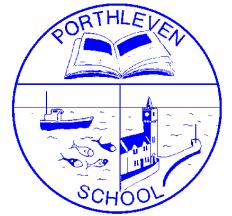




# Porthleven School & Pre-School



## Newsletter

Friday 24th March 2023

### Easter Disco

On Thursday 30th March the PTA have organised a school disco for all the children.

EFYS & KS1 5 –6pm

KS2 6.15 –7.15PM

Nursery and reception children must be accompanied by an adult.

This is cash only on the door.

### Litter Picking Sets

This week our litter pickers have finally arrived. We would like to thank the PTA for the donation and raising the funds to get them.

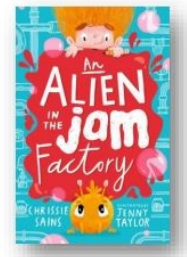
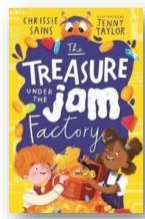


### KS1 Author visit

On Wednesday we have an Author coming into school to talk about their books. The

books are available to pre-order to collect a signed copy on the day. Please complete the pre-order form below if you would like a book. <https://forms.gle/Qt7GfQE36Y17LGYh7> each book is £5.50 or all 3 for £15!

To pay please send all money in a named envelope to school.



### Usborne Sponsored Reading Challenge

To celebrate and encourage a lifelong love of reading at home and school, and to celebrate International Children's Book Day on the 2<sup>nd</sup> April. This year we are running a sponsored read over the Easter holiday, 1<sup>st</sup> – 16<sup>th</sup> April, and as International Children's Book Day is about getting children to read as much as they can, we are also running a reading challenge alongside it.

If we raise between £250-£600 Usborne will donate an extra 30% on top for FREE. But if we raise £600 or over, Usborne will donate an extra 60% FREE on top!

This is on top of all sponsorship being donated to school.

Letters and sponsor forms will follow soon with more information.

### Paper Plates

For the food Festival this year Pengelly's would like us to help them decorate their window. To do this they are asking every child to decorate a plate with their favourite meal.

Once decorated please drop them off to Pengelly's in Porthleven, by Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> April. Pengelly's will decorate their shop window ready for the food festival window completion with everyone's plates.

Pengelly's will also run a competition with the decorated plates and pick a 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> to win a prize.

Please remember your name on the back. Good luck everyone

### Late

We have a large amount of children arriving late at school, please can we remind you that school starts at 9.45AM. The kitchen will now be limiting the menu to children arriving after 9.30am and the options will be a jacket potato or tomato pasta.

### BF Camp

Please ensure you have completed the online form to update information by Friday 24th March.

### Tree Planting

We would like you to invite parents and carers into school to plant a tree at with your child.

Next week we will send out more info on when parents or carers can come into school to take part.

### Whole Class Photos

On Monday 17th April each class will have their class photos done please ensure your child is in on this day.

### School Gates

We now have the school intercom up and running. The car park gates will be locked from 8.45 to 3.15. Access will be via the intercom at the front gate. This will put you in contact with the school office who will be able to open the gate. Please be patient at busy times of the day and remember to close the gate when you enter and leave the school during the school Day.

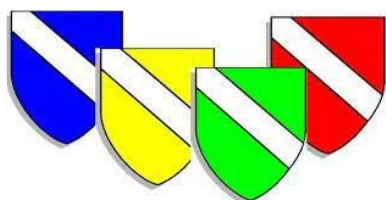
### Information Sent Home this Week

- Nursery packs for new starters
- BF Camp info
- Paper plate competition
- KS1 Author pre-orders

**Next weeks lunch menu is week 1**



### Team Points



**Our winners this week are the  
RED TEAM!  
Well done!**

Class	Attendance	Late Marks
Rainbowfish	93.94%	11
Seahorses	99%	12
Turtles	85.71%	5
Narwhals	89.63%	1
Swordfish	97.50%	2
Manta Rays	88.21%	6
Orcas	95.48%	4
WHOLE SCHOOL	93.26%	41

The expected attendance for a child is **96%** or above

### Dates for your diary

Date	Event
Monday 27th March	Year 3 & 4 football, 4pm HCC
Wednesday 29th MArch	KS1 book author
Thursday 30th March	School Disco
Friday 31st March	Visit from an Author—more info to follow