



# Carclaze Newsletter

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**Please note:** We are no longer able to receive incoming texts. You can report an absence by emailing via the website or leaving a message on the answer machine. This can be done at any time day or night. We hope this helps as you do not have to wait to speak to the office.



**PENINSULA**  
LEARNING TRUST

Welcome and updates

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for all your support during this half term, the children have worked hard and we are pleased with the progress being made.

Don't forget there are a few events coming up after half term including World Book Day (7th March) and Red Nose Day (15th March).

I hope you all have a good half term break.

Best wishes  
Simon Pollard  
Head Teacher



Scan this QR code with your smartphone and it will take you straight to the school website.

**Data Collection - Please can we remind parents to contact us if you have any changes to your personal details - Phone, Address etc. You can email or pop into the Office.**

**Mobile Phones: Can we politely request that parents do not use their mobile phones whilst in the School especially in the Classrooms.**



**Having a sort out at  
half term!  
'LEGO'**

If your family has outgrown 'Lego' or own brand equivalent. We would welcome donations as we can make use of it in School for our Play Therapy Sessions/Speech and Language Therapy.

It will be put to good daily use and will be well looked after.

If you have any 'LEGO' sets or spare pieces please drop them into the School Office.

Many Thanks



### **IMPORTANT**

#### **School Crossing Patrol Service**

**Carclaze School – Slades Road - 14  
February 2019**

The School Crossing Patrol site on Slades Road (near the traffic light junction) will be unstaffed from Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February due to the staff member moving to the old school site. You may wish to make alternative arrangements for your children's journeys to and from school as a result. Thank you for your understanding and co-operation.

***Please note that even when a School Crossing Patrol is provided it still remains the responsibility of parents to ensure their child's safety when travelling to and from school.***

### **DROP IN MORNING**

**WEDNESDAY 20TH MARCH 9AM-12PM**

Drop in morning for parents to get advice/signposting/information for various topics relating to their children, with Dani Bateman, Family Support Worker.

All welcome!

## School Camps 2019

### Year 3 - Porthpean

20th May to 22nd May 2019

### Year 4 - Delaware

24th June to 26th June 2019

If your child would like to attend either of the above camps but you need financial support then please contact the class teacher or the School Office direct.

### Year 6 - London - PAYMENT ITEM NOW CLOSED - NO FURTHER BOOKINGS

3rd to 7th June 2019 - £350



## **CHILD SAFETY**

We have had some parents come in to the office quite worried about children they see climbing and running along the top of the walls. Some children also climb the gates to the patio area and the parents are concerned that if the child/ren slip they could impale their chin on the top of the bars. Please ensure your child is supervised at all times.



## Carclaze Community Primary School - Use of Photographs and Videos by Visitors and Parents

As we are approaching the time of year when we invite parents into school to celebrate and share events with their children we thought that we would take the opportunity to remind all parents and visitors of school policies and procedures surrounding the taking of photographs and videos in school.

Generally, it must be noted that:

- Under normal circumstances, **there should be no reason for a parent or visitor to take images/videos on site.**
- If photographic/video equipment is seen in use, it will almost certainly be challenged and content requested to be deleted.

There are however, special circumstances that may arise where it is felt that parents may take photos of their own children at events (e.g. special assemblies, end of project events or sports days). If these events are deemed acceptable, there will be clear verbal communication at the start of an event, which will also be supported by additional signage making it clear what limitations to the rule exist.

- Under these circumstance, it will be made explicitly clear that:
- Images/videos must only be taken if the individual child of the parent who is taking the image can be **identified**. This means that if other children are in the picture/video view then the photo/video must not be taken (as other parents have the right to expect their child's image to be protected).

Parents who do not follow the advice above may be asked by parents and/or the school to delete associated images – which they must do as quickly as possible from all media/social platforms. Failure to do so may place them in breach of school policy and in some cases, leave them open to legal challenge.

Whole Year Group/School Events:

- There may be occasions where there will be the opportunity to take photographs of groups of children eg the Nativity Play or the Year 6 production. On these occasions, a separate letter will be sent out to parents, prior to the event, asking for signed permission for their children to be included in the group photographs. If you do not give permission, your child will be removed from the group shots before the photographs are taken.

## Diary Dates 2018 - 2019 - IMPORTANT

### Parent Pay Accounts:

From January 2019 only children booked and paid for in advance can attend Busy Bees and Breakfast Club. If you have an outstanding balance we will contact you and ask you to collect your child immediately.

Please see the letters sent home for more information or speak to the School Office.

Many Thanks

### 2018/2019 - Football and Netball Fixtures

If your child is selected for the Football or Netball Team then they will be notified about the following fixtures:

**\*\*12th March 19 - Carclaze V Charlestown AWAY\*\***

#### **NEW DATE**

Children will be transported to away games by coach but please collect them from the fixture at around 4.15pm. We will also be taking part in the Rosewarne Shield and Diamond Cup so look out for further details.

