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Head's Hello,

This week, our new CEO, Lisa Mannall, from the CELT trust came to visit our school. She was very impressed by the children and their behaviour around the school. She saw lots of maths learning on her visit and could see this was a school that loved maths (especially Mrs Faircloth- who loves maths the most of all!) The 'Cornish Caretakers' came to visit our school and did a fabulously fun performance for all of our children on Tuesday afternoon. The children enjoyed learning about Cornish history though their performance. Thank you to the LSA for funding the visit.

We are very proud of all of our staff and children for making our visitors feel welcome.

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Natalie Simmonds Headteacher

#### THIS WEEK'S STAR LEARNERS



CHERRY Freja and Inigo

OAK William and Nicolas

BEECH Henry and Laura

MAPLE Katie and Sophie

CONKERS Jed and Adam

SCHOOL COUNCIL for being great ambassadors for the school at the recycling centre this week

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CATERLINK CHANGE OF SCHOOL MENU ON THURSDAY 3RD OCTOBER, SCHOOL CENSUS DAY The menu for the above day will now be:

Burger (beef or veggie) in a bun with chips and beans Chocolate Cake or fresh fruit or yoghurt

Children make their choice in class as usual, there is no jacket potato option or yoghurt option this day

#### This week's attendance

Cherry: 100% © Beech: 94.64%
Oak: 95.65% Maple: 99.07%
Conkers: 97.07%

LSA CLOTHES AND TOY SWAP AND SALE
Friday 11th October 2019, 2pm to 4pm

Please bring items to swap at drop off or pickup during the week commencing 7th October to get your swap voucher.

Nothing to swap? Then come and join us to buy some bargains. All good items in good, clean condition welcome.

After School Club phone 07821 645720—Mon/Tues/Wed/Fri : 3.15pm to 5.30pm, Thurs : 3.15pm to 5.00pm

#### **LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL HARVEST FESTIVAL**

St Bartholemews Church, Lostwithiel
Wednesday 9th October, 1.45pm to 2.30pm
Parents and carers welcome



CONKERS CLASS CAKE SALE
FRIDAY 4TH OCTOBER
3.15PM IN THE DINING HALL

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** Tues 1st

**FOWEY RIVER ACADEMY** Open day for year 6 children 9.30am to 2.30pm

Tues 1st **FOWEY RIVER ACADEMY** Open evening at FRA for year 6 parents and children-6pm start

Thurs 3rd **BODMIN COLLEGE** Open evening at Bodmin College for year 6 parents and children 6.30pm to 8pm

Fri 4th Conkers class cake sale, 3.15pm in the school dining hall

Wed 9th Lostwithiel School Harvest Festival service at St Bartholemews Church, Lostwithiel, 1.45pm to 2.30pm

Parents/carers welcome

Thurs 10th Individual school photos by Tempest photography Fri 11th 2pm to 4pm LSA Clothes and toy swap and sale

Tues 29th Flu immunisations, all classes

**NOVEMBER** 

Fri 1st Year 1 hearing test

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

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

#### **SPORTS STARS**

Leo, Issy and Erin from Conkers Class have been competing in the Into Triathlon season over the last few months. There have been 8 events across Devon and Cornwall, testing their cycling, running and swimming (2 events involved a sea swim)! The results have been published and the results are something to be proud of.. Erin finished 6th in her age/gender group and Issy 29th..there were over 80 girls that entered at least one of the events and Leo finished 7th..as with the girls there were over 80 boys they entered at least one event. Their combined results meant that Lostwithiel School was ranked 18th out of 164 schools that were represented!! Absolutely phenomenal results. It should also be noted that Jowan, Robben and Louie from Beech Class took part in the junior events and are ones to watch moving forward.





#### ALDI KIT FOR SCHOOLS

We will be participating in the Aldi Kit For Schools Scheme which runs from now until 3 November. If you have any stickers from Aldi shops (by spending £30 or more) please bring them in to class or to the school office—thank you.

ST DENNIS ENERGY RECOVERY CENTER. School Council visited this week and had a tour of the control room, took part in challenges to learn about ways to save energy; the 4 R's: recycle, reduce, reuse and recover.







