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*Dear Parents and Carers,*

*This week we have been busy preparing for our forthcoming Assessments.*

*Grateful thanks to all parents who have assisted with practice at home.*

### School Choir Performance



Our school choir performed magnificently last Friday evening at St Buryan Methodist Church where they were joined by several past pupils and other musicians.

We were all very proud of their confident performance; Mr and Mrs Chant, who received thanks for their voluntary help with the choir, thought they were 'awesome'. Well done to all our singers!



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## **Music Lessons:**

Several parents have asked about the range of music lessons we are able to provide at school. Anna Dowling, an experienced peripatetic music tutor, who has been working in schools for the last 10 years, has offered to provide affordable lessons in school for anyone interested in learning the violin, fiddle or piano.

### **All children are welcome from all year groups.**

From Reception to Y1 children the focus is on developing musical skills through games, songs and rhythms. Lessons are focused on enjoyment and gaining an understanding of music.

From Y2 the focus is on developing technique and skills, developing confidence and having fun.

Lessons are £6 for an individual 20 minute lesson or £4 for a lesson shared with one other pupil.

Payments may be made weekly or half termly. There is no charge for missed lessons or absence.

Children are offered the chance to take grades, music theory and Music medals.

Visit Anna's website at [www.annadowlingviolin.com](http://www.annadowlingviolin.com)

for more information or contact school if interested.



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## Summer Term Sports

**This year's Sports Day will be on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> July.  
Timings are listed on Calendar section of website.**

**Should we need to postpone due to the weather the same timings will move forward one day until suitable.**

**As we are already practising for this event please make sure your child's PE kit is in school every day during the Summer term. Thank you.**

## Friends of the School

Summer Fete News: This year's Summer Fete will be held on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 3-6pm. There will be the usual mix of stalls including cake stall, Lucky Square raffle, Soak the Teacher (always popular!), plant stall, Hook a Duck, Tombola, Lucky Bags etc. There will also be a **Barbeque** serving delicious burgers and hot dogs so don't worry about having to cook that evening- why not come along and enjoy having your meal in the company of the school community? All funds raised will go towards providing much needed resources for your children so we hope that you will support us and encourage all your family and friends to come along too!

This term our Friends have provided a new interactive LCD screen, a class set of Primary Atlases, maths resources, wood working materials and over one hundred new library books.





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A message from Joe Skinner, Cornwall Cricket Board

"St Just Cricket Club are delivering All Stars Cricket for 5-8 year old's, starting on 23rd May 2017 at St Just Cricket Club. This will fun packed and a great opportunity to learn cricket skills, develop their social skills whilst engaging with other and their parents. To sign up go to [allstarscricket.co.uk](http://allstarscricket.co.uk), today to get your All Stars bag, hat, top, bat, ball and water bottle."

**Big moments**  
start with All Stars Cricket

Register now - [allstarscricket.co.uk](http://allstarscricket.co.uk)

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**Any old tools?** Mrs Kwiatkowska is in the process of introducing workbench woodwork activities and would welcome any offers of unused tools which may be lurking in your shed. Any woodworking tools will be welcomed, particularly items such as hammers, screwdrivers, vice etc.

**Sainsburys Vouchers:** Sainsbury's are once again issuing vouchers when you shop in their store. We have previously benefitted greatly as a school from this scheme having ordered a range of sports equipment, cooking equipment and a set of floor cushions for our library refurbishment. We would be delighted to receive any vouchers issued to you. A collection box is situated in reception.

## **Menu Next Week -WEEK 2**

Extra-Curricular Activities; **Breakfast Club** from 8am all week- **last food orders 8.40am** Tuesday- Tennis Club (Y3-6) until 4.15pm

Wednesday-KS1 Ball Skills (Y1-2) until 4pm, KS2 Cricket Club and Art Club Y3+4 until 4.15pm

Thursday- Rounders (Y3-6) until 4.15pm

**Activities R Us** – Short Stay Session to 4.15pm only £2.00 full session until 5.30pm £4.00

Monday- Make n'Bake- Perfect Pizzas

Tuesday- Golf and tennis Fun

Wednesday- Junk Modelling

Thursday- Crafty Fish Tanks

Friday- Den Building

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**New Childcare Information for parents from the government- please follow this link:**

[https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/?utm\\_source=Foundation+Years&utm\\_campaign=1a0693eb0e-](https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/?utm_source=Foundation+Years&utm_campaign=1a0693eb0e-)

[334-1a0693eb0e-296297677](https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/?utm_source=Foundation+Years&utm_campaign=1a0693eb0e-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2017_03_22&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_e05004a334-1a0693eb0e-296297677)

## **Request from 'Activities R Us'**

*Do you have any complete board games in good condition that you no longer need? Any Lego or Top Trumps? If so, any donations would be gratefully received by the Activities team.*

## **A Message for Parents/Carers from St Just Community Library**

"The trustees of St Just Community Library are still working hard to ensure the future of this important facility, and are confident of progress towards taking it over for the community later this year. St Just Town Council has now committed to a generous grant towards the running costs of the building for at least three years, but we still need money to undertake some of the urgent repairs that are required, so we are busy applying for grants. One of these needs your help:

We have applied for a grant from Calor Gas to pay for the repainting of all the outside woodwork, and for new signs and noticeboards. They will only consider our application if it receives a large number of online public votes, and that voting has to take place between 22<sup>nd</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> May. Please put these dates in your diary, and tell all your friends and family. We will send you information on how to vote as soon as we have it. Make sure that the community supports us in our efforts to secure the future of our library!"

Thanks for your help.

Kind Regards

Ginny March co-chair St Just Community Library



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## **St Buryan Parish Church**

### **An Exhibition of Modern and Traditional Icons**

**by Christine Czainski**

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> to Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> May**

**Open from 9am to 5pm**

**Free entry. Simple refreshments available**

**Tenderness**



**From Chris's exhibition in Bradford Cathedral**

