

# Dear Parents, Staff, Governors & Children.

Happy New Year and welcome back to school. I hope you had a lovely festive break and enjoyed your New Year Thank you for your help, support and celebrations. generosity, which made the Christmas events in school possible at the end of last term [Andrew Orme].

Red Class	Yellow Class	Attendance	Blue Class
87.5%	98.61%	$\ominus$	93.1%

Last week of term's whole school attendance 93.07%. Well done to Yellow Class who will be rewarded with the Attendance (treat filled) Trophy.

<u>DAILY</u> :	8.00-8.50am 9.00am: Daily:	:Breakfast Club Registration: Classroom Collective Worship & Assembly	
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> :	am:	First day of spring term Chartwells menu - Week 1	
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> :	9.10am: am/pm:	Light & Life Assembly Daya Stafford Sikhism workshops	
Weds 10 <sup>th</sup> :	4.00pm:	Mrs Bungay - Phonics Training, Godolphin School	
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup> :	10.00am:	Church Service: Epiphany: all welcome	
	pm:	Drum lessons: Cornwall Music	
Frid 12 <sup>th</sup> :	-		
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup> :	11.45am: pm:	Open the Book assembly Flute & Keyboard lessons: Cornwall Music	
Weds 17 <sup>th</sup> :	am/pm: pm: 3.30-4.30pm:	Blue Class Eden Project trip Yellow Class swimming starts 1/10 SATs booster club: Maths: Year 6	
Thurs 18 <sup>th</sup> :	12.00pm: 3.30-4.30pm:	Chartwells Census Day Menu PTO SATs booster club: SPaG: Year 6	
Forthcoming diary dates:			
Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> : Frid 2 <sup>nd</sup> :	3.30-4.30pm: 6.30-7.30pm:	Year 5s: HCC Transition: Science KS1 Disco: Valentines	

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6.30-7.30pm:	KS1 Disco: Valentines
7.45-9.00pm:	KS2 Disco: Valentines
3.30-4.30pm:	Year 6s: HCC Transition: English
10.00am:	Christingle/Candlemas Service
	6.30-7.30pm: 7.45-9.00pm: 3.30-4.30pm:

### Outstanding payments: dinners, breakfast club, swimming

It would be much appreciated if any outstanding payments could be sent into the school office. Thank you.









As previously advised we have a child with a confirmed nut allergy in school. To avoid any risk of contamination or contact in the school setting we request that all parents adhere to the "nut free zone" rule. Please



bear this in mind particularly with cereal bars and sandwich fillings (eg: chocolate spread (Nutella) and peanut butter).

# School Clubs

Clubs will resume week commencing 15<sup>th</sup> January. Cornwall Music's drum lessons restart this Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> January and keyboard lessons restart on Monday 15<sup>th</sup>. If you haven't signed up to Cornwall Music's direct billing, Autumn term music tuition bills will be sent home shortly.

# School Swimming Lessons: each Wednesday: Yellow Class

Children will have 10 consecutive lessons starting <u>next Wednesday</u> - 17<sup>th</sup> January. Children will be in the pool for the duration



of the 45 min lesson but split according to ability. Children need swimming costume & towel (goggles are optional but a swim hat is required to be worn if your child has long hair). We do have a small stock of swim hats and goggles if needed. A contribution of £3.00 per child per lesson is requested which can be paid weekly or in total (£30.00). Children are permitted to wear a tracksuit (navy) on swim days for ease of changing or school uniform. We regret that due to ever tightening budgets that children absent from a lesson will still need to cover the cost and would request that everyone pays a contribution.

# Transition Project: 23<sup>rd</sup> January: Year 5's: Science

A H.C.C minibus will return children to Breage School for collection (approx 4.40pm) unless arrangements have been made to collect direct from H.C.C (north site). HELSTON COMMUNITY COLLEGE

#### Cookery Club - starting next Tuesday, 16th

**Healthy Schools** 



Cookery Club runs each Tuesday for 4 consecutive weeks. Mr Orme will let children know who is taking part this half term by the end of this week. Payment of £5 is required to cover the cost of ingredients for all four sessions. Children should add their name to the waiting list if they wish to take part.



Respect

LOTTERY FUNDED Trust

Care

Friendship

# SATs booster club: Maths and SPaG - starting next week

All Year 6s to attend please: Each Wednesday and Thursday from next week (3.30-4.30pm), Miss Burgess will be running SATs booster club. These clubs will run until SATs week in May.

# Notice of Parents & Friends AGM - Wednesday 7th February

2.00pm. Everyone is welcome to attend. For P&F to continue members are needed – existing and new. A nomination sheet has been placed on the P&F noticeboard (outside of Red Class) for positions of Chair, Vice Chair, Treasurer and Secretary. On the day of the meeting voting Committee Members will also be chosen.

#### 100 Club - December & January

 $\underline{Dec}:$  1st: Chris & Barry (A Orme) ; 2nd: Michelle H (Caitlin H); 3rd: Mr Orme

<u>Jan</u>: 1<sup>st</sup>: Kim W (Kaitlyn W); 2<sup>nd</sup>: Jo O (Becky O); 3<sup>rd</sup>: Tracey C (Tian)

#### <u>A win, win competition!</u> - <u>Biscuit wrappers needed asap</u>



**Please send in any you have**. Mrs Brookes has sent in two consignments but would like to send in a 3<sup>rd</sup> as this gives us the maximum

sweepstake entries. £33.32 has been credited to our account for these two consignments! The top 20 collectors receive a share of £500:  $1^{st}$  prize £100! Let's keep these items out of landfill and raise funds for our school! Ask family and friends to save too!

### Universal free infant school meals

https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-andlearning/schools-and-colleges/school-meals/

All Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children are entitled to receive a free school meal automatically. Chartwells will cater for all children whatever their dietary needs: if your child needs the menu adapted eq:



lactose free, no diary etc please let the school office know asap so that arrangements can be made.

Whilst all Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 children receive a free meal automatically, any parent (from Years R to 6) meeting the criteria detailed should apply to Cornwall Council to apply for pupil premium. If you receive any of the following you may qualify:

- Income Support (IS)
- Income-Based jobseeker's allowance (not contribution based) Income Related Employment and Support Allowance (not contribution based)
- Child Tax Credit (CTC) with an Annual income of no more than £16,190.
- Guarantee Element of State Pension Credit (GPC)
- Support via Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 (IAA)
- Universal Credit

Please note, if you are in receipt of working tax credit, you do not qualify.

For further information or to check your eligibility go to <u>www.cornwall.gov.uk</u> (in the search box type free school meals). Claims cannot be backdated. There are also links under "useful links" (important info tab) on our school website.

### <u> Chartwells Promotional Menu – School Census Day</u>



<u>Our recycling fundraisers – please ask family/friends to</u> save too: please separate items per recycling programme