#### LSA LOTTERY RESULTS

**August draw** drawn by Laura Deverill

1st £18.20 - ball 27 Vicky B 2nd £9.60 - ball 1 Rob B 3rd £3.20 - ball 26 Natalie S

September draw drawn by Jemma Piriou

1st £18.20 - ball 35 Kelly K 2nd £9.60 - ball 23 Joh V 3rd £3.20 - ball 4 Jon B



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#### HEALTH CHECKS TO BE HELD AT LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL DURING THIS TERM

There are several health checks due to take place this term. As consents are required for some of these checks we will also keep this information in the newsletter for the next few weeks for your reference. Please contact the school office if you have any questions.

## RECEPTION AND YEAR 6 HEALTH CHECKS DATE TO BE CONFIRMED

Booklets with a detachable form have been issued to children in Reception and Year 6. Parents only need to return their forms if they **DO NOT** want their child to be weighed and measured. If a form is not returned consent will be assumed and your children will have the necessary checks. The form issued to Reception children also has a section regarding hearing checks when they are in Year 1. If you do not want your child to have a hearing check in Year 1 please tick the appropriate box as these forms will be retained and used for the Year 1 hearing check in the next academic year 2020/2021.

#### YEAR 1 HEARING CHECK Friday 1st November 2018

Children in Year 1 will be having hearing checks on

Friday 1st November 2019. Health check forms were issued to

Year 1 children when they were in Reception class 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
hearing check. If you did not return your form and now do not
want your child to have a hearing check please contact the school
office.

#### NASAL FLU IMMUNISATIONS — FOR ALL CLASSES

#### **TUESDAY 29th OCTOBER 2019**

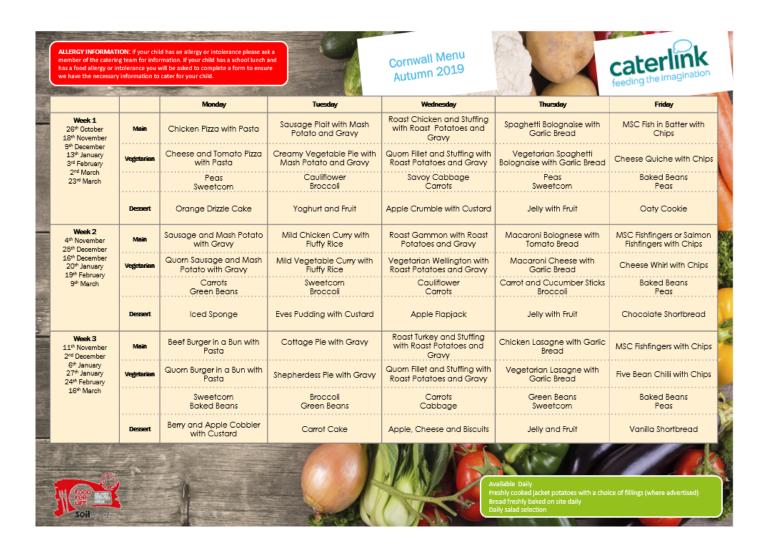
We have been advised that the nasal flu immunisations will take place on TUESDAY 29TH October 2019 and will be available to children in all classes from reception up to year 6. The information letter has been sent home with your child this week. Parents/carers should advise their consent to Kernow Health via their digital consent (known as econsent) for parents. You will be unable to click on the link as mentioned in the letter, however just type the web information into your browser bar. If you do not have online access please advise the school office.



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## CATERLINK MENU FOR AUTUMN/SPRING TERM 2019/2020 THE DAILY JACKET POTATO OPTION IS SERVED WITH CHEESE AND BAKED BEANS





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#### LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL TERM DATES AND INSET DAY INFORMATION

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.

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#### 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.

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#### 2019/20 school term dates for community and voluntary-controlled schools

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#### School holidays

| Bank holidays       |                  |
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| Christmas Day       | 25 December 2019 |
| Boxing Day          | 26 December 2019 |
| New Year's Day      | 01 January 2020  |
| Good Friday         | 10 April 2020    |
| Easter Monday       | 13 April 2020    |
| Early May Holiday   | 08 May 2020      |
| Spring Bank Holiday | 25 May 2020      |
| Summer Bank Holiday | 31 August 2020   |

### AUTUMN TERM 2019 (73 days)

04 September - 20 December (Half term 21 - 25 October)

#### SPRING TERM 2020 (55 days)

06 January - 27 March (Half term 17 - 21 February)

#### SUMMER TERM 2020 (67 days)

14 April - 23 July (Half term 25 May - 29 May) LOST WITHEL SOFTON-INSCH DAYYS 2020

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



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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.