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Head's Hello

We have had a great week at school this week with lots of exciting learning going on in Forest School. Mrs Redhead and the teachers planned so many exciting things for the children, such as catch the flag games and mini beast hunts. We are so lucky to be able to access so much of the outside - even in the January weather!

We hope you have been enjoying the Friday Four on class story that tells you what each class have been learning. I know I enjoy looking at these at the end of each week.

Kind Regards,

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MAPLE

Natalie Simmonds

APPLE Harry and Loic for being a good friend to all.

CHERRYEdrick for taking pride in your work. You have been trying very hard and reading your work to
check it makes sense.Henry for taking pride in his Maths work. Also for challenging yourself in Phonics, great work!

Arthur for amazing attitude to learning. **Noah** for passion for learning, asking questions when he wants to understand more.

BEECH Jasper and Freja for showing a great deal of pride in their work this week.

Evie for her amazing, persuasive writing about how to look after our environment. **Jayden** for using superb scientific language and fantastic will power in our chocolate melting experiment.

CONKERS Emilia for great partnership and supporting others.

Hanna for great passion and enthusiasm.

LSA lottery

This is a simple and effective way of raising funds for our school association with the chance of a cash prize. If you would like to join the school association lottery please email <u>lsalotto03@gmail.com</u> to be allocated a ball. You then need to set up a monthly standing order to sorting code 30-99-08 account number 22296868. The cost per ball is £2.00. Good luck!



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8th December 2020

Dear Parent/Carer

Here at Lostwithiel School we recognise that there are occasions when it is appropriate to authorise an absence, such as when a pupil is genuinely too ill to attend school, has a medical appointment that cannot be taken outside of school hours or a request for leave has been agreed in exceptional circumstances. However, the Government does not support parents taking children out of school unless the school agrees this is appropriate under 'exceptional circumstances'. Any request for leave should be made in writing to the Headteacher using the school's request form and must be completed by all adults with parental responsibility.

If your child is absent from school without authorisation, you will be committing an offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £60 if paid within 21 days or £120 if paid after this but within 28 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice may result in legal action. Absence not authorised by the school may result in a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court under Section 444(1) or Section 444(1A) of the Education Act 1996, leading to a fine of up to £2,500 and/or a custodial sentence. Cornwall Council may also apply for the costs incurred in taking the matter to Court.

'Parent' as set out in Section 576 of the Education Act 1996, defines parent to include: natural parents, whether they are married or not; any person or body who has parental responsibility for a child (as defined by the Children Act 1989) and; any person who, although not a natural parent, has care of a child. Having care of a child means a person with whom a child lives and who looks after a child, irrespective of what their relationship is with said child.

The decision to submit a request for the issue of a Penalty Notice will be considered when a child's attendance is deemed to be 'not regular'. The definition of 'not regular' in this instance is when it is below the threshold set by Cornwall Education Learning Trust (CELT). For all CELT schools, this attendance threshold is set at 96%, in line with national attendance data. In the Autumn Term, a child's attendance for the previous academic year will be considered before deciding on a course of action. From January onwards, the decision will be based on attendance data from the current academic year.

You are welcome to contact the school to discuss any concerns you may have regarding this or if you feel you would like advice or support in helping your child attend more regularly. Lostwithiel School is committed to maximising the education of all its pupils and aims to work with parents to ensure this can be achieved.

Yours sincerely

Natalie Simmonds Headteacher

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| BANK HOLI | DAYS |
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Good Friday

Easter Monday

Boxing Day (in lieu) New Years Day (in lieu) May Bank Holiday Spring Bank Holiday

Monday 27th December 2022 Tuesday 28th December 2022 Monday 3rd January 2022 Friday 15th April 2022 Monday 18th April 2022 Monday 2nd May 2022 Thursday 2nd June 2022

As the extra Bank Haliday for the Platinum Jubilee, Friday 3rd June, falls within the Spring Half Term, schools can allocate this to another day

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AND HALF TERM HOLIDAYS

Autumn Half Term Spring Half Term Summer Half Term

Monday 25th to Friday 29th October 2021 Monday 21st to Friday 25th February 2022 Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June 2022

LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL INSET DAYS

- 1 day Friday 18th February 2022
- 5 days Monday 6th June to Friday 10th June 2022
- 1 day Monday 25th July 2022

1 day - Tuesday 26th July 2022 (in lieu of extra bank holiday - which falls in the Spring half term - for the Platinum Jubilee year)

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LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL LUNCH MENU FROM SEPTEMBER 2021

WEEK 1 for 2nd & 3rd September 2021 and weeks commencing: 20th Sep, 11th Oct, 1st Nov, 22nd Nov, 13th Dec, 3rd Jan, 24th Jan, 14th Feb, 7th March, 28th March

| (v) – vegetarian | | | | | |
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| | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
| MAIN DISH | Burrito (v) A soft wrap filled with lightly spiced vegetables & rice | Chicken filo pie with mashed potato | Roast chicken, roast potatoes, gravy | Pasta bolognaise | Fish fingers with chips |
| ALTERNATIVE MAIN DISH | Macaroni cheese (v) | BBQ, beans served with cornbread (v) | Sweet potato & chickpearoast, roast potatoes, gravy(v) | Butternut squash & tomato bake with rice (v) | Quorn dippers with chips (v) |
| VEGETABLES | Green beans & sweetcorn | Peas & broccoli | Carrots & cabbage | Broccoli& sweetcorn | Baked beans & peas |
| JACKET POTATO | With cheese & baked beans | With salmon mayonnaise | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans |
| DESSERT A choice of main dessert or | Raspberry ripple ice cream | Brownie | Shortbread biscuit with fresh fruit slices | Berry & peach oatie crumble with custard | Orange and sultana cake slice |
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| WEEK 2 For weeks commencing: 6 th Sept, 27 th Sept, 18 th Oct, 8 th Nov, 29 th Nov, 10 th Jan, 31 st Jan, 14 th March, 4 th April (v) = vegetarian | | | | | |
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| MAIN DISH | Veggie bolognaise (v) | Crispy chicken katsu with rice | Roast turkey, roast potatoes, gravy | Cottage pie (minced beef with a crispy potato topping) | Fish fingers with chips |
| ALTERNATIVE MAIN DISH | Cheese & tomato pizza (v) | Vegetable noodles with tofu (v) | Creamy vegetable pie, roast potatoes, gravy (v) | Mild chickpea and potato curry with wholemeal rice (v) | Tomato vegetable burger with chips (v) |
| VEGETABLES | Green beans & sweetcorn | Broccoli & peas | Cabbage & carrots | Green beans & sweetcorn | Peas & baked beans |
| JACKET POTATO | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans |
| DESSERT A choice of main dessert or | Flapjack with fruit slice | Peach shortbread pudding with custard | Raspberry yoghurt cake | Fruity chocolate brownie | Vanilla ice cream |
| fresh fruit or yoghurt each day | Fresh fruit | Fresh fruit | Fresh fruit | Fresh fruit | Fresh fruit |
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| WEEK 3 For weeks commencing: 13th Sept, 4th Oct, 15th Nov, 6th Dec, 17th Jan, 7th Feb, 28th Feb, 21th March (v) = vegetarian | | | | | |
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| | MONDAY | TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
| MAIN DISH | Macaroni cheese | Garlicky chicken with Spanish style potatoes | Roast pork, roast potatoes, gravy | Cornish steak pastywith potato wedges | Southern fried chicken tasters with chips |
| ALTERNATIVE MAIN DISH | Vegetarian sausage with mash and gravy (v) | Cheesy risotto bake (v) | Meat free roast, roast potatoes, gravy (v) | Vegetable lasagne with a bread wedge (v) | Soft taco filled with vegetables and tomato chilli sauce with chips (v) |
| VEGETABLES | Peas & carrots | Sweetcorn & broccoli | Carrots & cabbage | Green beans & sweetcorn | Baked beans & peas |
| JACKET POTATO | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans | With cheese & baked beans |
| DESSERT A choice of main dessert or | Oatie biscuit with fruit slices | Apple & carrot yoghurt muffin | Strawberry ice cream | Chocolate sponge cake | Crispy snow bar |
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