

Lostwithiel Primary School

Newsletter SPRING TERM 2018 - 23.02.2018



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Head's Hello,

The sunny days this week hint that Spring is nearly with us! This allows us to refocus on our outdoor environment. On Monday the 5th of March Mrs Barnes, Mrs Redhead and Mr Williams will be spending the day developing the space next to the geodesic dome into a school allotment and garden. We hope to have the dome green house and allotment patches ready for each class to be able to grow their own crops ready for our 'Food, Glorious Food' topic next term. If there are any parents or carers that are green fingered and would like to help or have any useful gardening tools to donate please contact Mrs Barnes or the school office.

I am delighted to hold our next 'Family Friday' in our forest school area. We will be cooking bacon sandwiches and providing hot drinks by the fire from 9 am on Friday the 23rd of March. Pupils will be on hand to give a tour of our forest school and share their experiences and learning. After this, there will be open classrooms as normal. Mrs Redhead, Mrs Webber and I look forward to seeing you there!

Warm Regards

Natalie Simmonds

LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL ASSOCIATION (LSA)

LOTTERY WINNERS: 1st prize (£18) Alison Maiklem, 2nd prize (£9) Rob Bevington, 3rd prize (£3) Catharine Chapman

NON UNIFORM DAY AT SCHOOL RAISED £103 FOR THE LSA—THANK YOU EVERYONE !

THIS WEEK'S STAR LEARNERS

Apple	Chelsea-Marie Coslett, Ruby-Mae Hobin
Cherry	Evie Prout, Elowen Mitchell
Oak	Mia Rule, Eliza Robinson
Willow	Arthur Laidler, Daisy Brown
Beech	Tilly Chittenden, Alastair Hill
Maple	Jack Quarmby, Jasmine Thorpe
Conkers	Archy Hamley, Evie Palmer



This week's attendance

APPLE:	95.2%
CHERRY:	96.3%
OAK:	97.3%
WILLOW:	97.3%
BEECH:	98.7%
MAPLE:	100%
CONKERS:	97.9%

#WORLDBOOKDAY 2018
THURSDAY 1 MARCH

Celebrate stories. Love reading.

**Children can come to school on
THURSDAY 1ST MARCH
dressed as a character from a book.—we are looking
forward to seeing who you will be!**

Last Day of Term : **Thursday 29th March 2018**

Return to school : **Monday 16th April 2018**

School closed for staff training: **Friday 25th May**

After School Club phone 07821 645720 from (3.15pm to 5.30pm)



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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY (Please check every week for new events being added)

FEBRUARY

Wednesday 28th Reception class and Year 6 - NHS weighing and measuring

MARCH

Thursday 1st WORLD BOOK DAY, children can come to school dressed as favourite character from a book

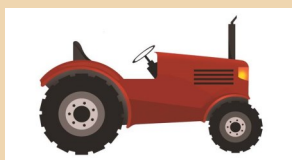
Monday 5th Reception class - NHS vision screening

Friday 23rd, 9am Forest School Family Friday

Monday 26th, 9am Class Group Photos

Thursday 29th Last day of term

TRACTOR APPEAL!



Would any parents/family members have a tractor? We are hoping to arrange to have one brought in to school for Apple Class to

look at on either Wednesday 14th or Thursday 15th March. Please contact the School Office if you think you can help. Thankyou.

PARENTS' EVENINGS

Parents' evenings are taking place next week, commencing Monday 26th February. If you haven't made your appointment please contact your child's class teacher to arrange.

Health Checks for Reception and Year 6 children

NHS weighing and measuring takes place at school for Reception and year 6 classes on Wednesday 28th February. NHS vision screening will take place at school for Reception children on Monday 5th March. Health check forms were issued to Reception and year 6 children in the Autumn term and these forms will be used to check for consent. If you did not return your form at that time consent will be assumed and your child will receive the check.

AFTER SCHOOL ACTIVITY CLUBS NEXT WEEK

Please note that due to parent meetings Netball Club will be cancelled on Tuesday 27th February. All other clubs will take place this week as usual.



Lostwithiel School Association Class Reps

Each class has parent representatives from the LSA to communicate information about LSA and school events. This is to further improve communication between the school, LSA and parents and carers. See below for the parent representative for your class.

Reception	Gillian Brown
Year 1	Alice Mitchell and Tia Tamblyn
Year 2	Nicole Douglas and Helen Polkinghorne
Year 3	Sian Cornish and Stacey Bevington
Year 4	Lottie Chittenden, Becca Ellis, Emma Bray
Year 5	Ann Quarmby and Joh Van de Velde
Year 6	Shiv Yates and Jo Miles



SKIPPING CLUB

From **Wednesday 28th February**

Mrs Charnock will be running a skipping club during Wednesday lunchtime. This will be held on the playground outside Oak Class from 12:15 to 13:00. Children do not need to book to attend.

