

Welcome Back!

A warm welcome back to everyone!! We hope you all had a lovely Easter break and that you managed to make the most of the sunshine. The Summer Term has started with a bang as classes enjoyed their exciting Launch Days. There's been all sorts of learning excitement this week, from the WW2 evacuees in Year 5 to the Ancient Greek historians in Year 3 and lots more besides. Needless to say the children are all very engaged and excited by the new learning adventures this term has in store for them!



Bags2School Collection - Fri 28th April

Next week we have our Summer Term Bags 2 School collection booked for Friday 28th April. On this day we would be hugely grateful if parents and families would like to donate any unwanted items. These items can arrive at school in normal bin liners (no special bags are required). The items collected by Bags 2 School are listed below. Thank you for your support. All proceeds go to our FOPS fund which all goes back into supporting your children at school.



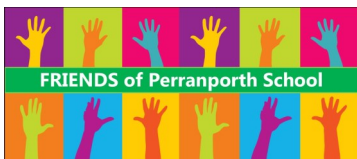
WHAT WE COLLECT:

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 toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains

We DO NOT collect:

- 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



FOPS Friday Cake Sales

A big thank you to parents and families From Year 3 for their contributions to this week's cake sale!! Next week it will be Year 4's turn to bake. Thank you.



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Perranporth World Champion

We'd like to share our huge congratulations to our former pupil, all round surfing superstar and big brother to Leven in Y2, Lukas Skinner!

As you've possibly heard, Lukas won the under-16 World Grom Search Finals at Bells Beach in Australia. He was competing against the best surfers from around the world and is the first Brit-on ever to win the competition. We'd like to say an enormous well done to Lukas and we will all be keeping a keen eye out for his next achievements!



Thank you, Goodbye and Welcome



Unfortunately, next Friday we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Morris, our wonderful Y2 Teaching Assistant. As lots of our families will already know, although Mrs Morris has absolutely loved her time at Perranporth (and we've certainly loved having her here!), she has decided to dedicate her time to running her shop in town full time. This has been a long held dream for Mrs Morris and something she wants to give her full commitment to going forwards. We're all terribly sad and will miss her a great deal, but wish her the very best of luck in her new venture and know that she'll make a huge success of it. Thank you Mrs Morris for all of your fabulous support and good luck!!

The following Monday 2nd May, we will be welcoming Vickie Burgess to join our Perranporth team to support in Y2. Vickie comes to us with a wealth of teaching and learning experience, so we're sure she'll fit right in and get to know the children in no time at all.



Concerned Neighbour

This week we had a message from a concerned neighbour of our school. A local resident, who lives at the bottom entrance of Liskey Hill Crescent (leading out on the main road - Liskey Hill), has brought to our attention that, they are worried about 4 children who run down past their house every afternoon around 3.20pm, with no adults following. They believe that the children are unable to see if any traffic is coming into the Crescent which is obviously a danger as they rush across the road. Much more of a problem, any traffic entering the Crescent is definitely unable to see them too. In the interests of avoiding any nasty accidents, please can we ask parents of children walking home this way to remind them of the safe ways to cross roads and to walk home sensibly. Many thanks.

Perranporth's G.R.E.E.N Curriculum

Growing - Relevant - Environment - Engaging - Nurture

This week, children in Trevithick Class have been doing some very **Relevant** learning about the story of Handa's Surprise which is set in Kenya. As part of this learning the children had a guest speaker from WaterAid who came to talk to us about our **Environment** and how important access to clean water is. The class learned that children, like Handa from the story, often only have dirty water to drink and they have to walk a long way to collect it. It was lovely to help the children understand how fortunate we all are to have lots of clean water in our taps and how precious it is.



Upcoming Teacher Strike Days

Parents may have heard about the planned teacher strike days scheduled for 27th April and 2nd May 2023. It is our intention that Perranporth School will remain open for all pupils on these days. If there any changes to this plan, we will let parents know as soon as possible. Thank you.

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School Uniform and PE Kits

We're incredibly proud of our smart Perranporth School uniform. As we start the Summer Term, we would like to encourage children to ensure they are wearing their full school uniform as we would expect. This is also the case for children and their PE kits.

At our school we think it is very important that children wear the right clothing as explained in our School Uniform Policy.

Please can we ask for parent and family support in helping to make sure that children come to school each day wearing their full school uniform and that they have a full school PE kit in school at all times. This is also required for after school clubs too. Thank you.

Our school uniform is:

- Green school sweatshirt/cardigan/fleece
- White shirt – standard or polo style
- Black or grey trousers/shorts
- Black or grey skirt/summer dress
- Plain white or plain dark coloured socks/tights
- Black footwear that is flat and closed toe
- A waterproof coat

P.E. Kit should consist of the following:

- White round neck t-shirt – plain
- Black shorts – plain
- Trainers – there should always be a change of footwear for P.E. activities
- Tracksuit/sweatshirt for outdoor activities in colder weather (optional)
- Children who go swimming need a towel, swimming trunks or one-piece costume, swimming cap.



Coronation Celebration!

Whilst we're speaking of smart clothing, we'd like to share with parents our celebration plans for the upcoming King's Coronation.

On Friday 5th May we will be celebrating this very historical day with lots of different royal based activities, songs, special foods and much more. On Friday the 5th May, we would like to ask all children to come to school wearing their smartest clothes, fitting of the Coronation occasion! This might be that children would like to wear a smart suit or jacket, shirt and tie. It might be that children wish to wear a beautiful dress or ball gown. Some might wish to wear their 'Sunday best'! This is a very special time and something we'd like to recognise as such.

That being said, we would like parents to appreciate that this will be a school day when children will be playing and enjoying the celebrations, so clothing must not be too precious in case of accidents or damage etc. Whatever children choose to wear, we would really like them to be super smart and dress up especially for the big day! Thank you.



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Come and celebrate with us

The Coronation of King Charles III



Charity Fun Day

Monday 8th May 2023

12pm - 4pm

In the

Clock Gardens & Lake Gardens



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Free Boats, Free Games

Treasure Hunt, Quizzes and

*Duck Race

Bowling Club Open Day, Free tea and coffee



*Some games may be charged

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