

Newsletter
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Perranporth School



Bags2School - Thank you

We'd like to share an enormous thanks for all of your kind donations to our Bags2School collection this week. You have managed to raise a fantastic £110 for FOPS funds!!! Thank you.



Netball Winners!

On Wednesday this week, our Year 5 Netball Team headed off to the Newquay Small Schools Tournament. The children played brilliantly and showed fantastic sporting behaviour too. We were all very proud to hear that they managed to finish the tournament in first place! Winners!!! A huge well done to the team!



Christmas Cartoon Competition!

Can you create your very own Christmas comic?



To take part, you need to create your own Christmas cartoon strip.
Please make sure your name and class are written clearly on your entry!

They could be drawn, turned in to a book or done online!

All entries to your class teacher by
Thursday 14th December.

Prize: Cinema Vouchers!!

I can't wait to read them!

Miss Pryor

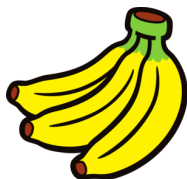
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Perranporth's G.R.E.E.N Curriculum

Growing - Relevant - Environment - Engaging - Nurture

This week Year 5 took part in some very **Engaging** and **Relevant** learning by inviting representatives from the Co-op into class to talk about fairtrade. As part of their geography learning on 'Where does our food come from?', the children learned an enormous amount about their different countries that supply our foods and the need to ensure that these are traded fairly. Not only did the children finish the session full of exciting new learning, they also had full tummies too as the Co-op very kindly gave the children some fairtrade bananas to feast on too! We'd like to say a huge thank you to the Co-op for all of their support.



Christmas Hampers

Simon and Mel Thomas and their band of volunteers have been in touch to offer Christmas Hampers, filled with food and toys, to any of our families who find themselves in need this year. Last year they were able to provide over 350 hampers to families in Perranporth, Truro and surrounding communities.

With the cost of living crisis and ever increasing food and energy rising costs, many families may find it hard to provide even the basics at this time of year and a Christmas Hamper could make a huge difference.

If you think your family would benefit from this generous offer, please either contact the School Office or contact me direct if you prefer.

The deadline for contacting the Office is next **Thursday 7th December 2023**



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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! Children will receive a diamond ticket for their donations. 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.



Christmas Dates

At this time of year there's always lots happening, so here's a helpful list of the dates and events coming up in the next few weeks:

- ♦ **Monday 4th Dec- Year 3 (am) Year 2 (pm) visit to First Christmas**
- ♦ **Tuesday 5th Dec - Year 1 (pm) visit to First Christmas**
- ♦ **Wednesday 6th Dec- Year 4 (am) visit to First Christmas & Y5.Y6 Indoor Athletics**
- ♦ **Thursday 7th Dec - Year 6 (am) Rec (pm) visit to First Christmas**
- ♦ **Friday 8th Dec- Christmas Jumper Day (and chocolate for the Tombola) & Christmas Craft Afternoon (see class Dojo pages for details), Year 5 (am) visit to First Christmas**
- ♦ **Tuesday 12th Dec - Year 5 Christmas Production (after school)**
- ♦ **Wednesday 13th Dec - Christmas Dinner Day and Y3/Y4 Christmas Performance 1.30pm, Y6 Christmas Trail**
- ♦ **Thursday 14th Dec - Rec, Y1, Y2 Christmas Production at Memorial Hall (arrive from 1.30pm, show to start at 2pm) and Y6 Christmas Production in the evening, Y4 Christmas Trail (pm)**
- ♦ **Friday 15th Dec - Christmas Grotto and Treasure Trail. Chocolate Tombola after school. Y5 Christmas Trail (pm)**
- ♦ **Monday 18th Dec - Choir on Christmas Tour around Perranporth**
- ♦ **Tuesday 19th Dec - Last day before Christmas Holiday.**



Friends of Perranporth School - FOPS



Christmas Hampers

FOPS have launched the annual Christmas Hamper competition with all classes being asked to complete a list of hamper items - lists have been shared on Class Dojo. The first class to complete the list will receive a class prize! These festive hampers will then be prizes in the FOPS Christmas Raffle. Tickets will be coming home today for Reception class and KS1. KS2 children can collect tickets from the school office.. Thank you for your support!

We would also like to share a huge thank you to Lee Wells and the Team at the Tywarnhayle Inn for a very generous donation of £900 to FOPS from the Perranporth Light Switch On evening! This is a phenomenal amount of money which will be a huge support to our school and FOPS plans. THANK YOU!!!

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Fire Station Christmas Grotto

The crew at Perranporth Fire Station are hosting a charity Santa's grotto at the fire station on Saturday 9th December 15:00-17:30. There is no charge however we're asking for donations for the firefighter's charity.



Felicidades!!

(Congratulations in Spanish)

We would like to share a huge congratulations to Dan Hazelton, our visiting Spanish teacher. Dan has been teaching Spanish at Perranporth 15 years now!!! What an achievement! If you would like your child to participate in our lunchtime Spanish lessons, please contact the School Office for details.

Perranporth Secondary School

Join us at an informal Public Information Event

When
6 December 2023
3.30pm - 7pm

Where
Perranporth C.P. School
Liskey Hill, Perranporth,
Cornwall, TR6 0EU

We are hosting an informal drop in session to share the plans for the proposed new Perranporth Secondary School.

This is your chance to see the drawings, meet the architect and speak to the main contractor, and ask any questions about the proposed new scheme.



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