

# Cusgarne School Bulletin

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#### Dear Parents,

I hope all our families have enjoyed a half term break and had the chance to spend some time together. These precious moments can fly by, but I have heard some lovely experiences and activities that the children have already shared with me of what they got up to. The second half of term has started with a positive vibe and the children have returned and are so focused on their learning and challenges ahead. A quick reminder to book your parent teacher consultations by phone next week, details below if you missed the email.

Last night the year 5 and 6 boys played their first football match of the season against Blackwater school. I was so proud of the way they played as a team and supported each other throughout the game. Blackwater are on an unbeaten run of games, and have played as a team for some time, however even though we lost by a couple of goals, we pushed them all the way and were so determined, scoring 4 well deserved goals of our own. Some of our players were playing in a match for the first time and they should be proud of what they achieved and how together they were, with some excellent passing moves and scoring four great goals. Well done boys – we are very proud of your effort and your performance. A shout out to the parents that helped transport the children to and from Blackwater, a big thank you. Here is a picture of them warming up before the match:





From our Captain Louie – "I am proud of the team's performance as we put pressure on them and scored well deserved goals, well done boys."

The Year 6 girls were due to attend a football tournament tomorrow (Fri 5<sup>th</sup>), but unfortunately this has had to be postponed until later in the year. Once we receive details for a new date we will of course let you know.

We are also part of a creative project, in collaboration and as outreach to schools with The Hall for Cornwall. Dance lessons are booked as part of the children's curriculum time, and beginning this Friday, each class will create a dance related to their topics this term. I can't wait to see the finished pieces of dance and expression.

Here are a few dates for your diary:

#### Mental Health Awareness Week

Mental Health Awareness week commences on 15<sup>th</sup> November, and on the Monday, we are asking children to wear odd socks to support and celebrate Mental Health awareness. Each class will be learning through a range of discussions and activities about this throughout the week.

#### Children In Need

On Friday 19<sup>th</sup> November we will be supporting Children In Need Day and the children will be able to attend school in non-school uniform. We are asking that the children wear something spotty or brightly coloured such as red, yellow, green or blue. The school is also hoping to host a cake sale during school hours, but further details of this shall follow in next week's newsletter once details have been finalised by the School Council.

#### Remembrance Day

In the lead up to Remembrance Day, members of Kingfisher class will be running a Poppy Shop for children to bring in a small donation and to buy items of their choosing to raise funds for the charity. If you wish your children to do this, it will be available daily in the mornings in each class. Please see below for the items available & suggested donation:

- Poppies 50p
- Snap Band £1.50
- Car Poppy £5
- Poppy Reflector 50p
- Window Stickers £1
- Zip Pull 50p
- Silicon Wristband £1





Please note that if your child purchases a snap band, this will need to go home with them in their book bag.

#### **Tempest**

Tempest shall be coming into school on the morning of Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> November. This will be for individual and school sibling photos only.

#### Parent Consultations

An email was sent to all parents yesterday regarding Parent consultation dates & times. Please don't forget to book in to speak with your child's teacher by 5pm on Friday  $5^{th}$  November.

I hope you get to enjoy the weekend whatever the weather and we look forward to catching up with all our parents next week by telephone.

Best wishes

Mr Barnard Head of School

#### News from the Friends

Wonderful Autumn

Thank you for such wonderful autumn colours and own clothes before half-term. It might be the season when the days feel shorter, and plants settle down for the winter but we can always rely on our children for colour, energy and enthusiasm!

Last call on Christmas cards!

Friday is the last day for Christmas card orders - get prepared to spread some Christmas cheer!

Calling all bakers (and cake providers)!

The cake sale is now taking place in the playground after school on Thursday 11th November! It's wonderful to be able to use the school playground again,



but please wear masks and give space to others. Donations can be dropped off at the gates before school on Thursday or brought straight to the sale.

There will also be a collection point for crisp packets, so bring any you have on Thursday...

Thank you for all your support; we look forward to seeing you there!

The Friends x





### CHELSEA FC FOUNDATION

## **Development Centre**

# **Truro Development Centre Trial**

Day	Thursday
Ages	U7 to U10
Date	Thursday 4th November
Timings	17:15—19:00
Price	Free
Website	WWW.CHELSEASOCCERSCHOOLS.CO.UK
Course code	FDC-TR-Tru-39

Age - U7 -U10

Venue – Truro College, College Road, Truro TR1 3XX

Time - 17:15-19:00

Surface - 3G

Player's need;

Weather appropriate sports clothing

Football boots/trainers

Shin pads

Water bottle



For further details, please contact <u>Jamie.taylor@chelseafc.com</u>

