th June: Yr6 Transition Day at Penryn College

Monday, 26th June to Wednesday, 28th June: Yr5 Camp Kernow at Malpas

Wednesday, 28th June: TRLC Awards night at Truro Cathedral (7 pupils to be awarded)

Thursday, 29th June and Friday, 30th June: Yr3 Seal and Sleep

Monday, 3rd July: Robins' Trip to Castel Beach with Rockpool Project

**Tuesday, 4th July:** FOPS Meeting at school @ 7.30pm

Thursday, 6th July: Sports Day @12.30pm on Village Green

Tuesday, 11th and Wednesday, 12th July: Redruth School transition days.

Thursday, 13th July: BACK-UP Sports Day!

Saturday, 15th July: PERRANFEST at School @3pm until late!

Monday, 17th July: Yr2 Camp day at school

Monday, 17th July: Yr6 Robin Hood Dress Rehearsal @1.30pm

Monday, 17th July: Yr6 Robin Hood Evening Performance @6.30pm

Tuesday, 18th July: Puffins Trip to Castle Beach with Rock Pool Project

Tuesday, 18th July: Yr6 Robin Hood Matinee Performance @1.30pm

Wednesday, 19th July: Yr6 Robin Hood Evening Performance @6.30pm

Friday, 21st July: Yr6 Leaver's Assembly in the school hall @ 9.30am

Monday, 24th July: INSET DAY—school closed to children

Tuesday, 25th July: INSET DAY—school closed to children

NB: If, due to unforeseen circumstances, there is a need to change any dates or

times, we will notify you as soon as possible.



'BAGS FOR SCHOOL' bags will have been sent home with your child recently. We will remind you of date of next collection closer to the time.

WRAPROUND PRICE CHANGES AND <u>TIMES</u> FOR SEPTEMBER: To reflect the increase in food and staffing costs we will be introducing a slight price increase to our wraparound service as from September 2023. A more detailed letter and an updated procedural document will be sent out before the end of term. But for an initial idea of what to expect please see below:

- 7.45am to 8.45am—£4 (includes breakfast)
- 3.15pm to 4.15pm—£4 (includes snack and drink)
- 4.15pm to 5.30pm—£4 (please note slight END time change to this session)
- 5.30pm to 6pm—£5 (please note slight START time change to this session)

If you have not used our wraparound service before but would like to in September, please ask Miss Deakin for a registration form. All current details can be found on our school website following this LINK.

LEARNING TOGETHER STARTS THIS WEEK: For those of you who are current parents and have a younger child starting with us in our Reception Class in September 2023, this is just a reminder that the first of the Learning Together sessions will take place tomorrow (Tuesday) at 2pm and will finish at 2.45pm. We look forward to seeing you and your child join us then.

NON-UNIFORM DAY: This will be taking place on Tuesday, 20th June. We ask that children bring in a donation towards the Perranfest tombola stall on this day. Thank you in advance.