

24th January 2020

Message from Miss Harvey

Dear Parents

Thank you to all who have managed to bring in wellies. We had our first "Field on Friday" today and it was great to see the additional freedom this gives everyone! Wellies can be brought in for your child; these should be named and in a bag to be stored on their peg. Spare wellies will be available from the PTSCA Boot Bin. We are currently looking for a longer-term storage solution - any ideas welcome!

Letters

There will be a back to back hard copy letter coming home today giving details of our proposed Breakfast Club and photo image consent. Please sign and return this to the office as soon as possible. Thank you.

Gates

We are expecting work to start on the new security gates for the playground entrances on Monday. There will be a number of contractor vehicles needing to access the site and we are asking that parents consider this when parking on Monday and over the following few days. We will also be having the front gate widened to enable emergency vehicle access to the front of the school. Parents are asked to consider this when using the front carpark to pick up children from after school club. We hope the work will only take a few days, and then things will be back to normal. Thank you for your understanding.

Flexibility

We are focusing on Flexibility over the next two weeks. We will be considering how we can keep changing for the better, by considering others' ideas, feelings and by not insisting on having things our own way. In school, we often see really good examples of children being flexible at playtimes, when they can't have the equipment they want or when their friends want to play a different game. We will be encouraging children to spot the flexibility in themselves and in others and you can support us by naming this virtue when you see it at home, perhaps when your child does not want to do something but then agrees, or when you change your plans to fit in with them!

Playground surface

Over the past few weeks, we have had several children fall on the playground and a few of these have had gravel embedded into the wound. To help prevent this we are asking that any parents and carers who are able, join us in a playground sweep next Friday afternoon. As many hands will make light work, we are asking that you bring a broom and join us in the playground at 2:45pm for a sweep and clear.

Lighthouse Keepers



AMELIE CADDY for working hard

JAMES GARNER for coming in positively and being helpful around school

EVAN FOSTER-SLACK for diligence in his work

Class 2 Pupil Progress Meeting

A note giving prior notice that Mrs Murley will be available on Tuesday March 3rd to share and discuss children's work in Class 2. Please make an appointment by signing up on the appointments sheet which will be available after half-term.



Borrow, download
and enjoy here
Your library in one app.

Children in Class 3 recently enjoyed a visit to Camborne Library and have since been enjoying the use of the Borrowbox App. This is a free app which can be downloaded onto your smartphone or tablet. Initially, you will need to be a member of Cornwall Libraries to access the app by signing in using your borrower number (Cornwall library card number) and PIN (last four digits of your Cornwall library card number). Full details can be found on the Cornwall Council website under leisure-and-culture/libraries. You will also need an internet connection to complete your registration but once you have downloaded your eAudiobooks and eBooks, an internet connection is not required to view them. Do encourage your child to use this free app from where they can select a variety of titles they might enjoy.

Bags 2 School



Thank you to everyone who took the time and effort to have a 'clear out' and fill the Bags 2 School sacks. The bags were collected on Tuesday morning and members of the School Council (pictured above) helped with the weighing. The total weight was converted into pounds and **£108.00** was raised! Members of the School Council will enjoy researching on how best to spend this on resources for the school.

Thank you for your support.



Please can all children have their PE Kit in school during the week. PE kit can be taken home each Friday for washing as long as it is brought back into school on Monday. PE kit should consist of the correct PE t-shirt, navy blue or black shorts or leggings/jogging bottoms. It would also be helpful if an item of warm clothing or light coat could be included for outdoor PE sessions. Thank you.

Brass Lessons



On Monday morning we enjoyed a Brass Assembly given by the Cornwall Music Service and our very own **Will Orchard!** Brass lessons are available on a Thursday afternoon and if your child is interested, please see Mrs Olds who will be able to provide the necessary paperwork. Thank you.



Keyrings & Book Bags



Children like to quickly identify their book bags by putting a keyring on it. However, we would ask that only **ONE** keyring per book bag is used. Lately, there has been a tendency for more than one keyring to be attached and this can take up too much room in their pouches. Thank you.

School Meals - week beginning 27th January



Week 1

Diary Dates:

Feb	10	Last swim session for ENYS
	17-21	Half Term
	24	First swim session for TOWAN
Mar	27	End of Spring Term - 1.15pm
Apr	14	Summer Term begins 8.45am