

Germoe Community Primary 29th March 2018



DATE	BREAKFAST CLUB WILL BE ON EVERY MORNING
Mon	
Tues	Drum lessons
Wed	
Thurs	Sailing
Fri	

STARS OF THE WEEK

PORTHCURNO CLASS – Elvie, for super reading

SENNEN CLASS – Ruby, for trying her best

GODREVY CLASS – Toby, for being a fantastic teacher

THERE WILL BE NO CLUBS THE FIRST WEEK BACK AFTER EASTER (except for Sailing) BUT BREAKFAST CLUB WILL BE ON AS USUAL

<u>CROSS COUNTRY</u> – Well done to children who took part in the race at Helston Community College on Tuesday. They were fantastic and did Germoe School proud

EASTER FUN – Thank you to FROGS and all those who helped with the Easter fun and Rachel Thomas for organising the Easter hunt around the village. Everyone had a fantastic time – it was eggcellant !! Mrs Whitehead judged the decorated eggs which was a very difficult job as the children produced some amazing creations.

NEW MENU – The new menu for the summer term is attached and also on the Website

<u>SAILING</u> – A reminder to all parents who have registered their children, sailing will start **Thursday 19th April**, the first week back after the Easter break.

GLIDER FLYING – Monday 16th April Class 3 will be going to Gweek Village Hall to fly their gliders. They will be back at school by 15.30.

<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.

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

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.

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

<u>PARENT/CARER VOLUNTEER READERS</u> - 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

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

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