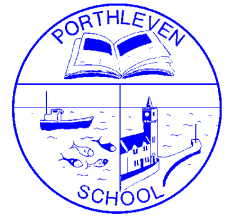




Porthleven School & Pre-School

Newsletter

Friday 17th March 2023



Usborne book fair

We are excited to announce that we are having a school book fair on the 19th and 20th April. The book fair is being organised in conjunction with our local Usborne Partner, Andrea Ellis, and every book purchased will go towards brand new **FREE** books for our school.

Usborne will donate up to **60%** of the total book fair sales value raised in **FREE BOOKS** to the school. So, for every **£600** of books purchased, we will get **£360** in FREE Usborne books for our school!

. Books can be ordered on the 19th, 20th and 21st April and paid for by card, cash or cheque with Andrea, in school from 3.20pm.

Or if you are unable to pop in after school on those days, cash or cheque can also be left by the end of Fri 21st in reception. Please leave it in an envelope with your child's 'wish list slip', highlighting which books the money is for, at the reception for Andrea to collect from there.



Your child will receive their books the following week, where they will be delivered to school for your child to bring home with them.

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 2nd April. This year we are running a sponsored read over the Easter holiday, 1st – 16th 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 a long side 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.

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.

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.

Year 3 & 4 Farm & Country trip

Please ensure you have completed the photo consent online form and made payment via ParentPay towards the bus cost.

BF Camp

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

Cardboard

Year 1 & 2 please remember your cardboard ready for Wednesday DT lesson

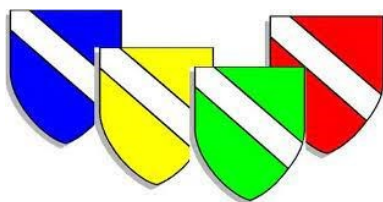
Next weeks lunch menu is week 3



Information Sent Home this Week

- Year 3 & 4 trip info
- Nursery packs for new starters
- BF Camp info
- Staffing Changes
- Surf club info
- Understanding Childs Emotions Poster EYFS & Reception

Team Points



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

Class	Attendance	Late Marks
Rainbowfish	93.78%	6
Seahorses	94%	8
Turtles	89.07%	0
Narwhals	89.63%	0
Swordfish	98.61%	1
Manta Rays	88.21%	1
Orcas	96.13%	1
WHOLE SCHOOL	93.25%	18

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

Dates for your diary

Date	Event
Thursday 23rd March	Group 3 Bike ability
Thursday 23rd March	Yr3 & Yr4 School trip
Friday 24th March	Orcas Swimming
Monday 27th March	Year 3 & 4 football, 4pm HCC
Thursday 30th March	School Disco
Friday 31st March	Visit from an Author