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"A happy learning environment for all"

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St Neot Primary School

This is the final newsletter for this year. We would like to say goodbye and good luck to Chinmayi, Amy, Summer, Connor, Olivia, Lachie, Mack, Imogen, Ellie and James.

NURSERY NEWS

Goodbye and good luck to our leavers, we wish you well in your first year at school.

Nursery remains open until Wednesday next week, if you choose not to send your child in to school you will still be charged.

Nursery fees will be increasing in September to reflect increased costs in staffing, utilities and resources. The new fees will be:

9.00-12.00 £13.50 9.00-1.00 £18 9.00-3.00 £27

12.00-3.00 £13.50

We wish you all a happy holiday, see you on Monday 6th September.

FOR INFORMATION ABOUT THE LIBRARY SUMMER READING CHALLENGE PLEASE SEE OVERLEAF

WRAPAROUND CARE FEES

From September breakfast club fees will increase to £2.50 per session. Riverside fees remain the same.

UNIFORM

The cost of school uniform will be rising slightly next term, this is due to an increase in supplier costs. If you wish to order before the end of term please contact Dee as soon as possible, orders placed by 20th July will be charged at the existing rate.

OUTSTANDING PAYMENTS

As we approach the end of term can you please make sure that all payments for lunches, breakfast and Riverside Clubs and Nursery are up to date, thank you.

MESSAGE FROM MRS BOWDEN

I have the greatest admiration for the children of St Neot School. This year they have once again shown resilience and determination academically, in sport and by showing independence.

The kind letters of support from parents and carers have been really encouraging showing that the hard work and dedication of the staff is appreciated.

Unfortunately, due to Covid-19 restrictions, many events haven't taken place as they would normally, however, the school has been able to reach out to the community by delivering Christmas and Easter cards and making decorated spoons which were displayed throughout the village.

I would like to thank the staff for their continued dedication and hard work, the governors and parents for the support and understanding but most of all, to the children I would like to say well done, we are all so proud of you.

I wish you all a happy summer holiday, good luck to the children who are leaving, and we'll see everyone in September.

It has been so unfortunate that Dewey and Treverbyn were shut before the end of term. I would like to thank you once again for your support and understanding through this difficult time.

SPORTS DAY

It was lovely that Sports Day was able to go ahead this week, we hope the children all enjoyed it. There are photos on the school website under the events tab.

MENU CHANGES FOR THE NEXT WEEK

Tuesday 20th July-Meatballs and pasta or macaroni cheese Wednesday 21st July-Fish fingers or Quorn dippers and chips.

GUITARS

The last guitar lesson this term will now be on Tuesday 20th July.

PLEASE SEE OVERLEAF FOR FINLEY'S POEM

100 CLUB WINNER

This month's 100 Club winner is 41.

Thank you to everyone who has supported us this year, we hope to run the 100 Club again next year.

CONGRATULATIONS to Alyce who has completed her drums book 1 with distinction.

CONGRATULATIONS also to Leonora who has been awarded a Blue Peter badge for sending in a picture of Lindsey flying with the Red Arrows.

We have been requested by local organisations to include the community events detailed below. These are not endorsed by St Neot School.

BLACKBIRD PIE MAGAZINE available online here https://blackbirdreads.turtl.co/story/blackbirdpie-2021-summer/

LISKEARD AND LOOE FOODBANK if you are struggling to feed your family over the holidays please contact the school by emailing secretary@st-neot.cornwall.sch.uk, we can then refer you to the foodbank who will be able to offer assistance.

SUMMER HOLIDAY CRICKET CAMPS for more information please visit www.cornwallcricket.co.uk

OLYMPIC ADVENTURE HOLIDAY BIBLE CLUB SPECIAL fun filled morning of bible teaching, games, craft, singing and drama, 10am to 12.30pm. Immanuel Church, Berrycombe Road, Bodmin, PL31 2NS. For further information contact lizzysmallwood164@gmail.com

TINY TOES BALLET from 6 months to 7 years, please visit www.tinytoesballet.co.uk/cornwall for more information.

SUMMER FOOTBALL COURSE 5-15 year olds-Thursday 22nd July 9.00am-3.00pm-registration from 8.45am- at St Neot School. Register online at www.pro20sports.com, and wear appropriate clothing, bring football boots and trainers, a packed lunch and bottle of water.

TREVERBYN POEMS

This week Treverbyn were writing poems in the style of Swapna Haddow and we would like to share Finley's with you.

I love me, I love the way how I never give up, up, up
I love my handy hands to hold what I want
I love my helpful eyes and my thick blond hair
I love my tanned skin and my quick feet,

I love my brain, my brilliant adventurous brain that helps me find what to do on a dull day

But sometimes there are days when I'm not sure I love me as much as the day before

So on those days I go to my room and I read my book and I blow that thought away, so far away

And I think what has made me glum and I fix it.

Then I jump in the car and go to St Austell and I play my socks off
And I jump and run and have fun and make my frown upside down and I listen to
music and think what I have done

And I remember how much I love BEING ME!

Liskeard Library invite your child to join the Summer Reading Challenge 2021. If your child has not joined the library or perhaps has an unused library card at home, we would like to encourage them to take part in this year's challenge, 'Wild World Heroes'.

Children's reading can 'dip' during the long summer holidays. The annual Summer Reading Challenge helps get three quarters of a million children into libraries to keep up their reading skills and confidence. The Summer Reading Challenge encourages children aged 4 to 11 to read six books during the long summer holiday.

It is a fun **free** activity for children to take part in, with prizes and stickers to collect throughout the challenge. For all children who complete the challenge there is a medal and certificate, the certificate will be presented at school in the autumn term.

Signing up to the challenge is really easy; just bring your children to any library from Saturday 10^{th} July. Following the new law regarding data collection and use, we will be asking you to sign a personal data statement.

The challenge finishes on Saturday 11th September so make sure to visit Liskeard Library again before school starts.

Liskeard Library is still located temporarily at Luxstowe House, Liskeard to allow for a refurbishment to take place. Once this refurbishment has been completed, the Library will return to Barras Street.

We look forward to welcoming children to the library this summer.

Opening Hours for Liskeard Library:

Monday10:00 - 17:00Tuesday10:00 - 17:00Wednesday10:00 - 17:00Thursday10:00 - 17:00Friday10:00 - 17:00Saturday10:00 - 13:00

Summer Reading Challenge 2021



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