**LIL DJs—Ronnie and Jago from Conkers Class
raised £26 for CLIC at their disco over half term Well done !**



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LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL TRAVEL AND SAFETY

29th January 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Governors and school staff are very concerned about the safety and congestion on Bodmin Hill and around the school car park at drop off and pick up times.

We have taken the following actions to try and improve the safety and organisation of these very busy times of the day.

- The walking bus will continue every day, rain or shine and will be staffed by Ms Simmonds or Mr Stead. As we have members of staff leading the bus we will be at the community centre at 8:20 am and will be leaving at the slightly earlier time of 8:30 am so staff and pupils can be in school promptly 9 am.
- Staff members will no longer park on the left side of the car park. This area will be kept free to allow drivers with a disabled badge easy access to the spaces provided. It will also allow turning room for the taxis that provide transport from the county council.
- A member of staff will do a car park duty from 8:45 am to 9 am. This will be to ensure safe drop off in and around the car park.

Mrs Warren Nicholls will be on duty to pick up children delivered in taxis from 8:45 am.

Staff members, disabled badge holders, taxis and child care providers will be allowed access to the car park.

We politely ask all other parents and carers:

- Do not park in the car park. Please park away from the school car park and gate to ease congestion
- Do not park or stop on the yellow zig zags outside the school entrance. This is illegal and is dangerous as it blocks the entrance and line of sight for pedestrians and other drivers
- Drive slowly and considerately on Bodmin Hill for the safety of pedestrians and children.

Natalie Simmonds
Head Teacher



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LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL UNIFORM INFORMATION

We currently sell some items of school uniform from the school office but are now in the process of moving across to an online system with Wovina in Bodmin. As from Monday 22nd May 2017 parents/ carers can order on line via their website www.wovina.com and have the items either posted (for a purchase of under £20 please allow £2.50 for postage and packing) or you can call at the Wovina unit at 1-3 Omaha Road, Bodmin, PL31 1ER to collect the items personally. The uniform will not be stocked in their shop for general sale so all items will have to be pre-ordered (please allow up to 14 days for items to be ordered in by Wovina). For those parents who do not have internet access Wovina will accept telephone orders on 01208 833070.

The current Wovina prices are:

Full zip fleece	£13.00
Sweatshirt/jumper	£8.60
P.E T-shirt	£4.10
P.E Bag	£3.85
Book Bags	£4.50

We still have a small stock of some items still available in the school office for sale (**cash only please**) at the following prices:

Full zip fleece	£13.00 - age 3-4
Sweatshirt/jumper	£8.00 - age 3-4 and age 13-14
P.E T-shirt	£4.00 - age 5-6 and 7-8
P.E Bag	£3.00

We will also keep one of each item in each size in the office which will be available for your child to try on before you purchase online.

Please note we no longer sell book bags from the school office, these can now be purchased directly from Wovina.



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CATERLINK MENU—SPRING TERM 2018

ALLERGY INFORMATION: If your child has an allergy or intolerance please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child.

