Germoe Community Primary 19th March 2018

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DATE	BREAK	BREAKFAST CLUB WILL BE ON EVERY MORNING	
Mon	Sport Club		
Tues	Crosscountry Club	Drum lessons	
Wed	Swimming	Music Club	
Thurs	Gardening Club	Recorder Club	
Fri	Film Club		

STARS OF THE WEEK

PORTHCURNO CLASS – Jack for super writing.

SENNEN CLASS – Caitlin for astonishing effort all week

GODREVY CLASS – Louis: For using fantastic descriptive language in enquiry.

PARENT/GOVERNOR MEETING- the next meeting is at Gernoe on Wednesday 21st March at 9.00 am. Please come along for an informal chat and coffee. Any ideas/suggestions you may have will be gratefully received.

<u>CHILD SICKNESS AND DIARRHOEA</u> — Please note that it is school policy that children cannot come back to school until 48 hours after the last bout of sickness and diarrhoea

FREE SCHOOL MEALS – All children who are in Reception, Yr 1 or Yr2, even though they are entitled to Universal Free School Meals, may also still be entitled to Free School Meals.

The criteria is to get FSM is:

- Income Support
- Income based Job Seekers Allowance
- Income related Employ & Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit
- State Pension Credit

You can get more information and an application form from the office.

BIKEABILITY – unfortunately due to the weather the second day of Bikeability had to be cancelled. It is now going to take place on Thursday 29th March in the morning. All children who attended this week will need to bring their bikes back to finish off their level so they can get their certificate

CLASS 3 - Miss Symons is looking for any donations of cushions to use in a new work space, please see her if you are able to help

PLEA FOR HELP - As you know one of the children's current projects is to change the Mini Minack area, due to the seating being completely rotten, and they have had the help of a very kind parent volunteer who has removed all of this. The next job that needs doing is to dismantle the wooden stage area and move it a small distance so that it sits alongside class 1 therefore giving it a bit of shelter. We desperately need some parent volunteers to move this for us. If you are able to offer assistance please contact Mrs Care. Many thanks

GARDENING CLUB/FOREST SCHOOL - If any parents have any potting compost spare for forest schooling and gardening club it would be very much appreciated. We are hoping to replace the polytunnel covering, if anyone knows of a local nursery or farmer who may have an offcut or spare that they would like to donate it would be gratefully received.

PARENT/CARER VOLUNTEER READERS - Are there any parents willing to give half an hour of their time to come and read with children once a week between 9.00 AM and 10.00 am. Please speak to Sarah Mulholland if you could help us in this way

FOREST SCHOOL will continue on Wednesday afternoons for Sennen class (Mrs Jones) until the Summer term.

TIMETABLE ADJUSTMENTS: Year 1/2/3 will have joint PE lessons on Tuesday afternoons.

GUITAR LESSONS - there is still 1 place available in Guitar lessons. If anyone would like to start please contact the office for more information.

MARAZION MESSY CHURCH — this Sunday 18th March 4-6pm in Marazion Community Centre. We'll be thinking about Second Chances we offer each other. There'll be singing, drama, craft and food. Perfect for families who want a different sort of church. Find us on Facebook and www.mountsbayub.com

RAINBOWS/BROWNIES/GUIDES If anyone is interested in joining, please register on www.girlguiding.org.uk and click on 'Join us'. Rainbows start from 5 - 7 years, Brownies 7 - 10 years and Guides 10 - 14 years. There are many groups in the area, Porthleven, Sithney, Helston and Breage to name a few. The children have lots of fun, meet new friends and take part in lots of exciting activities. If you would like any more information, please see Miss Burns or Liz Nash (Lily May's mum)

FACEBOOK PAGE – We have created a public Facebook page called Germoe Community Primary School. This is a public page that everybody can see. The aim is to promote the school and give some essential information about us and what we do. We have also created a closed group called **Germoe School and FROGS**. This is a group where only the members can see what it is posted, or post something on it. With this page we would like to improve communication amongst parents, sharing information about school events, trips, etc. and give FROGS the opportunity to give out all the relevant information about their amazing work and activities. To join this group, just search on Facebook for the group and ask to join it!

EARLY YEARS FUNDING

To find out if you are eligible, please look at Childcare Choices: website https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/

2018 Diary Dates

March

Wednesday 21st Parent/Governor meeting @ Germoe 9.00 am

Class 2 Minack Theatre
Thursday 22nd Class 3 Hall for Cornwall

Tuesday 27th Crosscountry race (5) @ Helston C C KS1 and KS2

Yr 5 out @ Humphry Davy

Thursday 29th Transition – Helston School Yr5 - Languages

BREAK UP - EASTER HOLIDAYS

April

Monday 16th BACK TO SCHOOL

Tuesday 24th Crosscountry race (6) @ Mullion Secondary Sch

KS2 (Yr3-6)

Thursday 26th Transition – Helston School Yr6 - PE

May

Tuesday 22nd Fun Run and Medals ceremony @ Mullion Secondary Sch

RACE FOR LIFE - As you may be aware that the nation is gearing up for sports relief next week. We would like to do our bit and after much deliberation have decided to host a family friendly fun run on Friday 23 rd March at 3:00 pm. Please come along, invite your friends and family, pop on something red, run a few laps, have a giggle and support a very worthy cause. Suggested donation £1. Cakes and refreshments will be on sale after the event.		
FROGS - Frogs will be holding their Easter fun day on Monday 26 th April. There will be an Easter egg hunt, egg decorating competition and egg rolling.		
CLASS 2 MINACK - the performance on Wednesday 21 st March at the Minack Theatre starts at 1.30pm and should finish about 2.00pm		