

Carclaze Newsletter

Friday 16th November 2018

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Welcome and updates

School Photo Deadline:

Friday 16 November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for your donations for Children in Need. Every penny is greatly appreciated and will go towards the charity that the children are always keen to support.

This week has been Anti-Bullying week and the children have learnt about the difference between being unkind and bullying. They have also been learning about different kinds of bullying and unkind behaviour as well as what to do if they think someone is bullying them.

Next week is National Film week and Year 5 and 6 have been fortunate to be given free cinema tickets to celebrate.

Kind Regards

Simon Pollard

Head Teacher

Clubs Information:

Choir Club with Mrs Pascoe - for Year 3 and Year 4 will not be running on Tuesday 20th November. Instead there will be a whole Choir Club on Thursday 22nd November.

Please see Mrs Pascoe for more information.



Rock Heroes Choir - A letter has been sent home this week from Mrs Sloan regarding various trips and visits over the next few weeks. Please note a slight change of time for the visit to Woodland House on 11th December. We will now be going at 2.45pm so please collect children from Woodland House at 3.45pm. If you have any queries please see either Mrs Sloan or Mrs Wherry.

Last Day for School Clubs
will be Friday 30 November
2018

Online Safety:

Online Safety - we received information this week regarding a disturbing new game sweeping social media. We are urging parents to visit the Daily Mail Website and read up on the 'Momo Challenge.

Extract from the Daily Mail:

'A disturbing new game sweeping social media has parents and authorities concerned that we may be seeing the rise of another 'Blue Whale' phenomenon. It's been popping up all over the world in recent weeks, predominantly through WhatsApp, and appears to follow roughly the same script every time. First, users are challenged to contact 'Momo' by sending messages to an unknown number – then, they're hounded with frightening images and violent messages.

If you have any concerns about online safety and safeguarding children please contact the school for further guidance.

Attendance Information:

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:

| Polkerris | 96.6% |
|--------------|-------|
| Porthpean | 98.9% |
| Mawgan Porth | 97.6% |
| Greenaway | 97.1% |
| Carlyon Bay | 98.9% |
| Perranporth | 98% |
| Harlyn Bay | 98.9% |
| Bamaluz | 96.1% |
| Porthluney | 96.9% |

Hemmick



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

98.9%

| Charlestown | 94.4% |
|-------------|-------|
| Pisky Cove | 95.3% |
| Sennen | 95.1% |
| Polzeath | 94.2% |

If you would like to know your child's individual attendance please login to the eSchools app.

Other News - Important Information :

Please remember when preparing lunches and snacks for your children - we are a NUT FREE



SCHOOL. No products containing nuts should be sent into school - Many Thanks

Swimming Kits and Sports Kits - please be aware that we will not be calling home for forgotten kits. Please try to encourage your children to remember everything they need to bring at the start of the school day.

Autumn Dates:

- Monday 10th December at 2.00 and
 Tuesday 11th December at 9.15am 10.00am EYFS Nativity Parents
 Welcome.
- <u>Tuesday 18th December 9.00am</u> -Phase 2 (Yrs 1,2 and 3) Christmas Service

Parents Welcome

Wednesday 19th December 9.00am Phase 3 (Yrs 4,5 and 6)
 Christmas Service - Parents Welcome

Mid Cornwall Sports Network: A letter will be sent home if your child is selected to run:

5th December 2018

9th January 2019

6th February 2019

<u>Please see the next page for more</u> important dates and events

Diary Dates 2018 - 2019 - IMPORTANT

Volunteers Needed - Lunchtimes

If you are already registered as a Parent Volunteer at Carclaze School we are looking for your help. We need extra hands at lunch time to help with the dinner hall. If you are free between 12.00 and 1.00 throughout December then please speak to the office.

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:

27th November - Mount Charles V Carclaze*

15th January - Carclaze V St Mewan

29th January - Charlestown V Carclaze*

12th February - Carclaze V Biscovey

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.

22 November 18 - we are hoping to take part in a fixture at Biscovey
School (First Teams Only) - look out for information coming home this week.

<u>Cinema Visits</u> - for Year 5 and 6 are going ahead on Monday and Tuesday next week. See letters home and the class teacher if you need further details.

2018/2019 - Inset Days

Remaining Inset Days:

20th December 2018

Other 2018/19 Planned Dates:

Swimming Lessons:

Autumn Term 2018 - Year 5 and 6 will Swim for 10 weeks from Tuesday 18th September to Tuesday 6th December 2018. 1.30-2.30

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.

After School Activities Clubs will run for 10 weeks per term:

<u>Autumn Term</u>: 17th September to 7th December

Spring Term: 14th January to 29th March

Summer Term: 29th April to 7th June

All will be available at the start of each term on Parent Pay - Limited Bookings Available.

13th to 17th May - SATS WEEK

Certificate Winners This Week:

Responsibility - Celebration - Maths

Our focus value for the month of **November** is **RESPONSIBILITY.**

If we teach this value early in life it will see children through into their adult lives as they will be able to take responsibility for:

- Their health;
- Their belongings;
- Their attitude; and
- Their work.

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. Please see the 'letters and information' section for a guide for parents on British Values.

