

Tintagel Primary School Newsletter

May 2018

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Dear Parents and Carers

Well done to our Year 6 children!

Regardless of what the results of the SATs tests are when they are returned to us in July, we would like to say how proud we are of the learning attitude our Y6 pupils demonstrated throughout the assessments. More importantly than anything else, we can say that they absolutely gave their best efforts and we are proud of them.

Minibus

Good news, our new minibus will be delivered next week and will make a significant difference in terms of enabling our children to participate in events – both sporting and art events – between our two schools but also across Cornwall. Wherever possible, we will use our minibus to support school trips and residentials in order to keep costs down. However, this may not always be possible due to numbers. We are proud to see our school logo out and about.

GDPR

With the new General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) coming into effect on Friday 25th May, we would like to inform you that we have updated our privacy notice. This document explains how we use and share information about your child, and can be viewed in full here: <http://bit.ly/pupildataprivacy>

Internet Safety

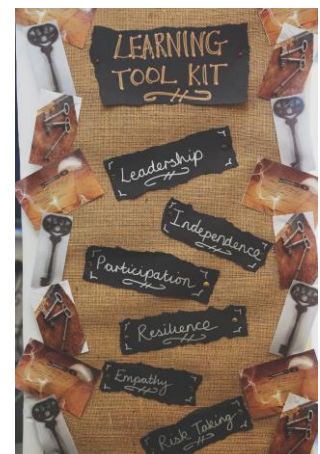
The NSPCC and O2 website/app providing information for grown-ups to keep children safe in today's digital world, has been updated with new reviews from parents and young people. Net Aware provides online safety information and advice on privacy settings and other features, as well as recommended age guidance and risk ratings for inappropriate content. The link is <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>.

Sun Safety

We are still receiving questions from parents regarding the application of sun cream. Please can we clarify that due to the safety of medication in school, staff cannot apply sun cream throughout the day and tubes of sun cream should not be in children's school bags. We would like to recommend that parents select a high UV factor and apply sun cream liberally at the start of the day. If there is a hot day, we will ensure that children are kept in the shade for reasonable amounts of time and be very vigilant. Please supply your child with plenty of drinking water and a sun hat.

Early Morning Protocols

In preparation for Term 6, the Senior Leadership Team have been discussing how we can ensure that each child is confident and well prepared for the subsequent year. This ranges from coming into school calmly, being ready for learning, to receiving interventions which will help close the gap towards end of year expectations. We are also considering resources to support some pupils over the summer holidays – especially in the fundamentals of number and reading. For this reason, we will be tightening up early morning playground protocols and we are requesting that parents do not come into the classrooms at the start of the day as this can disrupt interventions. Most staff are available on the playground and are happy to take messages. If there is an urgent message, please pass it to the office. It is not our intention to exclude parents but for younger children, the presence of so many parents in corridors and classes can be disconcerting. We really appreciate your support in this.



18th May 2018

Bags 2 School

We will be sending out a "Bag 2 School" next week for all your unwanted clothes, shoes and soft toys. This is an easy way to fundraise and have a clear out at the sometime. Further information will be sent out on the bags.

PTFA

The weather forecast is looking good for our St Nectan's Glen evening on Tuesday 22nd May. Monday will be the last chance to buy tickets, there will be a raffle and a chance for the children to go into the kitchen and help make their own pizzas if they would like to. This is open to all so please invite your family and friends.

Our Great Summer Fete is on Friday 29th June 2018 straight from school. We are looking for donations to our Bottle Tombola, this could be anything in a bottle from shampoo, vinegar to wine. If can offer any donations please pop it into the office. We are selling stalls for £10, if you would like to book one or know anyone that would please pass the info on. Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 6th June in the foyer after drop off.

Deli Farm Run

Just a reminder that we look forward to seeing as many families as possible at the Deli Farm Run tomorrow. The run commences at 10am. Please bring plenty of water and sun cream in case it is hot.

With best wishes



Sue Cox
Head Teacher

Diary Dates

Saturday 19 th May	Deli Farm Run
Tuesday 22 nd May	PTFA Social at St Nectan's Glen
Wednesday 23 rd – 25 th May	Year 6 Residential to Bristol
Friday 25 th May	Last day of Term 5
Monday 4 th June	First day of Term 6
Tuesday 5 th June	Class Photos
Tuesday 12 th June	Bag 2 School collection
Wednesday 13 th June	Year 3 Minack Trip
Monday 18 th June	Class 4 Surf Lessons
Wednesday 20 th June	Class 3 Surf Lessons
Friday 29 th June	Great Summer Fete
Monday 2 nd and Tuesday 3 rd July	Fly Up Days
Wednesday 4 th July	Sports Day
Wednesday 18 th July	Class 4 Performance 2pm and 6pm
Friday 20 th July	Last day of Term 6