

Newsletter #8 Friday 17th November 2023



Dear Parents & Carers

Christmas Plans

The festive season is looming, thank you for all of your donations for the FOS Christmas Fay have one more non-uniform day scheduled for Friday 1st December, please keep an eye on the Friends ot School Facebook page for the lists for the hampers. If you have any more toiletries, bottles or anything else that would be suitable for the Fayre, we will happily accept further donations.

Christmas Dates & Events		
Friday 1st December	FOS non-uniform day. Bring an item for the	
	Christmas Hamper. (list to be posted nearer	
	the date)	
	FOS Christmas Quiz sheets will be available	
	from School, the Co-op or The Peapod	
Wednesday 6 th December	Christmas Fayre in the hall at 3.30pm	
Friday 8 th December	Port Isaac Christmas Light switch on.	
	Procession starts at 5:30pm, children have	
	all made lanterns in school and families are	
	invited to process from the old car park	
	down to The Platt with their children. The	
	lights will be turned on at 6pm.	
Tuesday 12 th December	Christingle Assembly in school	
Wednesday 13 th December	Christmas Sharing Evening— info to follow	
Thursday 14 th	Christmas Dinner – don't forget to order	
	FOS Secret Santa	

We are lucky enough to have some fantastic artists working with us this half term. This week we have been making ships in bottles for our lantern parade, these will also be used in our Christmas sharing evening. We had to fit our cardboard ship into a plastic bottle and decorate it. They are going to look amazing on the procession down to the village for the Port Isaac switch on

Parents meetings

Your child will have a letter regarding parents meetings, please sign up by returning the slip.

Puffins- Miss Oxenbury	Monday 27 th November 23
Seals- Miss Martin	Tuesday 21st November 23
Seals- Mrs Stark	Mrs Stark will arrange with each family.



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Dolphins- Mrs Dimmock	Thursday 23 rd November 23

Headteacher Listening Campaign

In order to better understand our school community, I would like to offer an opportunity to meet with me in addition to meeting your child's class teacher. If you would like to join me in the staffroom either before or after your parent meeting, I'll be ready to listen to how we can best support and serve our families. Please indicate below if you would like to take the opportunity to meet with me.

Celebration Assembly

You will notice that the awards for each class have changed slightly. Each week there will be 3 certificates awarded in each class.

Congratulations to our certificate winners on...

.....Friday 17th November

Seal Class	Star of the Week	Darcy
	English Star	Roman
	Maths Star	Ivan
Puffin Class	Star of the Week	Dylan S
		Emmie
	Franksk Com	Lyra
	English Star	Dylan S
	Maths Star	Jessica
		Lizzy A
Dolphin Class	Star of the Week	Finley
		Eva
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	English Star	Dylan A-B
	AA .1 C.	Lizzie C
	Maths Star	Taylor



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Kind Regards,

Emma Williams Headteacher

Whole School Attendance this week 95.8%

For all CELT schools the attendance threshold is set at 96% in line with national attendance data.

Seals	Puffins	Dolphins
90%	98%	98%

Friends of the School

Bag2School

Start saving your clothing, shoes, textiles etc ready for collection on Wednesday 29th November (just in time for a pre-Christmas clear out!).

We accept the following 'good quality' items for RE-USE*:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toysHousehold linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels
- Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

* We reserve the right to refuse any unsuitable items

We **DO NOT** accept:

- Duvets and blankets
- Pillows and cushions
- Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)
- Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing
- School uniforms with and without logo
- Corporate clothing and workwear
- Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material



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What's On Next Week?

Thursday 23 rd November	Y1 Hearing Screening- details to follow
Friday 24 th November	Individual & Family School Photographs
Saturday 25 th November Open Morning 10:30 – 12:30 for Nippers Nur and Reception. More details to follow on Mone	