Lead Teachers: Miss Clemes and Mr Dingle



### Club Cancellations:

**5th, 6th and 7th March - No Rock Heroes, Recorder or Colouring Club.**

### Swimming Lessons:

Spring Term 2019 - Year 3 and 4 will Swim for 10 weeks from Tuesday 15th January to Tuesday 26th March 2019. 1.30-2.30

Summer Term 2019 - Year 2 will swim for first half and Year 1 will swim for second half - 5 weeks each. Every Friday from 3rd May to 12th July. 10.00-11.00 - Swimming Lessons will be payable at £2.50 per week and we will set this up on your child's Parent Pay Account.

### Spring Term Activities Clubs:

14th January to 1st March - Available to book on Parent Pay from early January 2019.

### 13th to 17th May - SATS WEEK

### Holiday Clubs - Go Active

The following dates are provisional for Go Active Holiday Clubs run at Carclaze School. These will be added to Parent Pay for Year 1 to Year 6:

19th February 8.30 - 4.30

8th April 8.30 - 4.30

12th April 8.30 - 4.30

15th April 8.30 - 4.30



As a school we will shortly be looking at our Inset Days for 2019/20. We welcome parental feedback on this. If you feel Inset Days are better spread over the year compared to being grouped together then please let us know your thoughts by emailing:

**[secretary@carclazesch.org](mailto:secretary@carclazesch.org)**

## Certificates and Awards:

### HAPPINESS - Celebration - Maths

Our focus value for the month of **January** is Happiness.

The best feeling of  
**HAPPINESS**  
is when you're happy  
because you've made  
somebody else happy.  
QUOTEPICT.COM

Happiness at Carclaze is where children feel safe and valued. It is being part of the school community and having a positive frame of mind to help us learn, make long lasting friendships and develop into thoughtful, caring citizens. Certificates will be presented in assembly each week (Fridays at 2.30pm). We aim to call parents the night before to invite you in if your child is receiving a certificate.

Pisky Cove	Happiness - M Cox Celebration - K Banks Maths - B Collier
Carlyon Bay	Happiness - E Willis Celebration - F McCarthy Maths - N Bond
Porthluney	Happiness - I. Hooper Celebration C. Rundle
Bamaluz	Happiness - P Milton Celebration - E Yeates
Hemmick	Celebration - M Potter

Welcome to the weekly attendance awards. We have been set a target of more than 96% attendance. This week the following classes have reached their target and will receive 10 minutes extra play:

Charlestown	96.4%
Porthpean	98.6%
Greenaway	96%
Perranporth	99.4%
Sennen	98.3%
Harlyn Bay	97.5%
Porthluney	98.4%
Hemmick	98.6%
Polzeath	97.5%

The following classes just missed out on their target this week. Good luck for next week:

Polkerris	94.4%
Pisky Cove	95.8%
Mawgan Porth	93%
Carlyon Bay	95.3%
Bamaluz	94.5%

If you would like to know your child's individual attendance please login to the eSchools website - [www.carclazesch.org](http://www.carclazesch.org)



### **Parent Consultations - Appointments**

#### **now available to book online:**

Parent Consultations take place this year in Early March. To book a slot with your child's teacher please login to your eSchools account at

[www.carclazesch.org](http://www.carclazesch.org). *If you have forgotten your password simply click on the forgotten password link.*

### **School Uniform**

Please can we remind parents of the school rules surrounding School Uniforms? It is important that all children come to school dressed and wearing the correct uniform.

- Grey/Black Trousers, Shorts, Skirt or Dress (Purple Check Summer Dresses)
- White Polo Shirt, Shirt or Blouse
- White, Grey or Black Tights or Socks
- Purple School Cardigan, Jumper or Fleece
- PE KIT – Black Shorts, White T-shirt's, Sensible Trainers or Plimsolls (Black Hoodies and Leggings for winter sports if required)
- Black School Shoes - not trainers or knee high boots.

NO - Purple Tights or Purple Polo Shirts to be worn. NO Trainers during the day - only for sports. NO - Jewellery (only stud earrings) makeup or nail varnish.

### **Online Safety**

As we are post Christmas, we wanted to remind you of some ways to help keep your child safe online. Father Christmas may well have brought new phones, tablets or games consoles with him this year and we want to support you and your children to enjoy these safely.

There is a range of software available to support parents in the monitoring of their child's online activity but it can be hard to know which one is best. Internetmatters.org is a really helpful website for parents. It tells you about the different apps available, provides guides to online games and has step by step guides showing you how to set parental controls on a number of devices and games consoles.

They also provide a parent's guide to the monitoring apps available. These help you to limit screen time, internet access, restrict apps and keep an eye on your child's online life. Many of these are free and are already available on your phone or tablet.

We have provided a link to the internetmatters.org and the monitoring apps guide on our website

or

google 'internetmatter.org' and search for monitoring apps parents guide.



### **CARCLAZE FACEBOOK PAGE**

Please note that our Carclaze Facebook page is for staff to put information on for parents. We have had a few parents putting personal comments on, or asking for children to be booked into certain wraparound care facilities etc.

The page is not for this purpose and is not monitored daily either, so please do not use it as a method of communication. Thank you.



