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Head's Hello,

I would like to wish everyone a warm welcome back to the Autumn Term. It has been so wonderful to see all of the children in their new uniform looking so smart. We have lots of exciting community events this term, including Harvest Festival and a full programme of Christmas events. We hope to have all of the dates out to you very soon so you can put them in your diary.

This week, classes have been voting for their school council representatives for TEAM 12. Our school council are called team twelve in line with Article 12 from the UNICEF Rights Respecting school's charter. Article 12 states that all children have the right to an opinion and for it to be taken seriously. Miss Saenz will be working with TEAM 12 and will be updating the newsletter with their work regularly. We will let you know who your representatives are once the votes have been counted!

Please be aware that the school gates will be locked at 3:20 following school pick up. We ask that all parents and carers leave the site promptly. We do this as we still have children on site in after school clubs, nursery and wrap around. Please refrain from allowing children to play on the amazon climber, particularly in the rain, as this can be slippery and could cause injury.

Kind Regards,

Natalie Simmonds  
Headteacher

### Dates for your diary

**Friday 16th September 3.30-4.30pm - LSA AGM**

**Friday 16th September 4.30-5.30pm - Tiny Trees and Reception (2023) open evening**

**Monday 19th September from 2pm - LSA meeting**

**Friday 14th October - Tempest individual and sibling photos**

### **LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL INSET DAYS**

Lostwithiel School will be taking their staff training (inset) days in the week, following the Autumn half term holiday (Monday 24th to Friday 28th October). Therefore school will be closed to pupils from **MONDAY 31st October 2022 to Friday 4th November 2022**. Pupils return to school for the Autumn term on **Monday 7th November 2022**. This will also include children attending Tiny Trees Nursery

Please take note of term dates for this academic year which are available on page 6 of the newsletter and can also be found on our website.



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

- APPLE** *All of Apple for their first week at school!*
- CHERRY** *Isla for a great first week at Lostwithiel School.  
Harry for excellent participation in History, asking interesting questions and sharing ideas.*
- OAK** *Charlie for using perseverance to try new things and a positive start to RWI.  
Harrison for demonstrating partnership, passion and participation.*
- BEECH** *Ruby for participation in her new class.  
Frankie for pride in his presentation.*
- WILLOW** *Indigo for perseverance and pride when practising joined handwriting.  
Jasper for excellent handwriting and fabulous presentation.*
- MAPLE** *Hester and Lily for settling in so well into Maple Class.*
- CONKERS** *Laura for positivity and enthusiasm in all your learning this week.  
Holly for amazing effort in reading.*

**OPEN EVENING FOR TINY TREES NURSERY AND APPLE TREE CLASS**

FRIDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER 4:30pm-5:30pm

Come and see the newly refurbished building!

We'd love to show you around our newly refurbished nursery space  
for children aged 2-4 years old.

This continues to be 8-5pm, term time only provision that provides outstanding  
learning opportunities and care within our beautiful school grounds.

If your child is starting school in 2023 we'd also be delighted to show you around our  
fabulous EYFS classroom.



From 5th September 2022 school dinners will be priced at £2.41. We will continue with our ordering system through ParentPay and you should now be able to order school dinners for the first half of Autumn term. Apple Class will need to order their dinner choices with the class teacher for the first few weeks and Tiny Trees will continue to order their dinners in advance through dojo.

When ordering through ParentPay, ensure your meals are confirmed and paid for (KS2 - unless FSM) within 2 hours and that your account remains in credit. If you have an outstanding debt this may result in future meal bookings being cancelled. If your child is having a school dinner and this has not been ordered by midnight on the Sunday for the following week, we will only be able to offer the jacket potato option for the missed days.

We would like to encourage all free school meal and universal (All KS1) free school meals to order and try a school dinner. We are now trialling a hot tomato pasta option on a Tuesday and Thursday. If your child would like this option, please order a jacket potato and follow it up with a dojo to the school office requesting the pasta.



