St Buryan Academy Newsletter

Friday 20th September 2019



Key Dates

- -INSET DAY October 18th
- -Half-term October 21st-25th
- -12th November Stay Safe Workshop
- -Christmas Plays 11th and 12th December
- -Christmas fete 17th December
- -End of term: Friday 20th December

Remember to check reading records for dates regarding class trips

Sickness

Please remember that we have a '48 hours policy'. This means that a child must stay off school for 48 hours after their last bout of sickness. This is to help prevent any illnesses spreading throughout the school and to ensure all children and staff are well.

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Please remember that school starts at 8.55am and all children should be in school ready to go into classes and start their learning by that time.

Thank you

Believe, Achieve, Aspire

Buryan Bulletin

Welcome back!

We are well and truly back into the swing of school life and it is great to walk around the school and see some fantastic learning, engagement and enjoyment taking place.

From investigating different types of toys, their materials and features, to yoga and well-being sessions, to learning outdoors and visiting ancient sites such as Carn Euny, to finding out how Romans heavily impacted the world we live in today – it is wonderful to see the children enjoying their learning so much.

School doesn't stop at 3.15pm though, as this year we are offering some fantastic extra-curricular clubs. These include our new choir club which is led by Mrs Jenny Crow. It would be superb to see our choir being well represented at school events and in other events in the community. The choir is open to children in year 2 to year 6 and is for all abilities.

Mr Butterfield leads High 5's (Primary Netball) club on Mondays for Key Stage 2. We are looking forward to entering our team into the league this year. Mrs Cross is also leading our Key Stage 1 Outdoor Games club on Mondays! Get along for some extra exercise and fun!

On Wednesdays Endorsed Academy of Mousehole Football Club lead our own football club for Key Stage 2. Children just Head of School: Mr Josh McDonald head@stburyanacademy.org St Buryan Academy Tel: 01736 810480

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need shin pads and we have already got some tournaments and fixtures in the pipeline.

Also on Wednesdays is Drama Club for Key Stage 1 with Mrs King. This is a really exciting club new club on offer!

On Thursdays Mr Tremaine hosts our Multi-sports Club where there is a focus on a different sport each week. This is a great way to improve your all-round sporting skills and to work well in teams.

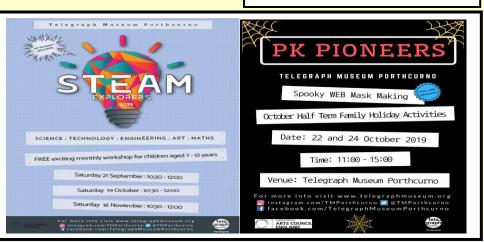
On Friday is Cooking Club for Year 5/6 with Mrs Wilson – I'm looking forward to sampling this week's dish after an amazing wrap last week! On Fridays I also host cross-country fitness which is a club that gives you extra exercise (I need it) and is good preparation for upcoming sporting events.

I hope that all of our children make the most of the clubs on offer.

Have a great weekend

Mr Josh McDonald

School dinner payments
Please make sure that school
dinner payments are up-to-date.
Remember that from Year 3
school dinners must be paid for.
Thank you



Battery Recycling

Do you have any old batteries that no longer work? We have a collection point by the offices for any old batteries.

Depending on how many batteries we collect, we could win prizes!

The scheme is being organised by Duracell.

uniform is available online

from:

www.myclothing.com

You can now 'Like' them on

Facebook too!

Ties and reading folders are

available from the office

Penberth (Reception/Year 1)

This week we have had lots of fun playing with different toys. Year 1 have been busy learning about algorithms and different materials. We all enjoyed watching Michael Rosen perform 'We're going on a bear hunt' and we are going to go on our own bear hunt whilst retelling the story. Encourage your children to engage with the text and have fun with it.

Celebration Awards

We love celebrating our achievements at St Buryan Academy. One of our many ways of praising and recognizing success is through our weekly 'Chuffed Awards' where teachers nominate a member from each class to win an award in our Friday Celebration Assembly. This week's winners are...

Reception - Ella

Year 1 - Asya

Year 2 - Violet

Year 3 - Hannah

Year 4 - Jack R

Year 5 - Alfie

Year 6 - Asya

After-school clubs

We have some brilliant after school clubs this term. Let your classteacher know when you're planning to attend.

(Please note that cooking club is for small numbers and children will rotate half-termly).

Monday - High 5s (Primary Netball) with Mr Butterfield (KS2)

Outdoor Games with Mrs Cross (Rec-KS1) Tuesday - Choir with Mrs Crow (Year 2-

No homework club this week Wednesday - Football Club with Endorsed Academy/Mousehole FC (KS2) Drama Club with Mrs King (KS1) Thursday - 'Pick-a-Sport' with Mr Tremaine

Friday - Cross Country Fitness with Mr McDonald (KS2)

Cookery Club with Mrs Wilson (Year 5/6)

Remember that all Key Stage 2 (year 3-6) clubs finish at 4.15pm and all Reception - Key Stage 1 (year 1 and 2) clubs finish at 4.00pm

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their favourite toys and how they can describe them using different adjectives. We then created sentences and thought really carefully about how we can structure them. In maths we have been busy practicing counting up in different numbers and thinking how digits can create various numbers in different orders.

Nanjizal (Year 3/4)

We are well into our Stone Age Topic now and on Tuesday we took a trip to the ancient settlement at Carn Euny (take a look at the pictures on our class page). We investigated the site, exploring the fogou and the underground room, before a drawing and writing activity. In spite of some good hiding places, I eventually found everybody and we came back tired and happy. In literacy we are learning strategies to help with our reading comprehension - children, can you tell an adult the 4 steps we use?

What are you going to dress as for our Halloween Disco on the 29th October?



Porthcurno (Year 5/6)

This week the class have really kick started their Romans topic. They have been looking at timelines of key events in Roman history. In maths, the class has been getting really practical to secure their understanding of big numbers up to 10 million. The maths mastery approach is allowing them to better understand the numbers and talk and reason with them too. It's great to watch their confidence grow! They have also started writing their Oktapodi stories and are keen to present them as books to some of the younger children in school.

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Safeguarding

Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL):

Mr J McDonald

Deputy DSL and SENCO:

Mr M Butterfield

Safeguarding Governor

Mrs V Hall

Parent Liaison Officer:

Mrs Care

Please note that if your child attends Breakfast Club (8.00am-8.45am) there is a £1 cost which should be payable daily or at the end of the week. Thank you.