<u>Parking Issues</u>

Newsletter

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Please can we remind and request that parents and families do not park on the double yellow lines around the school site, or block the driveways of local residents. We regularly receive a number of complaints from our neighbours regarding this matter. Additionally, we often witness near misses with children leaving cars parked in unsafe places.

If you are driving to school, please do park considerately and safely.

Additionally, we would also like to remind families that we are able to issue parking permits for free parking at the Wheal Leisure car park at drop off and pick up times. Please feel free to pop into the Office and ask for more details. Many thanks.

Odd Socks for World Kindness & Anti Bullying On Monday next week, we are asking that children come to school wearing their usual school uniform, but with the very special addition of odd socks!!

The odd socks are to show our awareness and recognition of two very special events in our school. Monday the 13th Nov is World Kindness Day and next week is also Anti Bullying Week. We will be recognising both of these events in different ways throughout the day and week going forwards, but would like the children to show their awareness by wearing their odd socks.

So, have a rummage in the bottom of your drawers, find your most colourful and exciting pairs, and then mix them up!

Children in Need Day Friday 17th November

Next Friday 17th November we will be celebrating Children in Need Day. School Parliament have asked that in support of this worthy charity, children come to school dressed in spots or stripes. We would also like to ask for a £1 donation to give to Children in Need. Additionally, throughout next week, Children in Need badges and wrist bands will be on sale at morning break times for £1.00 each.

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School Parliament - Chartwells

This week the children in School Parliament had a very special job. They were invited to meet Sophie from Chartwells to discuss our school meals and the menu. The children had been primed and had already spoken to their classes so that they we able to share the collective opinions of the other children.

When School Parliament met Sophie, they were extremely articulate and balanced in their feedback. The children told about the meals they liked, those that they weren't so fond of and also gave lots of excellent ideas for new menu choices. What's more, School Parliament also managed to negotiate some special theme menu days which we look forward to hearing about later in the school year.

We were all very impressed by the children in School Parliament and extremely proud of how they represented us! A huge well done to all!

Absence and Holidays in Term Time

We would like to remind parents that we are not able to authorise children's absence for the purpose of holiday during term time. It is important that parents understand that if they remove their child from school and incur unauthorised absences, they may be subject to a fixed penalty notice as explained on our Absence Request Form. Please ensure the School Office are notified of all planned absences by completing the appropriate Absence Request Form. Many thanks

LEAP - Learning - Engaged - Aspiring - Pride

LEAP - Characters

As part of our new LEAP project, this week Mr Barnes shared some friendly new LEAP characters for the children to get to know. In order to help our children understand our LEAP aims, each aspect has now got a different character. In our assembly on Tuesday, the children were introduced to the new character in lots of fun different ways.

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Lizzy the Learning Lizard - We leap forward like Lizzie the Lizard, by coming to school and trying new things everyday.

Eager Beaver - We show we are engaged in our learning like an Eager Beaver, by using our magnet eyes and listening to our teachers.

Aspiring Mountain - We aspire to climb every mountain in front of us and be the best that we can be.

Perran the Lion - Like Perran the Lion, we take pride in everything we do and are proud to be a part of Team Perranporth.









We're looking forward to using the help of our LEAP characters to support us all in achieving and doing our best at Perranporth School.

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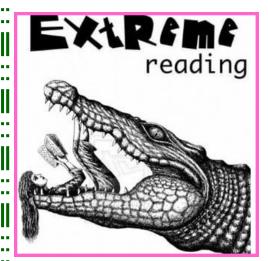
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Extreme Reading

Before half term we asked children to get creative by thinking of different extreme ways to read. Well, once again the entries simply blew us all away! There were lots and lots of very impressive and some rather alarming entries which showed children reading in all sorts of different ways. We had children on horses, on bikes, in caves, on boats and even one on the toilet! It was a very, very difficult decision for the judges, but we're very pleased to announce that the following children are our winners:

Gracie, Oscar K, Marley and Gilli. These children will soon be taking a trip to Waterstones in Truro to choose a book of their choice and possibly a slice of cake too!

Congratulations to all of the children that entered for doing such a marvellous job! And if you want to see the entries, please do pop into the Office area where they are displayed.

CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

This year's Christmas Tree Festival will run from 8th to 24th December, 12.00 to 5.00pm and

26th to 31st December, 12.00- to 5.00pm at Perranzabuloe Parish Church, St Piran's, Penhallow.

As a school we always enter a tree to this very special festival. This year Perranporth School's aim is to create a 'Sharing is Caring' Christmas tree made from tinned food. We are asking parents to donate a tin of food in order for us to build as big a tree as possible! All of the food from the tree will then be donated to the local foodbank, hopefully making a difference for families in need.

Please send in any donations (must be tins of beans, soup, veg etc) to your child's class teacher or directly to Mrs Williamson by Tuesday 5th December.











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