Spring GOLD
Menu 2018

caterlink
leading the imagination

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1	Main	Chicken Chow Mein (made with free range chicken)	Macaroni Pastitsio (made with organic mince beef)	Roast Pork With Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce with Rice	MSC Breaded Fish With Chipped Potatoes, Tomato Sauce
Week 1	Vegetarian	Potato & Courgette Layer Bake	Wholemeal Spinach & Tomato Quiche with New Potatoes	Mixed Vegetable Loaf With Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Macaroni Cheese with Tomato topping	Glamorgan Sausage with Chipped Potatoes
01-Jan						
22-Jan		Sweetcorn Green Beans	Courgettes in a tomato sauce Cauliflower	Carrot & Swede mash	Sweetcorn Mixed Peppers	Baked Beans Garden Peas
19-Feb						
12-Mar	Dessert	cheese Fruit Yoghurt and Shortbread	cheese & Beans Apple and Mixed Berry Crumble & Custard	cheese, onion & mayo Apple, Cheese and Biscuits	Tuna Mayo Pineapple upside down Cake with Custard	Beans Pear & Ginger Muffin
Week 2	Main	Hot Dogs with Homemade Tomato Sauce and Homemade Jacket Wedges	Wholemeal Chicken and Red Pepper Pizza with Baked Potato (made with free range chicken)	Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Beef Goulash with Rice	MSC Battered Fish Chipped Potatoes, Tomato Sauce
Week 2	Vegetarian	Vegetable Wholemeal Pasta Bake	Lentil and Vegetable Curry with Rice	Cheese & Pepper Whirl with Roast Potatoes	Quorn Mince Pasta Bolognese	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Chipped Potatoes
08-Jan						
29-Jan		Tomato & Red Onion Slaw Green Salad	Roasted Vegetables	Broccoli Sliced Carrots	Baked Tomatoes Sweet corn	Baked Beans Garden Peas
26-Feb						
19-Mar	Dessert	cheese, onion & Mayo Pear Crumble and Custard	cheese Banana Sponge & Custard	Tuna Mayo Chocolate Cookie with Natural Yogurt	cheese & Beans Apple & Berry Strudel with Custard	Beans Chocolate and Orange Brownie
Week 3	Main	Beef Burger in a Bun with Oven Baked New Potatoes	Turkey & Leek Pie with Mash Potato Topping	Roast Chicken & Stuffing with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Tortilla Stack & Rice with Garlic Slice (made with organic mince beef)	MSC Salmon Fish Fingers with Chipped Potatoes, Tomato Sauce
Week 3	Vegetarian	Chinese Vegetarian Spring Roll with Oven Baked New Potatoes	Mixed Bean Cassoulet with Mash Potato	Vegetarian Wellington with Roast Potatoes	Chick Pea Aloo Chaat with Rice	Cheese Tomato & Spinach Frittata with Chipped Potatoes
15-Jan						
05-Feb		Broccoli Sweetcorn	Cauliflower Green Beans	Shredded Cabbage Carrots	Roasted Vegetable Medley	Baked Beans Garden Peas
05-Mar						
26-Mar	Dessert	Tuna Mayo Carrot & Sultana Cake with Custard	cheese & Beans Tuti Fruity Tuesday	cheese, onion & Mayo Jelly with a Side of Mandarins	cheese Wholemeal Peach Crumble & Custard	Beans Lemon & Cucumber Cake

Apple & Berry
Fresh baked cake potatoes with potatoes & Tins (where advertised)
Bread freshly baked on site daily
Daily salad selection
Fresh fruit & vegetables



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HOLIDAY AND SCHOOL CLOSURE DATES FOR SCHOOL YEAR 2017-2018

Please note in addition to the school holiday dates below, Lostwithiel School will also be closed to pupils on the following staff training day: **May 2018—Friday 25th**

Cornwall Council

2017/18 school term dates for community and voluntary-controlled schools



September 2017						
Mon		4	11	18	25	
Tue		5	12	19	26	
Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24		

October 2017						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tue		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

November 2017						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24		
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

December 2017						
Mon		4	11	18	25	
Tue		5	12	19	26	
Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24	31	

January 2018						
Mon	1	8	15	22	29	
Tue	2	9	16	23	30	
Wed	3	10	17	24	31	
Thurs	4	11	18	25		
Fri	5	12	19	26		
Sat	6	13	20	27		
Sun	7	14	21	28		

February 2018						
Mon		5	12	19	26	
Tue		6	13	20	27	
Wed		7	14	21	28	
Thurs	1	8	15	22		
Fri	2	9	16	23		
Sat	3	10	17	24		
Sun	4	11	18	25		

March 2018						
Mon		5	12	19	26	
Tue		6	13	20	27	
Wed		7	14	21	28	
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29	
Fri	2	9	16	23	30	
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April 2018						
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May 2018						
Mon		7	14	21	28	
Tue	1	8	15	22	29	
Wed	2	9	16	23	30	
Thurs	3	10	17	24	31	
Fri	4	11	18	25		
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June 2018						
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July 2018						
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August 2018						
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Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24	31	
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

School holidays

Bank holidays

Christmas Day	25 December 2017
Boxing Day	26 December 2017
New Year's Day	1 January 2018
Good Friday	30 March 2018
Easter Monday	2 April 2018
Early May Holiday	7 May 2018
Spring Bank Holiday	28 May 2018
Summer Bank Holiday	27 August 2018

AUTUMN TERM 2017 (73 days)

4 September - 20 December
(Half term 23 - 27 October)

SPRING TERM 2018 (56 days)

4 January - 29 March
(Half term 12 - 16 February)

SUMMER TERM 2018 (66 days)

16 April - 24 July
(Half term 29 May - 1 June)

195 days are included on the proposed school calendar. Maintained schools will be open to pupils for 190 days. The 5 additional days are allotted for In-Service Training.



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Cornwall Council

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AUTUMN TERM 2018 (73 days)

04 September - 20 December
(Half term 22 - 26 October)

SPRING TERM 2019 (60 days)

07 January - 05 April
(Half term 18 - 22 February)

SUMMER TERM 2019 (62 days)

23 April - 25 July
(Half term 27 May - 31 May)

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