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#### FISH AND CHIP SUPPER AT THE LONDON INN TONIGHT FROM 5.00PM £8 PER HEAD FOR FISH AND CHIPS AND HALF A PINT.

The London Inn have very kindly offered to donate all takings from the supper to the school. Please support us and help us say thank you to Rob and David who will soon be leaving the pub.

Gumboot's

THANK YOU to St Neot military whist drive who last week donated £99.40 to the school.

THANKS ALSO to Mr and Mrs Shanbhag for their generous donation to Fowey Class which will be used to buy resources for the new room.

#### AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

All clubs except badminton will finish the week beginning 2nd December. Look out for next terms clubs in a couple of week's time.

#### **REMINDERS**

Can we remind you that children shouldn't bring in toys from home unless explicitly asked, this is to prevent loss or damage and unnecessary upset.

Can we also remind parents that break time snacks should be healthy, this week a child bought in a packet of chocolate digestives.

#### **CHRISTMAS WREATH WORKSHOP TUESDAY 26TH NOVEMBER 7.00PM** IN THE SCHOOL HALL

£10 per person-wreath ring, oasis and foliage provided, please bring your own scissors and decorations/candles etc. Part of the admission cost will go to school funds.

Please book in advance at the school office.

#### **MONTHLY QUIZ**

Each month Mrs Martin sets a topical guiz for the children to take part in. Last month only three children entered, well done Lilly J, Imogen and Daisy M.

This month all children have been given a quiz sheet to try and complete, perhaps if they are stuck you can help them.

#### THANK YOU

We would like to say a huge thank you to The Belling Trust who not only donated the new interactive whiteboard for Fowey Class but also paid for the wiring, a set of ipads, a charging station and a teacher laptop. This very generous donation will enable all of Fowey Class to access the very latest technology and enhance their learning.

#### **NURSERY NEWS**

The topic next week is The Three Little Pigs. The letter sound will be 't' and we will be reading 'Gumboot's Chocolatey Day' and 'Three Little Pigs'. Children in Need is next Friday and we would like

children to come to Nursery wearing spots or stripes with a £1 donation for Children in Need, thank you.

The Nursery Christmas Party will be on Tuesday 17th December. Parents can join the party at 2.30pm. A list of food will be put in the foyer at the beginning of December, please add your name. If your child does not usually attend on Tuesday, they are still welcome to come to the party, just let Jenny and Jayne know.

#### **FOOTBALL NEWS**

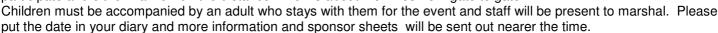
On Monday green team played two matches. In the first they lost to St Cleer 8-1. The team didn't work as a team in the first half but after a talk at half time they played much better, with Kerenza scoring after being passed the ball by Harry and Alex. The second game was against Delaware which we won 5-2, the team had gelled by this time and were working well together.

#### **BADMINTON TOURNAMENT**

Well done to Neave, James, Harley, Amy, Morgan, Evie, Jack, Kerenza and Ben who took part in the East Cornwall badminton festival. They played exceptionally well, winning all their matches easily. They will now progress to the next stage of the tournament.

#### SPONSORED RUN/WALK DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

On Sunday 19th January the Cross Country Club will be organising a sponsored walk/run around Siblyback Lake to raise money for a new kit and school flag. Everyone is welcome to participate and either walk or run the distance which is about 2.5 miles from gate to gate.



### **CHILDREN IN NEED FRIDAY 15TH NOVEMBER** Please come to school wearing spots or stripes. £1 donation per child please to Children in Need.

#### SCHOOL CLOSURES DUE TO BAD WEATHER

With the winter weather now approaching can we remind you that while we do our best to keep the school open there may be occasions where the safest decision is to close. In the event of a closure Cornwall Council will be informed and notices will be read out on local radio and will appear on the council website. We will also send an email to all first named contacts who have provided us with an email address. Please make sure you keep us informed if any of your contact details change, thank you.

#### **PTA CHRISTMAS FAIR** THURSDAY 28TH NOVEMBER-CAKES NEEDED

Are you able to bring in a cake, cupcakes, biscuits or mince pies for the refreshments and cake stall? They don't have to be home made! If so, could you please complete and return the slip below, so that we know how many to expect.

The PTA also need tablecloths, so if you have any you no longer need please drop them in to the office, thank you.

#### **PTA CHRISTMAS FAIR**

Name

I am able to provide a cake/cupcakes/biscuits/mince pies (please delete as applicable) for the Christmas Fair. I will bring them into school on the morning of 28th November.

# DID YOU KNOW:

- In French adjectives will always come before nouns if the word is beauty, goodness, age or size-Joseph
- We have fireworks because Guy Fawkes tried to blow up James 1-Yilmaz
- Charles 1 was beheaded because he raised unpopular taxes—Connor

#### LISTENING TO YOUR CHILD READ

We are noticing that older children aren't having their reading records completed ar home. Please try to listen to your child read every night and make a comment in the record so that we know where they are up to, thank you.

## CHINMAYI HAS WRITTEN THIS FANTASTIC PIECE OF WORK ABOUT THE NEW CLASSROOM.

We're so lucky to get a new classroom.! It's very spacious and beneficial for the growth of Fowey Class. The shape of the classroom appears (to me) to be like a Lego head. The place that we work in is the top part of the head and the extra back bit is where the interventions, reading and independent work takes place. The location of the classroom is at the back of the school on the right hand side.

The resources of the classroom are perfect for me. My favourite one is the smart board and the smart board pens because it doesn't just write but can do a lot of other things too. It is crucial to the teachers as it is a time saving, brilliant gadget. The pen can rub out and can move writing, so saves a lot of time.

When I first walked into the classroom I got surprised to see the size, it was colossal! It gave me a feeling of satisfaction, as it was just perfect to learn and educate in.

I would like to say a big thank you to all the teachers who put their ideas in, to make this classroom special. It encourages me to put more effort into my work so that I can make my teachers proud.