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## Apple Class and New Parents

# Meet & Greet

**the LSA**  
**Come and see what we do**  
**how you can get involved**  
**and collect your welcome**  
**pack!**  
**FREE CREAM TEA**

**WEDNESDAY**  
**14TH SEPT**  
**2PM**  
**MAIN HALL**  
**MIDDLE GATE**



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# **LEGO** **Club**

**Community Centre  
Main Hall**

**Mondays 3.30 -  
4.30**

**£1 per child**



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8<sup>th</sup> 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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## LOSTWITHIEL SCHOOL TERM DATES 2022/2023

SEPTEMBER 2022						
Mon		5	12	19	26	
Tues		6	13	20	27	
Wed		7	14	21	28	
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29	
Fri	2	9	16	23	30	
Sat	3	10	17	24		
Sun	4	11	18	25		

OCTOBER 2022						
Mon		3	10	17	24	31
Tues		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	

NOVEMBER 2022						
Mon			7	14	21	28
Tues		1	8	15	22	29
Wed		2	9	16	23	30
Thurs		3	10	17	24	
Fri		4	11	18	25	
Sat		5	12	19	26	
Sun		6	13	20	27	

DECEMBER 2022						
Mon		5	12	19	26	
Tues		6	13	20	27	
Wed		7	14	21	28	
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29	
Fri	2	9	16	23	30	
Sat	3	10	17	24	31	
Sun	4	11	18	25		

JANUARY 2023						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tues		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

FEBRUARY 2023						
Mon			6	13	20	27
Tues			7	14	21	28
Wed		1	8	15	22	
Thurs		2	9	16	23	
Fri		3	10	17	24	
Sat		4	11	18	25	
Sun		5	12	19	26	

MARCH 2023						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tues		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24	31	
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

APRIL 2023						
Mon			3	10	17	24
Tues			4	11	18	25
Wed			5	12	19	26
Thurs			6	13	20	27
Fri			7	14	21	28
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	

MAY 2023						
Mon		1	8	15	22	29
Tues		2	9	16	23	30
Wed		3	10	17	24	31
Thurs		4	11	18	25	
Fri		5	12	19	26	
Sat		6	13	20	27	
Sun		7	14	21	28	

JUNE 2023						
Mon		5	12	19	26	
Tues		6	13	20	27	
Wed		7	14	21	28	
Thurs	1	8	15	22	29	
Fri	2	9	16	23	30	
Sat	3	10	17	24		
Sun	4	11	18	25		

JULY 2023						
Mon		3	10	17	24	31
Tues		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	

AUGUST 2023						
Mon			7	14	21	28
Tues		1	8	15	22	29
Wed		2	9	16	23	30
Thurs		3	10	17	24	31
Fri		4	11	18	25	
Sat		5	12	19	26	
Sun		6	13	20	27	

### BANK HOLIDAYS

Christmas Day (in lieu)	Tuesday 27th December 2022
Boxing Day	Monday 26th December 2022
New Year's 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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WEEK 3					
W/C: 02/05 23/05 13/06 04/07 25/07 05/09 26/09 17/10					
	HOT SPECIALS...	DAILY FAVES...	SIDES...	PICK A PUDI!	
MONDAY	<b>Macaroni Cheese</b> 🌱 Traditional Mac N Cheese, delicious macaroni in a creamy cheese sauce	<b>Vegetarian Sausage with Mashed Potato and Gravy</b> 🌱 Veggie sausage and mash with rich gravy	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Peas and Carrots</b>	<b>Oaty Biscuit with Fresh Cut Fruit Slices</b> 🌱
TUESDAY	<b>Allegra's Chilli Con Chicken and Sweet Potato Bake</b> 🌱 Baked wedges of sweet potato, topped with tomato chicken & tortilla crunchies	<b>Allegra's Cheesy Peasy Risotto Bake</b> 🌱 A delicious baked cheesy, pea risotto	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Broccoli and Green Beans</b>	<b>Carrot Cake with Citrus Frosting</b>
WEDNESDAY	<b>Tender Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes &amp; Gravy</b> 🌱 Tender roast gammon with fluffy roasties and tasty gravy	<b>Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes and Gravy</b> 🌱 Delicious Quorn roast with fluffy roasties and tasty gravy	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Carrots and Cabbage</b>	<b>Mango Frozen Yoghurt</b>
THURSDAY	<b>Beef Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Pasta</b> 🌱 Delicious beef meatballs in a tasty tomato sauce with pasta	<b>Veggie Lasagne served with a Bread Wedge</b> 🌱 Delicious sheets of pasta layered with veggies and tomato sauce	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Broccoli and Sweetcorn</b>	<b>Chocolate Sponge Cake</b>
FRIDAY	<b>Southern Fried Chicken Tasters with Chips</b> 🌱 Lightly seasoned crispy chicken strips and scrummy chips	<b>Veggie Soft Taco and Chips</b> 🌱 A soft taco shell filled with a yummy veggie tomato chilli	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Baked Beans and Peas</b>	<b>Cheese &amp; Biscuits</b>

