#### Spring term 2018 (2) 11th January



#### Ladock School Values Forgiveness, Trust, Compassion, Perseverance, Respect & Truth.

# Ladock Church of England School Newsletter



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## After school clubs

Students of the week St Cuby Boe Blue Dibsdall St Keyne Katie-May Kingcome St Ladoca Audrey Gilbert St Blaise Kara Clarke

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Thank you for signing up so swiftly to Mr Jarvis's sports clubs! It was fantastic to see so many children enjoying a good cross country run after school yesterday! We have two more clubs on offer run by staff: cookery and Italian. As promised last term, Mrs Batchelor kept all the reply slips from children who were on the 'reserve' list for cooking and these have been offered first choice of a place this term. There were so many, that the club is already full! Miss Harris is offering a 'Speak Italian club—she is a languages graduate and Italian was one of her subjects so this is a wonderful opportunity. These clubs will be on a Wednesday afternoon. Mrs Stevenson will be running a SATs preparation club for the year 6s on a Tuesday—details will be sent to parents of year 6 children soon.

#### **Uniform Reminder**

Please encourage your children to wear their uniform with pride. A smart appearance boosts children's self esteem and this in turn help them tackle their learning in a more positive frame of mind. The uniform is available as below

#### Uniform Ordering from Tesco

- 1. 1. Go to tesco.com/ues
- 2. 2. Select your school uniform from the list and you'll see all the customised items you can buy.
- 3. 3. Choose the quantity and sizes you'd like, then add them to your basket.
- 4. 4. Pay easily with a debit or credit at the checkout.
- 5. 5. Your embroidered items will be delivered within 14 days, *free delivery for orders over £15.*

You can still order school uniform from Schoolwearforless, choose St Pirans Cross under the school section. If you do not have access to the internet, please speak to Jane in the office.

## Parking

In order to help us keep the children in Ladoca class safe when walking up and down the road, please could we request that parents do not park outside the school house as this means the children have to walk in the middle of the road. Many thanks



# St Cuby:Skye Reynolds, Sidney StringerSt Keyne:Logan Bott, Katerina Karsa, Issey WebbSt Ladoca:Paige Hammond, Carne Michell, Lola-Rose MooreSt Blaise:Sebastian White, George White, Summer Green



Mr Jarvis's Sport Star of the week KS1: Ruan Michell KS2: James Rogers

## **Dates for your Diary**

Mondays (Weds if Bank Holidays)—Piano, Tuesdays—violin tuition Weds—whole school after school cross country (full), cookery (full) & Italian Thurs—afterschool KS1 Fun Fit Fri—afterschool KS2 football club

- 12th Jan KS2 Badminton festival (4 pupils taking part)
- 15th Jan Poetry club starts 3.15 4.15
- 18th JanSchool Census day menu—Superheroes
- 23rd Jan 7.30 PTFA meeting
- 8th Feb Year 5 Junior life skills
- 9th Feb Last day of first half of Spring term
- 19th Feb 1st day of second half of Spring term
- 29th March End of Spring term—Easter break
- 16th April 1st day of Summer term
- 14-18th May KS2 SATs week
- 21-22nd June Year 3 Residential to Woodland Valley farm
- 18-20th July Year 4, 5 & residential to Porthpean outdoor centre

#### 2018 inset days—Mon 4th —Fri 8th June (5 days)

Weekly Attendance for week ending Friday 5th January 2018

 St Cuby 93.44%
 St Keyne 87.96%

 St Ladoca 87.5%
 St Blaise 100%

Overall 92.25%

The Government advises that attendance should not fall below 96.1%

#### HEADLICE

We have been contacted by a number of families who are struggling to get rid of head lice infestations from their children. The following web-site has useful information to support you in getting rid of these little beasts: http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Head-lice/Pages/Introduction.aspx You can also ring to speak to the school nurse on: 01872 221704. are also leaflets available in the school office. If we notice that a child has head lice or nits (the empty egg shells), we will discreetly speak to their parent(s) and ask that the problem be tackled immediately. Gone are the days when we are permitted to check children's heads ourselves. Please appreciate that whilst we do all we can to support parents with information and reminders of how to tackle the head lice problem, it CANNOT be the school's responsibility to overcome the problem; this has to be down to the parents. Unless **EVERYONE** is diligent in checking their child's head and treating the problem, we will not break the cycle and head lice will continue to be a problem.

In a further attempt to work as a team and break the head lice cycle, we will be asking parents to support Bug Busting Day!

## TOMORROW (Friday 12th January) IS BUG BUSTING DAY!

Could we ask you all to check your child's hair for head lice and treat if necessary. If we all do this on the same day each month then we will be able to control this issue, **although you do need to check your child's head more often than once a month.** 

#### Starting School—September 2018

### The deadline for applications is 15th January 2018

## Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014

Applications may be made via website and application form: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk

Post: School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY

Telephone: 0300 1234 101

If you need help with your application you can contact the Family Information Service

## Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Residential trips 2018

2nd Payments for this years residential trips are due at school by 22nd January please.

## **Poetry club**

In preparation for the upcoming Music festival including the Spoken Word festival, Mrs Marsden and Mrs Rogers have very kindly offered to run their poetry club again, starting on **Monday 15th January**, from 3.15—4.15pm. If your child would like to take part, it would be helpful if they could please come along <u>armed with a poem</u> that they would like to read, or if they took part in the St Austell Festival, they may like to read that poem again. If you have any questions, please speak to Nicola on 07977544347.



#### **Par Cross Country**

On Weds 10th Jan, Isaac, Joe V and myself took part in one of the Par Cross country races. It was a lovely sunny day and lots of people were there, over a hundred children took part, and there was a boys race and a girls race.

Joe came 52nd, Isaac came 19th and I came 3rd. I was really happy with this result. We would like to say thank you to Andrew Nicholson for taking us and supporting us at the race.



Census day menu— Thursday 18th January 2018

## Superhero menu

Spiderman's Burger in a bap

Or

Catwoman's Cheese and Tomato Pizza With Captain America chips and Green Lantern's vegetables (peas and baked beans) Batman Chocolate Brownies

I have requested Parentpay to change the menu accordingly, but just in case this has not happened in time, please order as follows:

If you would like the **burger** option, please choose the following on Parentpay: Beef tortilla stack & rice with garlic slice, roasted vegetable medley

If you would like the **Pizza** option, please choose the following on Parentpay: *Roasted Vegetable medley*