

## Community Support in Perranporth

On Wednesday evening I (Mr Johnson), was invited to attend a meeting for Perranporth Community Hub. The group attending consisted of a number of like minded people who wanted to work together to help the people of Perranporth with all sorts of different problems ranging from health to food and energy. With the various pressures that families are currently facing, it was so heartening to see how much support there is in our community.

With this in mind, I would really like to share and make our families aware of the Perranporth Community Fridge. This service has been in operation for a little while, and I feel it is very important that, as we approach half term when children won't be accessing daily school meals, that parents know there is help available if things get difficult. The details are below:

### Community Fridge

If you are in need, for free, help yourself to donated food, much of which is very close to it's use-by date. From Monday the 11th of October, our community fridge will be Monday (10-11am) and Wednesday (11am-noon) from [St Michaels Church](#) (At the bottom of St Michaels Road, where it joins Perrancoombe).

This is only possible because of phenomenal donations of time by our volunteers, donations from our community and community organisations\*. Each week we get food at very generous prices (thankyou) from Co-op, Mr Fruity and Chappans Family Butchers. \*Community and other organisations that have given us money include The Garden Charities, Age Concern, Diocese, Cornwall Community Foundation, DEFRA at Cornwall Council, Perran Dairy and the Healeys Cider Farm.

For more information about the Community Fridge and other types of local support, please follow this link to [Perranporth Support Group](#):



## Halloween Disco - Friday 21st October

Don't forget that the Halloween Disco is booked for this evening - Friday 21st October in the school hall. Reception & KS1 disco will be from 4.30-5.30pm and KS2 from 5.45- 6.45pm.

There are prizes to be won for great costumes, so come along in your scariest! Entrance fee of £2 will be payable on the door. There will be fizzy drinks on sale along with cakes and an Unlucky Dip!



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## Harvest Festival

This Wednesday children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 made the trip down to St Michael's Church to perform their Harvest Festival celebration. Lots of time had gone into rehearsing the songs and prayers beforehand, which really paid off. The children were in excellent voice and sang their harvest songs brilliantly and said their lines clearly too. If you've not seen it yet, a video of the whole event has been uploaded onto Class Dojo. Thank you for all of the donations of food which we have now shared with The Community Fridge.



## What's coming Up Next Week?

- ◆ It's Half Term next week and Mon 31st school is closed for INSET - see you all on Tue 1st Nov

## Bags2School - Wed 2nd November

Just in case you are having a clear out at home or planning one...

Our first Bags2School collection of the year is set for Wednesday 2nd November. Bags2school is a great way of getting rid of any unwanted clothing items whilst raising money for FOPS at the same time. You can now use your own household bin liners for any items too!

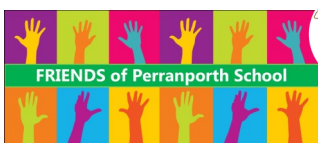


Bags2school accept the following 'good quality' items for RE-USE

- ◆ 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 toys
- ◆ Household linen, curtains, towels
- ◆ Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

They 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



## Cake Sales

A big thank you to parents and families that have already supplied cakes for our Halloween Disco! We welcome any further cake donations to be brought with you tonight. Thank you for your support.

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