Pisky Cove Responsibility - E Pollington

Celebration - F Ardagh

Maths - C Collings

Greenaway Responsibility - E Drew

Celebration - A Rattenbury

Maths - A Davis

Carlyon Bay Responsibility - J and H Friend

Celebration - A-L Allen

Maths - F.Warren

Harlyn Bay Responsibility - K Hacker

Celebration - J Howes

Maths - I Trevenna

Sennen Responsibility - A Caisley

Celebration - R Edwards-East

Maths - E Kent

Hemmick Responsibility - L Best

Celebration - C Paget

Polzeath Responsibility - K Wilder

Celebration - T Wallbank

Communications:

Apps – Websites – Useful Information



www.carclazesch.org – this is our school website where you will find lots of useful information on term dates, newsletters, clubs, policies,

school data etc.

You can browse the general website or click the 'login' button to do more specific things like book parents appointments and view your child's attendance information. You can also inform us of your child's absence by text message.

<u>www.parentpay.com</u> – this site is for making payments for School Meals, Clubs, School Trips, and Wraparound Care etc. Please ensure you

remember

your login

and visit the



website regularly to keep on top of bookings and payments.



<u>SIMS Parent Lite App</u> – this is a secure app that you can login to and update yours and your child's personal data (contact numbers,

email, home address etc). Coming in September 2018 and available to all parents that have supplied us with an email address.

All of the above sites are designed to help with School to Home Communication. If you

experience any issues with logging on or using the systems then please contact the school office who will assist – 01726 74194.



Safeguarding:

Meet the Safeguarding Team:



We would like to take the opportunity to introduce you to our Safeguarding Team. We are here if you have any concerns regarding your child or a child at our school.

Mr Simon Pollard

Head Teacher and Designated Safeguarding Lead

Mrs Amanda Colwill

Deputy Des-Safeguarding Lead





Mrs Sam Lenz-Williams
Learning Mentor and Counsellor

Mrs Helen Green

Special Educational Needs

Coordinator





Mrs Michelle Bray

Foundation Stage Lead

Mrs Roxy Aitken

Senior Leadership Team



Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns on 01726 74194 or email secretary@carclazesch.org

School Uniforms

Please can we remind parents of the school rules surrounding School Uniforms?

It is important that all chil-



dren 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.

NO - Purple Polo Shirts or Bright Socks to be worn. NO Trainers during the day - only for sports.

Notices:

Morning Drop off Procedures:

Please note that all children in years FS-4 should be accompanied to their classrooms in the mornings by an adult and not left at the gate to walk down by themselves. They are too young for this responsibility and if anything happened to them we would be unable to help as they are unsupervised outside at this time.

Classes in question are as follows:

Polkerris Carlyon Bay

Charlestown Perranporth

Porthpean Harlyn Bay

Pisky Cove Sennen

Greenaway

Mawgan Porth

By the time they reach Years 5 and 6 they are deemed more responsible and can be left at the gate to walk down by themselves.

Thank you for your co-operation in helping us keep your children safe.

Christmas Lunch

This year's Christmas lunch for the children will be held on Wednesday 12th December. Please see the menu below and Parentpay for choices. Please note there will be no Jacket Potatoes served on this day.

All lunches must be ordered via ParentPay by 1st December.

Please can we remind parents and carers of the following when using the car park. These rules are in place to keep you and the children safe during school pick up and drop offs:

CAR PARK

- Please reverse park into a space this means that once you have your child you can drive out safely.
- DO NOT PARK in Taxi Bays We have several children travelling alone by taxi and for their safety the bays must be kept clear. Anyone parking in a Taxi Bay will be asked to move.
- Disabled Bays are for disabled drivers only (Blue badge holders only)
- Staff Car Park DO NOT cross the zebra crossing and use the Staff Car Park.

GENERAL SAFETY

- ◆ Can we remind parents that school opens at 8.40am. Prior to this children are not supervised so please do not drop them off and leave. If you have to drop off before 8.25 then children need to be booked into Breakfast Club.
- When dropping children off please use the pedestrian 'walk ways and paths'. Do not walk through the Staff Car Park as this is dangerous for both you and your children.

The above rules are to keep you and your children safe whilst on school grounds - thank you for your cooperation.



Friends of Carclaze



Christmas Fayre

Loads of festive fun – raffles, Santa, gifts, cakes, stalls, refreshments, games and crafts

Saturday 1st December, 12-2pm

Carclaze Community Primary School St Pirans Close, St Austell, PL25 3TF



Christmas Fayre

Arrangements are well underway for the forthcoming Christmas Fayre. If any parents have businesses and are willing to donate a prize for our grand raffle, it would be very much appreciated. Please see Mrs Shopland in the Office regarding this.

We are also looking for donations of wine for the wine tombola and teddies, toys, books, games etc for the toy stall.

Any donations can be brought to the School Office. Thank you once again for your continued support.



Upcoming Important Dates

Non-uniform days for the Christmas Fayre:

23rd November - Jam Jars

30th November - Bottles for Tombola

1st December - Christmas Fayre 12-2pm

12th December - Christmas Sing-a-Long 7.15pm



Current Committee...

Chair - Joanna Miles
Vice Chairs - Donna Miles &
Marie Kast
Treasurers - Jo Plester & Zoe
Derriman
Secretary - Kerry Gray
Vice Secretary - Alisa

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!

Bun Bake Dates:

Shopland

Year 6 - 5th November

Year 5 - 14th January

Year 4 - 11th February

Year 3 - 4th March

Year 2 - 6th May

Year 1 - 17th June

FS - 8th July