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Lostwithiel Primary School

Newsletter Friday 24th February 2023

Assistant Head's Hello,

It has been great to welcome everyone back after the half term break.
Many thanks to those of you that supported our PTA raffle, the hampers looked absolutely amazing. I have been lucky to see some 'gold star' work this week in lots of our classes. This has ranged from amazing maths to great vocabulary choices and expressive artwork.
Year 3 had a fabulous time at Wheal Martin and we are excited to see their creative writing.
Don't forget to sign up for parents evening on the week beginning the 27th March.
Enjoy the weekend

Kate Webber

THIS WEEK'S STAR LEARNERS—WELL DONE TO YOU ALL !

APPLE ***Amelie*** *for amazing sentence writing this week.*
Eliot *for taking pride in your handwriting.*

CHERRY ***Wilfred*** *for super participation and perseverance in Maths.*
Bethany *for participation and pride in RWI.*

OAK ***Mitch*** *for passion in learning, especially Maths.*
George *for all 5ps—what a star!*

BEECH **Beech Class** for showing all of the 5ps on our trip and demonstrating what inquisitive learners they all are .

WILLOW **Amelia** for fabulous progress with her times tables and scoring her first 25/25.
Sunny for fabulous progress with his daily handwriting and reading targets.

MAPLE ***Katy*** *for amazing passion and effort for learning in all lessons.*
Xander *for great participation in his lessons this week.*

CONKERS ***Leon*** *for showing pride and passion when producing such beautiful detailed drawings.*
Jayden *for working so hard and for showing so much passion and perseverance in Maths.*

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Beech Class had a great day at Wheal Martyn this week. The trip was filled with gathering vocabulary, becoming a chiffchaff, exploring the clay mines and writing creatively.

The trip was supported by Cornwall Heritage, who were able to supply a grant to cover the transport costs to and from Wheal Martyn.

🌈 Rainbow Raffle Winners 🌈

🧡 Orange - Lisa Solly
💜 Purple - Paul Tyrell
💙 Blue - Laura Fieldhouse
💚 Green - Joe Saywell
💗 Pink - Mike Harland
💛 Yellow - Anna Rothwell
❤️ Red - Pat Solly
🤍🖤 Silver - Jenny Donovan

Congratulations Winners! Please arrange to collect your hamper.

And thank you to everyone for supporting this event, we will let you know how much this wonderful raffle raised soon.

The next PTA meeting will be at 2pm on Friday 3rd March in the school library—all welcome.

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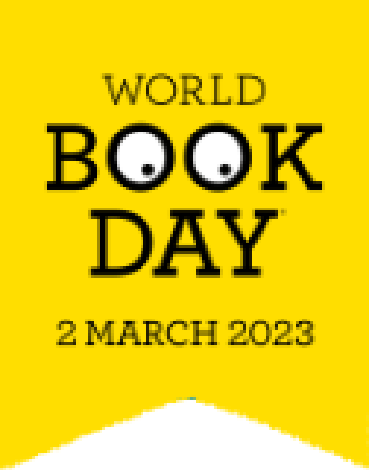
World Book Day will soon be upon us and we wanted to share our plans with you.

We would like the children to come to school on 2nd March as their favourite book character along with the book that has inspired the costume OR in their pyjamas with their favourite bedtime read.

There will be an opportunity during the day for the children to share their books and we can't wait to see which titles and authors they have been inspired by.



LOSTWITHIEL EDUCATIONAL TRUST

Are you under 25 years of age and do you live within the parishes of Lostwithiel or St Winnow? Then you may be eligible for a grant from the above Trust to help further your interests or develop your skills.

We have, in the past, contributed towards:- various large scale projects within the town (e.g skate park, play areas), small groups such as guides/junior band and have provided grants for individuals where the applicant shows promise and interest in a particular area e.g. music, dance, sport etc. We have also allocated grants to the schools for provision of equipment and other educational facilities which benefit the children in the town.

Each application is discussed by the Trustees as to whether it falls within our remit as specified by the Charity Commission and a decision is made at meetings. Applications may be made at any time during the year through either of the contacts given below. A brief outline of what the grant would be for and the amount needed would be helpful, but after contact, should further information be required this would be requested before a decision was made.

Application for grants, with as much information as possible, should be sent by email to;-

coffabridge3@yahoo.co.uk

or by mail to

Lostwithiel Educational Trust, c/o Church Administration Office, St Bartholomew's Church, Church Lane, Lostwithiel, PL22 0EG

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Creative Writing Competition

You are invited to write a story (up to 500 words) based in, or around, St Austell.

You could write:
a mystery
a fantasy
a quest story
a tragedy
a comedy
Science Fiction
or a poem

Prizes:
Book tokens for each age category
++PLUS++
One overall winner will have their story Illustrated and printed for the festival on 17th June 2023

Age Categories:
- 4-6
- 7-11
- 12-16

Please return entries clearly labelled with your name, age and school to your school or St Austell Library.

