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Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year and very best wishes for 2018, which we hope will be a happy and eventful time for our school.

We certainly plan to make an exciting start to the term with each class having plans in place to ensure learning of the best kind for every child.

Late last term a certain amount of late night activity was noticed at school. At the time we were not able to divulge what was happening but I'm now able to let you all know that local bluegrass band, Flats and Sharps were recording their new album in our school hall.

Their recording went really well and, as a 'Thank you' for the use of our hall, the boys- including past pupil, Mikey Ponsford, have offered to play a Benefit Concert for us to raise funds for Outdoor Learning Opportunities / Camping Equipment.

We are very grateful to Flats and Sharps for this opportunity as they are scheduled to be travelling to Australia shortly after their concert.

Tickets for the Flats and Sharps event will be on sale from our School Reception from next Monday  $8^{th}$  January. We expect the limited number of tickets to sell out quickly as Flats and Sharps enjoy a wide following, both locally and nationally and their tickets usually cost more. We recommend that you buy your tickets quickly as it promises to be a great night.

F&S will soon be promoting the concert on their website <u>www.flatsandsharps.co.uk</u> so get ahead of the crowd and be sure to let your friends know about this charity event too.

In the meantime, why not check them out on YouTube and see for yourselves the treat that we have in store. Search 'Flats and Sharps Bluegrass' and click on some favourutes such as 'Duelling Banjos' (on Bristol to London train), 'Ginny's Song', 'This is my Life' but don't be disappointed, buy those tickets next week...



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# flats & Sharps

Charity Evening at St Buryan Academy

## Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> *Lebruary 7.30pm*

Raising funds for Outdoor Jearning/ Camping <u>Tickets £10 available from St Buryan Academy</u> Tel: 01736 810480



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### Any unwanted/surplus Christmas Gifts?

Should you be looking for a good home for those many boxes of chocolates/ biscuits or any other items that you may have received, surplus to requirement, we'd be delighted to receive them at school to use for raffle hampers/prizes.

Please take to school office. Thank you.

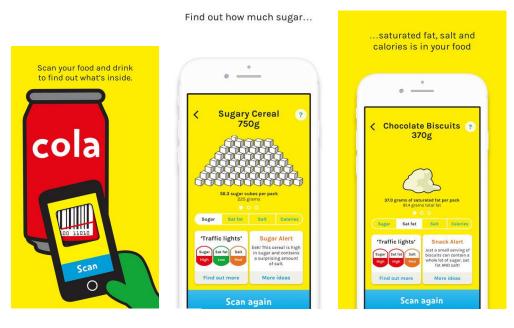
#### Welcome to trainee teachers

We are delighted to welcome back Miss Zietmann, who will be working in Nanjizal Class this term and Mrs Hatchelt who will be working in Gwenver Class. As a school we have continued to welcome trainee teachers on placement for their enthusiasm and commitment to the teaching profession. We wish them both well and hope that they will enjoy their time within our school.



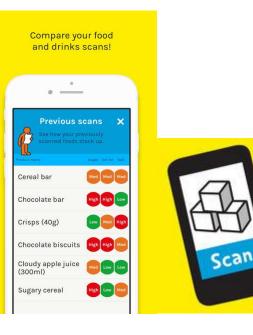
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### Change 4 Life: new Food Scanner App



Look for healthier snacks that are under 100 calories and not high in sugar, sat fat or salt.







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<u>Next week's menu: WEEK 1, see website, PARENTS, School</u> <u>Meals</u>

Extra-Curricular Activities; Breakfast Club from 8am all week-last food orders 8.40am

Monday- Dodge Ball (Y3-6) until 4.15pm, Art Club (Y3-4) until 4.15pm, Construction Club (Y1-2) until 4pm Tuesday- <u>No teacher led clubs due to staff training</u> Wednesday-KS1 Ball Skills (Y1-2) until 4pm, KS2 Ball Skills (Y3-6) until 4.15pm Thursday- Crochet Club (Y4, 5, 6) until 4.15pm <u>No Football Club this week</u>

Activities R Us – Short Stay Session to 4.15pm only £2.00 full session until 5.30pm £4.00 Monday- Modelling with Play Doh Tuesday- Painting Wednesday- Construction Play Thursday- Make a Healthy Sandwich- to eat at snack-time or take home Friday- Junk Modelling

Request from ARUs

Are you spring cleaning at home and looking to clear any of the following items? If so, we'd be delighted to make use of them at After School Club. All donations help keep our costs down. Thanks:

Any items suitable for crafting, such as wool, fabric, small boxes/ shoeboxes, kitchen tubes (empty), games and puzzles (suitable for up to 11 years).

#### Thank you