

CUSGARNE SCHOOL THIS WEEK

Date: 9 March 2018



Diary Dates

9 March Browsing session for the Book Fair

12—14 March Book Fair open for sales

19 March Healthy Schools Week

20 March Walk to School Day

28 March Music Assembly 1.30pm in the Hall

29 March Last day of term School closes at 1.15pm

16 April Summer Term begins

May Assessment month including 14—17 May SATs

> 28 May Half term

18 June Sports Day (reserve day 19th)

20 July Last day of the school year

Dear All

After the excitement of the snow, school has returned to normal. children joined in with our delayed World Book Day celebrations and we had characters from princesses to the Mad Hatter, Robin Hood to James Bond. The staff also joined in and there are a selection of photos overleaf. I would like to say a special 'well done' to the year 5's who completed their Bikeability course on Tuesday. During their training, I think they had every type of weather thrown at them but with true Cusgarne spirit, they embraced the challenge, and all successfully completed the course.

Our current year 6 have this week found out which secondary school they will be moving onto in September and I know that their new schools will soon be inviting them along to get to know their new surroundings. Applications for primary school places are currently being decided by Cornwall Council and will be notified on 16th April 2018.

Thank you to the parents who came along to the parent-teacher appointments on Wednesday. If you were unable to come along and would like to see your child's class teacher, please book a separate time with them.

Next week we have several entries for the Cornwall Music Festival (see overleaf) and if your child is taking part, please make sure that they remember their instruments! Please note that there will be NO sports club on Monday due to the music festival.

The Friends of Cusgarne will be running our Book Fair on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next week so make sure you pop along. Every child should have received a £1 book voucher which they can use at the Fair. If your child has mis-laid theirs, please ask the class teacher in case they have a spare voucher.

We are putting new safeguarding procedures in place and as a result are asking parents not to come into the school building. Some parents come in to bring in their child's bags before the morning bell sounds but this is really not necessary. Messages can be left with the staff member on duty and Reception will still be open for parents wishing to fill out forms, pay for lunches etc.

I hope all of the Mum's have a lovely Mothering Sunday and enjoy some family time!

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Acting Head of School.

******* **Pupils of the Week**

Class 2 Class 3 Class 1 Esther Perran Sunny Maximilian Chay Freya

> Trevithick Hepworth Vickery 75 80 85













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Cornwall Music Festival—12 March 2018

Pupils in years 1, 2 and 3 will be taking part in the spoken verse section of the Cornwall Music Festival on Monday 12th March. We also have some individual, duet and trio recorder entries the same day and on Friday, Class 2 will be entering the ukulele section.

Good luck to all our competitors!

Don't worry parents if you are unable to go along to see the children perform at the Music Festival since we are planning an end of term Music Assembly on Wednesday 28th March from 1.30pm in the Hall. The assembly is for family and friends to come along and see some of the wealth of talent we have at Cusgarne.

Healthy Schools Week—w/c 19 March 2018

Healthy School Week is coming soon where the children will be learning about and exploring lots of ways to keep us healthy and enjoy life! We will be looking at things such as cleaning our teeth, washing, what we eat and exercise.

On Tuesday 20th March we would like the children to Walk to School. While we know this will not be possible for some families, we hope as many of you who are able, will join in. Any children attending Breakfast Club will be escorted up to the meeting point by staff members. Staff will be in the car park of the Cornish Arms on Tuesday morning between 8.30am and 8.40am. Parents can sign their children in with a staff member (staff will be wearing hi-vis jackets), and then at 8.40am, we will have a 'walking bus' down the road to school.

Parents: please make sure your children have been handed over to a staff member before you leave. If the 'walking bus' has already left, please bring your child direct to school.

We are asking drivers to proceed with caution if they are driving to school since there may well be more children than normal walking the route to school.

Please note that if the forecast is awful for the Tuesday, we will consider postponing and try again on Thursday 22nd March. If this is the case—we will let you know!

World Book Day at Cusgarne School













DIARY OF ACTIVITIES w/c 12th March 2018 Breakfast Club runs daily on school days ADDITIONAL **TEACHER** ACTIVITY INFO MONDAY Guitars Mr Collington Payment per term Keyboards Mr Clapp Payment per term Payment per term Woodwind Miss Sampson Class 3 Homework Mrs Turner 12.30pm-12.55pm Club NO Sports Club Mrs Murray Due to the Music 3pm-4pm Festival, Truro Reception, yr 1 + 2 Mrs Ireson Sports fixtures Mr Barnard As advised As advised TUESDAY Wake and Shake Mrs Ireson/Y6's 8.30am—8.45am Art Club Mrs Turner/ Mr Barnard KS2 3pm-4pm KS1 and KS2 Miss Palmer/Mrs Ireson KS1 WEDNESDAY Miss Hewitt Payment per term Violins Class 2 Ukuleles Miss Hewitt Drums Mr Robinson Payment per term Brass Club Mr Pope 3,30pm Wake and Shake 8.30am—8.45am THURSDAY Mrs Ireson/Y5's Recorders Ms Hawken Games Club Mrs Murray 12.30pm—12.55pm

Breakfast Club

Hockey Club

KS2

Colouring Club

Classes 1 and 2

Mrs Jefferies

Mr Barnard

Miss Palmer

3pm-4pm

12.30pm-12.55pm

Please bring shin pads

and gum shields if you

have them

Our Breakfast Club runs daily on school days from 8am. Please book your child's place in advance.

Current prices as follows:

<u>With breakfast:</u> First child £2 per morning; siblings £1 per morning <u>Without breakfast:</u> First child £1 per morning; siblings 50p per morning

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