## Phased Leaders Information:



**Mrs Michelle Bray**

Phase 1 Lead

Mrs Bray is our EYFS Phase leader and works with us on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. In addition to teaching Polkerris class, Mrs Bray's role involves liaising with all our feeder pre-schools to ensure a smooth transition from pre-school settings into our Early Years. She also works closely with Mrs Teague, our Phase 2 lead, to support the children as they leave Early Years and move into Year 1.



**Mrs Ann Teague**

Phase 2 Lead

Mrs Teague leads our Phase 2 team. This phase is made up of classes in Years 1,2 and 3. As well as teaching Carlyon Bay Class, Mrs Teague's role includes supporting the children in the transition into Phase 2 from Early Years (Phase 1) and from Year 3 into Year 4 (Phase 2).



**Mrs Roxy Aitken**

Phase 3 Lead

Mrs Aitken leads our Phase 3 team. This phase is made up of classes in Years 4, 5 and 6. Mrs Aitken teaches in Year 4 on a Monday and Tuesday and then supports the Leadership Team throughout the rest of the week. Mrs Aitken supports the transition of pupils into Year 4 and also works alongside the teachers in Year 6 to prepare our children for their transfer to secondary school.

## Phases and Phase Leaders

We have recently made a few changes to the Leadership Team Structure at Carclaze and we would like share those changes with you. The school now has 3 phases: early years, years 1 to 3 and years 4 to 6. This helps to develop and build on the family feel we have within year groups and generate a wider community for the children to access. Your child may have already begun to talk to you about 'phases' within our school - they have phase assemblies for example. Alongside the phases, we have introduced the role of Phase Leader in order to continue to improve lines of communication between home and school. The Phase Leaders are responsible for classes within their phase and provide additional support to the children and adults working within that phase as well as the parents.

Our new Phase Leaders are:

Phase 1 (EYFS) - Mrs Michelle Bray

Phase 2 (Year 1,2 and 3) - Mrs Ann Teague

Phase 3 (Years 4,5 and 6) - Mrs Roxy Aitken

Our Phase Leaders will provide an additional level of support within school and will take responsibility for pastoral care within their phases. You may well have already had contact with the Phase Leader for your child. As we are introducing the Phases and Phase leaders to you, we thought it would be useful to clarify the procedures we expect parents to follow if you have any concerns regarding your child or if you have any information they feel the school should be aware of.

- 1) Class Teacher - your child's class teacher should always be the first point of contact. If you speak to another member of staff, they will always ask if you have approached your class teacher first.
- 2) Phase Leaders - if you feel you need further information or for some reason the class teacher is not available, please contact the phase leader responsible for your child's year group. The class teacher may also involve the phase leader if they feel it is appropriate or the phase leader themselves may contact you if there is something they need to share with you. If you wish to make an appointment to see your Phase leader, please contact the office who will be happy to arrange an appointment with you or speak to your child's class teacher. Of course, Mr Pollard and Mrs Colwill (Assistant Headteacher) are also available and will be happy to support the work of the class and Phase Leaders if appropriate. As always, if you have concerns over the safety or safeguarding of your child or any other child within the school, the Safeguarding Team are also always available.

# Friends of Carclaze



## Current Committee..

**Chair** - Joanna Miles

**Vice Chairs** - Donna Miles & Marie Kast

**Treasurers** - Jo Plester & Zoe Derriman

**Secretary** - Kerry Gray

**Vice Secretary** - Alisa Shopland

We are friendly, approachable and hope to put new attendees at ease but if you are nervous, bring someone along with you as the more the merrier!



## Friends Meeting

The next Friends meeting of the Spring term will be held on 14th March at 7.30pm all welcome.

We are looking to hold a bingo evening soon and are looking for donations of prizes for this event. If you have any surplus Christmas presents, we would be more than happy to recycle them for you. Please drop into the school office.



## UPCOMING DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES:

Table Top Sale                      Saturday 9th March in the Hall (see information below)

Bingo Evening                      Wednesday 27th March in the Hall

May Fayre                          Saturday 11th May

Non Uniform Days for May Fayre:	50p donation	5th April
	Jam Jars	3rd May
	Bottles	10th May

Please also note the change of the Year 2 Bun Bake to the 7th May not the 6th as originally planned.

### **Table Top Sale (Baby and Children sale) - 9th March**

To be held in the school hall. We will be using our dining tables which are quite long so pricing is as follows:

£5 for half a table or £10 full for a table

9am set up - doors open at 10-12noon

Please book with the office if you would like a pitch.

## Bun Bake Dates:

Year 6	-	5th November
Year 5	-	14th January
Year 4	-	11th February
Year 3	-	4th March
Year 2	-	7th May
Year 1	-	17th June
FS	-	8th July



1) Never Share  
your Password.



2) Never talk  
to Strangers

3) Never give out  
your real name.

4) If you are  
worried tell an  
adult.

5) Never agree to  
meet anyone online.



STAY  
SAFE



6) Never tell  
anyone where you  
go to school.

