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Lostwithiel Primary School

Newsletter SPRING TERM 2017 7th July 2017

Head's Hello

I am pleased to confirm Lostwithiel School will be taking part in the Lostwithiel carnival on Saturday 22nd of July. We will ask pupils to assemble at the park at 5:30 pm. The theme will be 'A Midsummer Nights Dream'. Any year 5 and 6 pupils can wear the costumes they wore to their performance. Pupils from other year groups can choose to come in something green or woodland themed and we will be making embellishments and crowns in school to add to this. We ask that parents or carers accompany their children during the procession and ensure your child has a bottle of water (not glass).

I have spoken to a number of parents and carers about communication problems between the school and parent body. Please be assured we want to rectify this and we support any suggestions to improve! If you have any ideas or suggestions on how we could better communicate and in what forum or platform, please do let us know. You can email any ideas directly to me on head@lostwithielsch.org, or come and find me in school. My door is always open. In addition, if you have not been receiving texts or emails from our eschools system please do let the office staff know so that they can address this.

I would also like to take this opportunity to remind all that Sports Day will be taking place on Monday the 17th of July. We will begin at 9:30 am on the school field.

Many thanks
Natalie Simmonds

STAR LEARNERS

APPLE— Rosalie, Florence, Laura, Evie—for recorders

CHERRY— Emilia Basso, Ash Wheeler

WILLOW—Harvey Greenwood, Emma Croft

BEECH— Anya MacLennan, Jack Quarmby

MAPLE and CONKERS—whole class for their amazing performances of A Midsummer Night's Dream!

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY JULY 2017

JULY

Mon 10th	Non uniform day—bring an item for school fair tombola
Mon 10-Fri 14	Fowey School induction week
Wed 12th	Willow trip to Bodmin Recycling Centre
Fri 14th	Summer Fair, 6pm to 10pm (see poster attached/displayed around school for more information)
Mon 17th	Sports day—morning start
Wed 19th	Apple Class trip to Blue Reef Aquarium and Willow Class Beach trip
Thurs 20th	Beech Class dance performance at The Eden Project
Monday 24th	Year 6 leaver's party—after school until 6.15pm
Wed 26th	Year 6 leaver's assembly and awards at 12.45 pm. Last day of term, school finishes at 1.30 pm.

Swimming Lessons

Willow and Beech Class have now finished their school swimming sessions. Thank you to all the parents who have already paid. If you have yet to pay the full amount could you please do so on parent pay by 10th July 2017. We still have outstanding debts for previous swimming sessions for Apple, Cherry, Maple and Conkers. If you have any queries please contact the school office.

Music Lessons

Drum lessons—have now finished for this term .

Brass lessons— the last lessons will take place on Wednesday 12th July.

Violin lessons—The last lessons will take place on Thursday 13th July.

Guitar Lessons— The last lessons will take place on Wednesday 12th July.

Keyboard and woodwind lessons—Last lesson of the term Friday 21st July

WALKING BUS

The walking bus is still operating and meets at the Community Centre car park at 8.30am—leaving promptly at 8.40am. The route—Community Centre, cross over North Street, along Monmouth Lane, up Fore Street, cross Edgcumbe Road and up Bodmin Hill. We encourage you to give it a try, especially as parking is more restricted at the moment during the building works.

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LSA NEWS

The Lostwithiel School Association (LSA) is tasked with fundraising for the school and is a registered charity. It is made up of parents and carers who meet at the school to discuss/organise fundraising ideas. The aim of the LSA is to enhance the learning experience of the children in our school. We do this by fundraising to provide additional classroom resources, new facilities playtime equipment, help towards school trips and Year 6 leavers hoodies.

We organise a series of fun events throughout the year to raise funds including: Christmas & Summer Fairs, bingo, cake sales & cream teas.

Every penny raised through the LSA goes directly back to the school, helping to fund projects that will enhance the children's time at the school.

Parents/carers can join the LSA throughout the year, or can suggest fundraising ideas to an LSA member – we are always looking for new people to join, or to hear new ideas on how to raise money for the school.

The LSA wouldn't be anything without the parents/carers of the children. The ongoing support that we receive from the fundraising events is fantastic.

LSA roles

Chair – Catharine Chapman and Sally Cuthbertson

Secretary – Sarah Laidler

Treasurer – Mike Stead

There are lots of ways you can get involved!

We meet once a month on a Thursday afternoon these meetings are short and informal. We do appreciate that some parents cannot commit on a regular basis, it would be great to have a list of those who are happy to come along and help out at events

If you would like to know more, or to get involved, then please contact us at lostwithielsa@gmail.com or speak to Mel in the office.

