

Lostwithiel School Bodmin Hill Lostwithiel Cornwall PL22 oAJ

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Head's Hello

A very warm welcome back to all our pupils, families and staff,

I am so very pleased to welcome to our staff our two new teachers, Mrs Wade and Mrs Kriskovic. It has been an absolute pleasure to see the children and staff settle in to their new classes so well. I am also delighted that Tor Redhead will be rejoining our school team after her travels abroad.

All of our teachers and staff have an open door policy, they will always be happy to talk to you about your child's progress or experience at school. Please do let us know if you wish to talk to them about anything at all. We are more than happy to help.

Here is to a happy, exciting and inclusive year ahead!

Natalie Simmonds Headteacher

THIS WEEK'S STAR LEARNERS

CHERRY Flynn and Layla

OAKPhoebe and Gracie

BEECH Curtis and Rosalie

MAPLE Marcus and Lois

CONKERS Joel and Kelsey

CATERLINK, School lunch price from September 2019 Please note that the price for a child's school lunch is £2.32. Children in Reception, Year 1 and year 2 will continue to receive a free school dinner under the universal scheme. If your child has entered Year 3 in September 2019 and they have a school lunch you will now have to pay for their meal in advance or on the day. Via your child's Parent Pay account. Thankyou.

This week's attendance

Cherry: 100% @ Beech: 98.88% Oak: 100% @ Maple: 98.15%

Conkers: 100% ©

ASDA GREEN TOKENS

Jakki from ASDA Bodmin visited on Monday to present Lostwithiel School with a cheque for £200—proceeds from the green tokens collected in store—THANK YOU **EVERYONE** for your support!



********** REQUEST FROM GARDENING CLUB

Gardening club are looking for Child sized watering vessels: watering cans, plastic jugs, small buckets etc..

If you have anything that you can donate it would be very much appreciated.

Please bring to the school office. Thank you.

Last day of term: Friday 20th December 2019 Return to school for Spring Term: Monday 6th January 2020

HALF TERM: Monday 21st October 2019 to Friday 25th October 2019 inclusive

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

OCTOBER

Thurs 10th Individual school photos by Tempest photography—details to follow

Tues 29th Flu immunisations, all classes, details to follow

NOVEMBER

Fri 1st Year 1 hearing test, details to follow

2019/2020 Academic Year—Advance notice of these important dates

2019/2020

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Inset/training week school closed to children 1st June 2020 to 5th June 2020 (this is the week following May half term)

Year 6 SATS—11th May to 14th May 2020

Year 2 SATS—during May 2020

Year 1 Phonics screening—8th June to 12th June 2020

SCHOOL OFFICE—just a reminder that the school office has one member of staff during the afternoon. It is often necessary for the office to be left on occasions when children need to be collected from class, items delivered to classes and the gates attended to at the end of the school day. When the phones are unattended we will have the answerphone on. Please be assured that messages are checked regularly and calls returned as soon as is possible. Thank you for your co operation.

CHANGE OF DATE FOR MAY BANK HOLIDAY 2020

The May Bank Holiday 2020 date has been changed
FROM: Monday 4th May TO: Friday 8th May

PLEASE NOTE THAT SCHOOL WILL BE OPEN AS USUAL ON MONDAY 4th MAY AND CLOSED TO PUPILS ON FRIDAY 8TH MAY. THIS CHANGE HAS BEEN MADE NATIONALLY TO MARK THE ANNIVERSARY OF V E DAY.

BREAKFAST CLUB

Breakfast Club is run from 8am during term time. It is not always necessary to make an advanced booking but if you know of regular days that your child will attend we would appreciate you letting the school office know in advance. Bookings can be made via the school office either by email to admin@lostwithielsch.org, by phoning the school office (if calling out of school hours please leave a message on the answer phone) or by dojo.

IMPORTANT NEWS REGARDING LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL INSET DAYS

The Cornwall Council term dates and holidays for school year 2019/2020

SCHOOL YEAR 2019/2020

Lostwithiel School will be taking their staff training (inset) days in a week block again next year, during the 2019/2020 school year, following the May half term week. Therefore school will be closed to pupils from Monday 25th May to Friday 29th May 2020 (half term) and also the week following that from Monday 1st June to Friday 5th June 2020 (inset days).

Pupils return to school on Monday 8th June 2020.

MUSIC LESSONS AT SCHOOL

If your child is interested in learning a musical instrument at school, from September 2019 please contact the following for availability and prices:

For violin, guitar, keyboard, woodwind:

Cornwall Music Service Trust

office@cornwallmusicservicetrust.org 01872 246043

For drums and brass:

Kevin Ackford

kackford@lostwithielsch.org

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REPORTING SICKNESS TO SCHOOL

School follow the guidance from the Health Protection
Agency. Should your child be taken ill with either sickness or
diarrhoea we recommend that they stay away from school for 48 hours
after the last bout of sickness or diarrhoea, to limit the chance of passing it
on. As a safeguarding issue it is important that you report your child's
absence to school. You can call the office (if you call outside school hours
you can leave a message on the answerphone), email to
admin@lostwithielsch.org, or use the class dojo system. Thank you for
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LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL UNIFORM

March 2019

Dear Parent/carer

Wovina continues to sell the Lostwithiel School uniform items. The uniform will not be stocked in their shop for general sale so all items will need to be pre-ordered. Items can be posted (postage is free for orders over £30, for purchases of under £30 please allow £2.50 for postage and packing) or you can call at Wovina to collect the items personally (please allow up to 14 days for items to be ordered). For those parents who do not have internet access Wovina will accept telephone orders.

Wovina, 1-3 Omaha Road, Bodmin, PL31 1ER, Tel: 01208 833070, www.wovina.com.

The current Wovina prices, as from 1st March 2019 for items showing the Lostwithiel School logo are: Full zip fleece: £13.20, Sweatshirt: £8.80, Cardigan (sweatshirt material) £11.65, PE T shirt: £4.30, PE Bag: £3.95, Book Bag: £4.70.

We would like to reiterate our school uniform policy:

Shoes

Plain black sensible shoes (no logo) – No canvas shoes, training shoes, boots, open toed or backless shoes.

Sock/Tights

black tights, white or black socks

Uniform

Black skirt or trousers (no jeans/leggings/jeggings)

Dark green polo shirt or white shirt/blouse (no white polo shirts)

Dark green jumpers/cardigans

Items with Lostwithiel school logo: dark green fleece, dark green sweatshirt, dark green cardigan (sweatshirt material) **In warmer weather:** dark green and white check summer dress, black tailored shorts

<u>PE</u>

Black shorts or black track suit bottoms, black PE skirt or black skort Training shoes

Items with Lostwithiel School logo: dark green PET shirt

Thank you for your continued support with our policies.