Closing date: 21st April 2023

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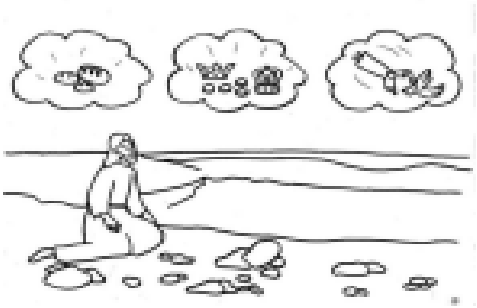
Messy Church

Benefice of
Lostwithiel Parishes

Saturday February 25th

St Bart's Church Rooms

Lostwithiel



From 4.00pm - 5.30pm

Fun, food and friendship

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UK Health Security Agency

NHS

Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

	Until...
Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek

SCAN ME

Advice and guidance

To find out more, **search for health protection in schools** or scan the QR code or visit https://qrco.de/minfec.

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2022/2023

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.

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.

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.

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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.

Yours sincerely

Headteacher

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BANK HOLIDAYS

Christmas Day (in lieu)	Tuesday 27th December 2022
Boxing Day	Monday 26th December 2022
New Years Day (in lieu)	Monday 2nd January 2023
Good Friday	Friday 7th April 2023
Easter Monday	Monday 10th April 2023
May Bank Holiday	Monday 1st May 2023
Spring Bank Holiday	Monday 29th May 2023
Summer Bank Holiday	Monday 28th August 2023

SCHOOL HOLIDAYS AND HALF TERM HOLIDAYS

Autumn Half Term	Monday 24th to Friday 28th October 2022
Winter Holidays	Wednesday 21st to Friday 30th December 2022
Spring Half Term	Monday 13th to Friday 17th February 2023
Spring Holidays	Monday 3rd April to Friday 14th April 2023
Summer Half Term	Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June 2023

LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL INSET DAYS

5 days - Monday 31st October to Friday 4th November 2022

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LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL INSET DAYS

Friday 1st September 2023 and Monday 4th September 2023
5 days - Monday 16th October to Friday 20th October 2023

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WEEK 3

W/C: 14/11 05/12 16/01 06/02 27/02 20/03

	HOT SPECIALS...		DAILY FAVES...	PICK A PUD!
MONDAY	**Pesto Pasta Bake** Served with Two Vegetables	**Cheese and Tomato Pizza** Served with Potato Wedges	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Orange Shortbread with Fruit Slices**
TUESDAY	**Sweet and Sour Chicken** Served with Wholegrain Rice	**West African Vegetable Rice** Served with Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Fruity Flapjack Bar**
WEDNESDAY	**Roast Pork** Served with Roast Potatoes, Two Vegetables and Gravy	**Vegetable Pastry Roll** Served with Roast Potatoes, Two Vegetables and Gravy	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Fruit Jelly and Custard**
THURSDAY	**Cottage Pie** Served with Two Vegetables	**Vegetarian Cottage Pie** Served with Two Vegetables and Gravy	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Chocolate Milkshake served with Chocolate Biscuit**
FRIDAY	**Southern Fried Chicken** Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	**Vegan Meatballs in Tomato Sauce** Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Chocolate Slice**

ALL MAIN MEALS SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES

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WEEK 1

W/C: 31/10 21/11 12/12 02/01 23/01 06/03 27/03

	HOT SPECIALS...		DAILY FAVES...	PICK A PUD!
MONDAY	**Macaroni Cheese** Served with Two Vegetables	**Vegetarian Sausage** Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Crispy Crackle Bar**
TUESDAY	**Chicken Pie** Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	**Cheese and Tomato Pizza** Served with Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings, including Salmon Mayonnaise	**Hot Chocolate Sponge served with Chocolate Custard**
WEDNESDAY	**Roast Turkey** Served with Roast Potatoes, Two Vegetables and Gravy	**Vegan Sausage Casserole** Served with Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Oat Cookie served with Fruit Slices**
THURSDAY	**Beef Bolognese** Served with Wholemeal Pasta and Two Vegetables	**Chinese Vegetable Rice** Served with Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Vanilla Ice Cream Milkshake served with Shortbread**
FRIDAY	**Breaded Fish** Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	**Quorn Dippers** Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Pineapple Upside Down Cake**

ALL MAIN MEALS SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES

WEEK 2

W/C: 07/11 28/11 09/01 30/01 20/02 13/03

	HOT SPECIALS...		DAILY FAVES...	PICK A PUD!
MONDAY	**Cheese and Tomato Pizza** Served with Two Vegetables	**Mixed Bean Pasta** Served with Stromboli Pizza Wedge	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jam Sponge**
TUESDAY	**Pork Sausages** Served with Mashed Potato, Two Vegetables and Gravy	**Sweet Chilli Vegetable Noodles** Served with Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Orange Shortbread**
WEDNESDAY	**Roast Chicken** Served with Mashed Potato, Two Vegetables, Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy	**Vegetable Pie** Served with Mashed Potato, Two Vegetables and Gravy	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Crunchy Chocolate Biscuit**
THURSDAY	**Keralan Chicken Curry** Served with Wholegrain Rice and Two Vegetables	**Cauliflower and Sweet Potato Masala** Served with Wholegrain Rice and Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Strawberry Milkshake with Fresh Fruit**
FRIDAY	**Breaded Fish** Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	**Quorn Dippers** Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Peach Slice**

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