

Port Isaac Community Primary School

Newsletter #22 Thursday 6th June 2024





We are thrilled to announce the safe arrival of the gorgeous Lottie, daughter of Mrs. Stevenson. Congratulations to Mrs. Stevenson and her family! We look forward to meeting Lottie very soon.

Staffing Updates

During Mrs. Stevenson's maternity leave, we are pleased to welcome Emma Manley to the Seal Pups and Nippers team. Emma is an experienced EYFS and KS1 teacher who will be with us on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays each week.

September Class Structure

After careful consideration and with the support of the Trust, we are excited to continue our four-class structure in the mornings for an additional year. This arrangement will provide extra capacity as we continue on our school improvement journey.

I am delighted to welcome Jen Young to our team in September. Jen, a former colleague of mine from Luxulyan School, is an experienced EYFS and KS1 teacher. She will be joining us to teach Seals as part of the EYFS and KS1 team. Additionally, I am pleased to inform you that Miss Waters will continue to cover for Miss Martin in Seal Pups and Nippers.

Transition Day and Meet the Teacher Session

All children will have the opportunity to spend time with their new teachers in their new classes on Monday, 1st July. We will also run a "Meet the Teacher" session at the end of the school day on that same day, so parents can meet the staff too.

Phase	Class	Teacher	Support Staff	Class Size
EYFS Nursery & Reception	Nippers Nursery & Seal Pups	Mel Waters	Louise Horwell HLTA	7 children
KS1 Year 1&2	Seals	Jen Young		10 children
Lower KS2 Year 3 & 4	Puffins	Emma Williams am Ellie Dimmock pm	Kate Stark HLTA Mon - Weds	14 children am 29 children pm
Upper KS2 Year 5 &6	Dolphins	Ellie Dimmock	Juliet Eaves HLTA	15 children am 29 children pm
Admin	Office	Sam Collins	8:30 - 10:45 Mon - Thurs 8:30 -9:30 Fri	-

Thank you for your ongoing support as we make these transitions and improvements. We look forward to another fantastic year ahead.

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Emma Williams Headteacher





Breakfast Club Update

We are excited to announce that our Breakfast Club is now available for all students at a cost of £3 per session. We are pleased to welcome Linzi Dawe to the Port Isaac team as our Breakfast Club supervisor, Monday to Friday. Breakfast Club starts at 8am and runs until the start of school. This provides a nutritious start to the day and a safe, welcoming environment for your child. Please book using Parentpay and Miss Eaves will add your booking to the calendar.

Free Breakfast Club Spaces

We are offering funded places to children who qualify for Pupil Premium. If you would like to access this, please email or speak to Mrs. Williams. piahead@pia.celtrust.org

Free Trial Breakfast Club session for every family

Additionally, we are pleased to offer a trial breakfast club session to every family. If your family would like to book a free trial, please email or speak to Mrs. Williams or Miss Eaves and we can arrange it for you. jeaves@pia.celtrust.org

After School Club

Our After School Club, run by Miss Eaves, operates until 5pm each day. You can book the first session, which runs until 4:15pm, for £3.50, or the full session, which runs until 5pm, for £6.50.

Please book your sessions on ParentPay, and Miss Eaves will add them to the calendar.

Booking Lunches on ParentPay

Please ensure all lunches are booked in advance on ParentPay. We ring the lunch order through to the Delabole Kitchen between 8:30 and 9am each morning. Recently, we have noticed that a number of children expecting a school lunch do not have one booked and paid for. After half term, if your child does not have a lunch ordered, we will provide a jacket potato.

We would like to inform you that ParentPay is amending our School Dinner Menu as the weeks have become out of sync. We apologise for any inconvenience this may cause, especially if you have booked your meals in advance. To reset the menu and ensure it is correct, all current bookings will be cancelled. We will let you know when this reset takes effect and kindly ask that you rebook your meals. Please note that any credit will be returned to your ParentPay account.

Week 1: 3rd June Week 2: 10th June Week 3: 17th June It then repeats until the end of term

Special BBQ Menu- 20th June

Please note we have 2 special menu days this half term, the first being 20th June, it is a BBQ theme and the menu is attached. The usual menu will not be amended so please select main or veggie and dessert. Jacket potatoes and tomato pasta are still available.

Main Meat Choice: BBQ Burger with Oven Baked Wedges Summer Slaw Main Veggie Choice: Beetroot BBQ Burger with Oven Baked Wedges Vegan Summer Slaw Dessert: Summer Fruit & Yoghurt Eton Mess

If you are experiencing issues with ParentPay, please contact Emma Moseley at Carclaze School, our resident expert on all things ParentPay, at <u>emoseley@car.celtrust.org</u> or call the school on 01726 74194.

Many thanks for your cooperation.

Summer Term Diary Dates			
Thursday 6th June	Robots and Rockstars Dress Up Day!		
Friday 7th June	School Closed for Royal Cornwall Community Cohesion Day		
10th—14th June	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check		
11th—13th June	Year 5/6 London Residential		
17th—21st June	Swimming every afternoon for Reception - Year 6 at Camelford		
Update 1st July	Meet the Teacher Parents Meeting at 3:15pm		
3rd July	Parents Meetings Wednesday 3rd July		
Wk. Beg 8th July	Last week of clubs		
Friday 12th July	Non School Uniform Day for Friends of School– more details to follow		
Tuesday 16th July	Sports Day— afternoon session parents and carers welcome to spectate & Summer Fayre		
Thursday 18th July	Reserve Sports Day		
Wk Beg 22nd July	Activities Week– details to follow		
Friday 26th July	Leavers Assembly in the afternoon– details to follow Last day of Summer Term		
Wednesday 14th August	St Peter's Church Fete– Competition for children to enter– details to follow		

eSchools App

eSchools have developed the app for smart phones which can help you keep up to date with notices and communications from the school as well as being able to monitor your child's attendance on the move. I encourage everyone to download the app, you can find frequently asked questions on the eSchools parents page <u>here</u>.

In June, we will be using the eSchools app to book our parents' meetings for the first time, so it would be really beneficial to get it installed now.

If you have any questions about the app, please don't hesitate to ask Mrs. Williams.