## THREE WEEK MENU

SPRING/SUMMER 2022

Chartwells  
So much more than fast food

£2.32

OUR NEW MENU  
CHOSEN BY  
PARENTS AND  
CHILDREN

YOUR FAVOURITES  
AVAILABLE EVERY DAY



WEEK 1					
W/C: 18/04 09/05 20/06 11/07 12/09 03/10					
	HOT SPECIALS...	DAILY FAVES...	SIDES...	PICK A PUDD!	
MONDAY	<b>Veggie Burrito</b> 🌱 A soft wrap filled with lightly spiced veggies and rice	<b>Macaroni Cheese</b> 🌱 Traditional Mac 'N' Cheese, delicious macaroni in a creamy cheese sauce	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Green Beans and Sweetcorn</b>	<b>Strawberry Frozen Yoghurt</b>
TUESDAY	<b>Allegra's BBQ Chicken Burger, Corn and Pineapple Relish with Potato Wedges</b> 🌱 BBQ chicken breast burger with zingy corn relish	<b>The Incredible Burger served with Potato Wedges</b> 🌱 Meatless burger in a soft bun with ketchup	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 with Assorted Fillings	<b>Sweetcorn and Broccoli</b>	<b>Brownie</b>
WEDNESDAY	<b>Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes &amp; Gravy</b> 🌱 Succulent roast chicken with fluffy roasties and tasty gravy	<b>Sweet Potato and Chickpea Roast with Roast Potatoes and Gravy</b> 🌱 A chunky sweet potato and chickpea roast	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Carrots and Cabbage</b>	<b>Shortbread Biscuit with Fresh Cut Fruit Slices</b> 🌱
THURSDAY	<b>Beef Bolognese</b> 🌱 A classic Italian beef bolognese in a yummy tomato sauce	<b>Quorn Hot Dog with Potato Wedges</b> 🌱 A delicious Quorn hot dog	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Broccoli and Sweetcorn</b>	<b>Banana &amp; Apricot Flapjack with Fruit Slices</b> 🌱
FRIDAY	<b>Golden Fish Fingers and Chips</b> 🌱 Crispy fish fingers with scrummy chips	<b>Quorn Nuggets and Chips</b> 🌱 Crispy Quorn nuggets with their favourite sauce - ketchup	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Baked Beans and Peas</b>	<b>Lemon Slice</b>

## WEEK 2

W/C: 25/04 16/05 06/06 27/06 18/07 19/09 10/10

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	HOT SPECIALS...	DAILY FAVES...	SIDES...	PICK A PUDI!	
MONDAY	<b>Veggie Bolognese</b> 🌱 Yummy veggie Bolognese with pasta	<b>Cheese and Tomato Pizza</b> 🌱 Cheesy tomato topped pizza slice	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Cucumber Sticks and Carrot Sticks</b>	<b>Flapjack with Fruit Slices</b> 🌱
TUESDAY	<b>Allegra's Asian Sticky Noodles</b> Chicken and vegetables in sweet sauce with noodle	<b>Allegra's Fruity Cous Cous</b> With Mint Yoghurt and Pita Crisps	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Cauliflower and Peas</b>	<b>Orange Shortbread with Fruit Slices</b> 🌱
WEDNESDAY	<b>Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes &amp; Gravy</b> Roast turkey with fluffy roasties and tasty gravy	<b>Creamy Vegetable Pie with Roast Potatoes and Gravy</b> 🌱 Creamy vegetable pie with a cheesy shortcrust topper	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Cabbage and Carrots</b>	<b>Crunchy Chocolate Biscuit</b>
THURSDAY	<b>Beef Lasagne with a Garlic &amp; Herb Bread Wedge</b> 🌱 A classic Italian layered pasta dish with beef mince	<b>Mild Chickpea and Potato Curry with Rice</b> 🌱 Tasty chickpeas and potato curry served with rice	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Mixed Salad</b>	<b>Fruity Chocolate Brownie</b>
FRIDAY	<b>Battered Fish Fillet with Chips</b>	<b>Tomato Veggie Burger with Chips</b> 🌱 A delicious veggie burger in a soft bun with chips	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🌱 A choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Peas and Baked Beans</b>	<b>Strawberry Frozen Yoghurt</b>

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY  
WATER, SALAD, FRESHLY BAKED BREAD,  
YOGHURT & FRESH FRUIT

🌱 Vegetarian 🐟 Oily fish 🌾 Wholegrain 🍌 Fruity! 🍷 Nutritionist's Choice