LSA lottery and online shopping—easy ways to raise money for school

Lottery

It's not too late to sign up for the Lostwithiel School Lottery—simply set up a monthly standing order for £2 per lottery number to account number :22296868 and sortcode: 30-99-08 to be in the account by the 10th of each month. You may purchase as many numbers as you wish. Email lostwithielsa@gmail.com for your lottery number(s) or with any questions. The next draw takes place on Friday 14th July.

Online shopping

Easy fundraising is free to users, every little amount can add up and make a difference. Please see this link : <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/lostwithielschoolassociation/>

Non uniform day—Monday 10th July

Children can bring in an item or items each—these will make up the prizes for the tombola at the school fair (Friday 14th July)—things like; wrapped sweets, cans of food or soft drinks.

Thank you for your support.

LSA Class Cakes Sales

Thank you to everyone who made and bought cakes this year. The class cake sales raised a grand total of £610.25 between Jan - June.

The winning class was Willow (Year 3) with an amazing total of £134.45 - which was donated to Rhyss Smith-Ong and his family.

Well done! All the money raised goes towards class trips and classroom resources.

Reception - £100.50

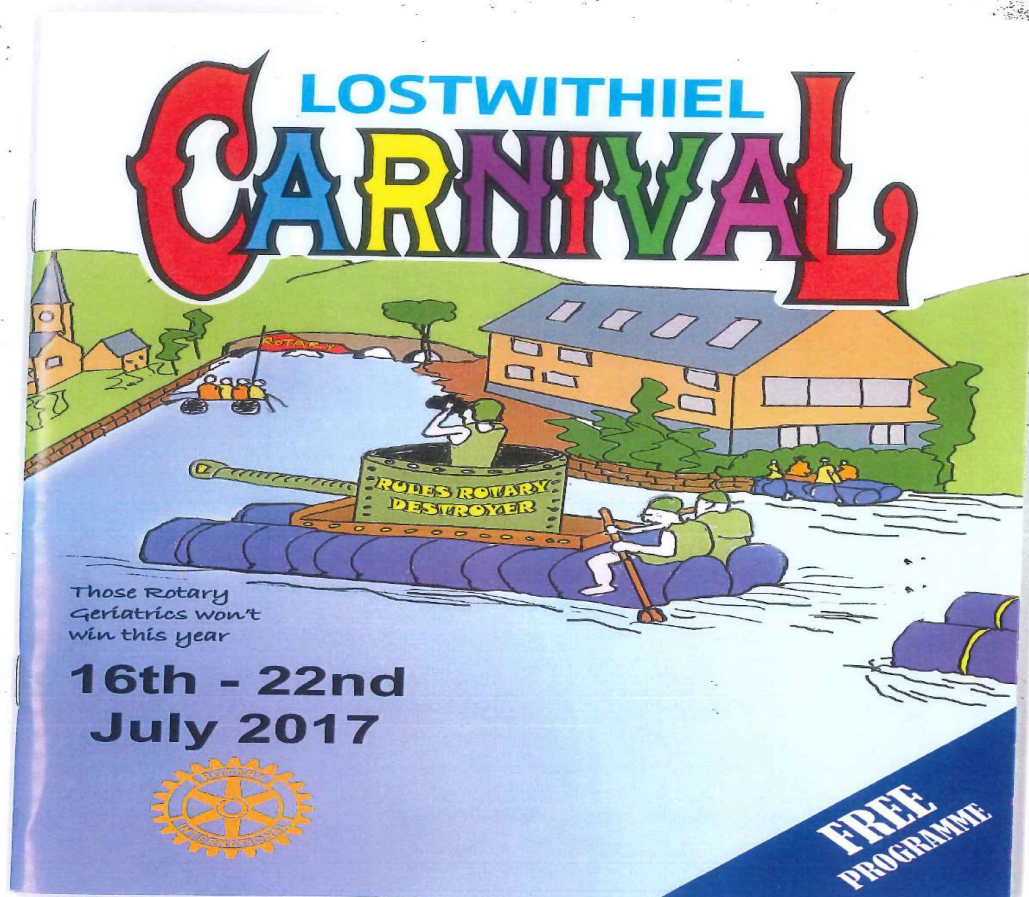
Year 1/2 - £118.65

Year 3 - £134.45

Year 4 - £86.35

Year 5 - £90

Year 6 - £80.20



The LSA's

"SEASIDE"

SUMMER Fair

BBQ BAR LIVE BAND

COCONUT SHY BOUNCY CASTLE

THEMED CAKE COMPETITION

+ TRADITIONAL GAMES



Admission

Adults £2

Children £1

Under 5's FREE

FRIDAY 14TH JULY 6PM - 10PM



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