

# Breage CE Primary School News

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Welcome to another issue of our school newsletter.

This week has brought some exciting learning experiences in Blue class, with live online lessons beamed into the classroom by the Guardian newspaper which supported their 'News-wise' project.

Children in Yellow class have been working very hard and were excited to begin '99 club' today. And in Red class, they have been talking about families, singing songs and growing in confidence.

We have been informed that some parents haven't received some of the emails we have sent. Since the start of term we have emailed the following to the email address you have provided.

06/09: Return to school tomorrow

15/09: Pupil Premium free school meals 17/09: Issue 1 Autumn term newsletter 20/09: Kernow Health - flu immunisation

22/09: above resent



Please could you let the school office know if you haven't received these emails.

When an email is sent this is usually followed up with a FB alert. As before, if you don't use FB, please could you let the school office know so that an alternative alert can be sent to you.

Best wishes Mr Hadley

# **COLLECTIVE WORSHIP**

This half term we are focusing on **Thankfulness** and our theme this week is 'Being thankful for God's creation'.

"Let them praise the name of the Lord, for at his command they were created" Psalm 148



# WHAT'S ON?

#### Mondays:

SATs Club: Year 6's: 3.30 to 4.30pm

#### Tuesdays:

Red Class PE day

Blue Class swimming (pm)

Lego Club Blue Class: 3.30-4.30pm

#### Wednesdays:

Blue Class PE day

Cornwall Music keyboard lessons (signed up pupils)

#### Thursdays:

Yellow Class PE day

#### September:

Thursday 23rd: Hearing Screen Year 1s (postponed from 20th)

#### October:

Tuesday 12th: Cross Country Race 2: KS1 & KS2: HCC Tuesday 19th: Sports Leader Course (some Yrs 5 & 6's) Friday 22nd: KS1 Silent Disco (5-6pm) & KS2 Silent Disco (6.15-7.15pm)

25th October - HALF TERM BREAK

#### November:

w/c 1st: Bikeability: Year 6s

Friday 5th: Jo Buckley Photography: individual & siblings

# "Children are a Heritage from the Lord" Psalm 127.3

### Bikeability - Year 6's

Bikeability will take place the first week back after the half term break. Older children expressing interest will be provided with full details and a consent form nearer the time.

In preparation, please check your child's bike: two working brakes, tyres inflated, overall in good condition and safe to ride. When your child sits on the saddle with straight legs do both feet touch the floor?

#### **Cornwall Music Service Trust**

Children have watched Mrs Watkiss' music demo in school. Mrs Watkiss will upload this demo onto YouTube and once done we will share the link with you together with more information via an email.

Children in receipt of pupil premium free school meals can receive a fully funded group lesson. Full information on fees can be found on their website (music lessons/fees) cornwallmusicservicetrust.org

The choice of lessons will be dependent on sufficient uptake of the same/similar instrument. It is hoped that the email with full information will be sent out early next week.



# **Secondary School Open Events**

Local secondary schools are hosting their open evenings over the next few weeks. We have shared details of these events on our school Facebook page. Please read individual school restrictions and booking requirements.

The deadline for Year 6 secondary school applications is 31st October 2021.

## **Pupil Premium & Service Children**

Parents of children in Nursery to Year 6 should check if your child is eligible for this funding as this will provide additional money to support them in school. Full information can be found on Cornwall Council's free school meals webpage. If you meet the criteria, please apply as soon as possible as claims cannot be backdated and can take up to ten days to process.

https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/schoolmeals

Please note if your child already receives pupil premium free school meals you <u>do not</u> need to reapply. Parents of children in years R, Year 1 and 2 receiving universal infant free school meals should apply if entitled.

**Service Children**: Are you a parent serving in the Armed Forces? If yes, please ensure the school office is aware of this. Please confirm via email. Thank you. secretary@breage.cornwall.sch.uk

## Drop off and pick up

Please can anyone who drives a large vehicle, such as a van or high sided car, park on the hedge side of the playground to ensure that staff have good visibility when releasing children to parents. Much that it is tempting to stop for a chat, please can I ask that you do not hang about when dropping off and collecting your children. The playground gets congested very quickly so space is at a premium.

Thank you. The safety of the children is always our priority.

## JOKE OF THE WEEK

What do you call a boomerang that doesn't come back? A stick!



