

LADOCK CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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A Note from Mr Hobbs

It was great to be able to celebrate our fantastic Teaching Assistants on National Teaching Assistant Day today. The work they do to support the children in their learning is invaluable and often goes unnoticed. They really do demonstrate our school values every day and I want to say a huge thank you to **Mrs Milling, Ms Ferris, Ms Minter, Miss Burley, Mrs Warne, Miss Sherrocks, Mrs Julian, Miss Eldridge and Mrs Sluggett** for all that you do.

It was great to see so many of you at the meetings about the end of year residentials for our KS2 children. These are a fantastic opportunity for the children to take part in different activities and challenge themselves. It has been great to see such a large number of children sign up for these events. If you need any further information please don't hesitate to contact your class teacher or myself.

We try to use Class Dojo as much as possible to communicate events that are happening in school so please do get in contact with the office if you don't feel as though you can see everything you need to. Occasionally there are issues but if you let us know about them we can often fix them quite quickly.

Finally thank you very much for all of the food donations we have received today and I look forward to seeing many of you at the Harvest Festival this afternoon at 2.30pm in Church.

Tom Hobbs - Head of School

Dates for your Diary

Fridays' Collective
Worship takes place
at 2.40pm in Church
unless we have Open
the Book (2.30)

29th Sept	2.30pm in Church—Harvest Festival
2-6th Oct	Blaise class intensive swimming week at Polkyth Leisure Centre - 10-11am— click here Payments via Parent Pay
3rd Oct	Ladoca class trip to Royal Cornwall Museum Truro— click here for consent form
3rd Oct	1.30 –3pm Stay & Play in Cuby classroom (every Tues)
4th Oct	Blaise class bake sale and Hot Chocolate sale in the playground at the end of the day
11th Oct	Blaise class Flambards trip— click here
9-13th Oct	Ladoca intensive swimming week at Polkyth Leisure Centre - 10-11am— click here
17th Oct	Parent Consultation evening (1)
18th Oct	Parent Consultation evening (2)
20th Oct	Last day of 1st half of Autumn term
30th Oct	First day of 2nd half of Autumn term
31st Oct	Deadline for applications for transfer to Secondary school in Sept 2024 click here
7th Nov	Year 1 Hearing screening
24th Nov	INSET DAY—School closed to children
14th Dec	Note change of date— KS1 Nativity— (matinee and evening performance)
15th Jan 24	Deadline for applications for a Reception place 2024 click here
25th Jan 24	Blaise class trip to Truro Museum
19-23 Feb 24	Keyne class intensive swimming week at Polkyth Leisure Centre - 10-11am— click here
28th June 24	Sports Day

INSET DAYS 2023-24
24th November 2023
22nd, 23rd & 24th July 2024

[Click here](#)
to find Cornwall
Council term dates

[Click here](#) to access the ap-
plication page to apply for
Free School Meals if you
think your child may be en-
titled to them.

School Lunches
Please remember
to order before
7.45am
Thank you.

PTFA Events Calendar

AUTUMN TERM

Wednesday 4th October—Blaise Bake sale and Hot Chocolates—top playground, after school

Friday 3rd November—School Disco, Ladock Community Hall, 4pm—5.30pm KS1, 6pm—7.30pm KS2

Wednesday 8th November—Ladoca Bake Sale and Hot Chocolates, top playground, after school

Wednesday 29th November—Christmas Jumper Swap and mince pies—top playground, after school

From Friday 1st December—Christmas Raffle tickets on sale

Friday 1st December—Non school uniform day in exchange for a bar of chocolate for the Christmas Fayre

Friday 8th December—Non school uniform day in exchange for a bottle for the Christmas Fayre

Wednesday 13th December—Christmas Fayre—details to follow

Friday 15th December—Refreshments at KS1 Performance—Ladock Community Hall

SPRING TERM

Friday 12th January—PTFA Meeting—Ladock School, after school

Wednesday 7th February—Keyne & Cuby Bake sale and Hot Chocolates—top playground, after school

Friday 23rd February—World Book Day costume swap—top playground, after school

Friday 22nd March—Non school uniform day in exchange for a chocolate bar for the Easter Raffle (chocolate hampers, 1 per class)

Thursday 28th March—Easter Egg Hunt

SUMMER TERM

Friday 19th April—PTFA meeting—Ladock Park, after school

Friday 26th April—Ice Lolly Sale—top playground, after school

Wednesday 8th May—Ice Lolly Sale—top playground, after school

Friday 17th May—Spring Disco—details to follow

Friday 14th June—Ice Lolly Sale—top playground, after school

Friday 28th June—Refreshments at Sports Day

Star of the Week

Week ending 22nd September 2023

- Cuby - Joshua for his wonderful manners, using his knife and fork and trying new vegetables.
- Keyne - Toby for showing respect to everyone and everything at all times.
- Ladoca - George for showing a deeper understanding in mathematical challenges.
- Blaise - Megan for her thoughtful contributions to whole class learning and amazing focus when working independently.

Special Mention

Theo

Oscar D

Ivy G

Claude

Annie-Rose

Henry (Blaise)

James (Blaise)

Weekly Attendance for week ending 13th September —98.58%

St Cuby—100%

St Keyne - 99.23%

St Ladoca - 99.23%

St Blaise—95.86%

The Government advises that attendance should not fall below 96%

Star of the Week

Week ending 29th September 2023

- Cuby - Oscar B for making a rocket independently.
Keyne - James P for his excellent participation in phonics.
Ladoca - Georgina for showing compassion and helping younger children in the class.
Blaise - Jack for a fantastic piece of descriptive writing that includes wonderful similes.

Special Mention

Quinn

Agnes

Finley

Arlo

Lori

Lottie

Charlie D

Weekly Attendance for week ending 22nd September —95.17%

St Cuby—100%

St Keyne - 88.85%

St Ladoca - 97.69%

St Blaise—94.14%

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Parent Consultation Evenings

17th & 18th October 2023

Parent Consultation Evenings will take place on Tuesday 17th & Wednesday 18th October 3.30—6.00pm (5.50 last appointment)

Appointments can be made to meet with your child(ren)'s teacher via the Parents evening system (see below). If you are unable to make any of these dates, please let your child's class teacher know and we will try to arrange an alternative appointment.

Parents evening booking on-line address:

<https://ladockprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk>

You will be presented with a log-in screen where you will need to enter your name, your email address (if you enter your email address, you will receive an email confirmation of your booking) and your child's name and DOB. You can then log on and continue with your booking(s). You can choose your child's class/teacher, and either day 1 or 2. It is very straightforward, but if you do have a problem, or do not have access to the internet, please speak to Jane, who can make the booking(s) for you.

Please note that appointments are limited to 10 minute slots.

The
deadline for
applications is
**15 January
2024**

Do you have a child born **between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020?**

If so, you will need to apply
for a place in a reception
class in September 2024 for
that child by the deadline
of **15 January 2024.**



Please note: you will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. If a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

Visit www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions for more information and to access the online application system

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