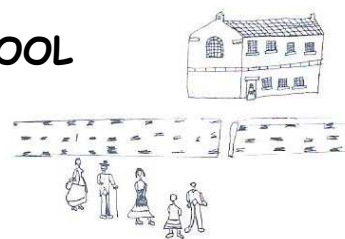




# BREAGE CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL



## NEWSLETTER

Friday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2020

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Dear Parents, Staff, Governors & Children

Firstly I apologise for the amount of information being shared with you this week. There are several important messages both within and attached to this newsletter.

Attached, you will find an 'Online Learning' letter and with it will be a guide to logging in. Please read this carefully. If you require a paper copy of this guide, please contact the office and we can send one home safely. **It is really important that you reply using the permission slip. This will enable us to make our online learning platform as adaptable and responsive as possible.**

Very soon after half term, we will be conducting socially distanced parents' evenings - please look out for further information before the half term break.

**Covid19:** We are lucky to have had so few suspected cases and no actual cases, but with Covid19 seemingly on the rise again, I appeal for your help. At this time, when transmission of the virus is very much an increasing reality in our County, I ask that you revisit the government guidance and how this affects your daily life. This is ever changing, but is so important in helping us to maintain the health security of the class bubbles.

<https://www.gov.uk/coronavirus>

Thank you all for your ongoing support for our school in these challenging times. The staff and I appreciate it greatly.

Mr Dan Hadley

### DIARY DATES:

- 8.00-8.50am: Breakfast Club (please book) (ends after  $\frac{1}{2}$  term due to insufficient uptake)
- 8.30-8.55am: Staggered drop offs
- Daily: Collective Worship & Assembly online
- 13/10/2020: Cross Country League Race 2
- 31/10/2020: Secondary school application deadline Yr 6

### Universal Infant Free School Meals - R, Yr 1 & Yr 2

ALL children in Reception, Year 1 & Year 2, starting on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> October, will have a meal provided by Chartwells. Please go through the menu with your child which was sent home earlier this week. We understand some parents may be concerned that their child may not eat and will be hungry but we will be monitoring this - if you wish during this transition, you can continue to send in a packed lunch box with a few supplementary items but there is no need to provide a full packed lunch.



**Please think nut free when packing snacks/lunch boxes as we have a child with a nut allergy in school - thank you!**

### Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Oct - Chartwells Week 3 Hot Meals Menu

The current hot meal menu is available to view on the school website. Jacket potatoes are available each day as well as packed lunches. The new menu that starts after  $\frac{1}{2}$  term break is also available online. School meals will increase in price after  $\frac{1}{2}$  term break to £2.34. Years 3 to 6, unless in receipt of pupil premium, can pay for meals taken via ParentPay. This is the preferred payment method although cash can be sent in. Children have been enjoying having hot meals once again and many children in Red Class sampled tasters when offered this week.

### Consent and data forms

Thank you for returning your consent and data forms - duplicates of any missing consent forms will be sent home next week. Please complete and return as soon as possible.

### Absence from school

If your child is absent from school for **any** reason please notify the school office as early in the school day as possible and for every day that they remain unwell. This may be done in person, by telephone (please confirm in writing) or by email ([secretary@breage.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:secretary@breage.cornwall.sch.uk)). Please adhere to the 48-hour rule for any sickness and diarrhoea to prevent spread and please remain vigilant and follow guidelines if a member of your family or your child displays any symptoms of Covid. Thank you.

### Dropping off and collecting

Thank you for adhering to the staggered times given. This seems to be working very well and has certainly eased congestion around the school site. We appreciate drop off and collection time is an opportunity to catch up with other parents you may not see as often now, but in order to ensure safety regarding car movements and children arriving/leaving, please can we remind you not to congregate together on site. If a different person is collecting your child, please let us know. **For safety reasons, the school gates will remain locked until just before 3.00pm.**

### Breage C of E Primary School Facebook page

Please like and follow our school Facebook page to receive the latest news and information.



Care



Forgiveness



Friendship



Happiness



Honesty



Respect

Trust

### Flu Immunisation in school

The School Immunisation Team will be visiting school on **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> November**. Letters will be sent home soon with full information and requires a consent form to be returned to school should you wish your child to receive this.

### Harvest Festival collection



In conjunction with Breage Church, we are collecting food items to support the Helston & Lizard Foodbank during this harvest time. Please deliver any non-perishable items to the main office where they

can be placed in the box provided to be sent to this much needed charity. Did you know that over 90% of the food distributed by foodbanks is donated by the public? Items most needed by the Helston & Lizard Foodbank are: tinned custard, tinned rice pudding, sponge puddings, tinned fruit, table sauces, packet mash. Currently their website shows they have plenty of baked beans, dried pasta and pasta sauces. Other suggested items are tinned meat, tinned veg, tea, coffee, biscuits, snacks, soup and rice.

### Outstanding payments

Hopefully, by now you will have logged in to your ParentPay account and be using this to help us go cashless in school. If you need a reminder of your login details please email the school office. We would be grateful if any deficits could be paid as soon as possible. Thank you.

### Red Class - Show & Tell - Mondays only

Thank you for sending in your child's show & tell photos by email. Please remember items are not to be brought into school. If your child has something they wish to share with their class, please send a photograph/video by Monday lunchtime to [secretary@breage.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:secretary@breage.cornwall.sch.uk) - in the subject heading please use the wording "Red Class Show & Tell". Thank you.

### Yellow Class - Cornwall Music Ukulele lessons



Yellow Class enjoyed their first ukulele lesson on Tuesday. Unfortunately, the tutor didn't have time to teach keyboard as planned but will give children a double lesson next week to cover this missed lesson. If your child is interested in music lessons please contact the school office or take a look at Cornwall Music's website.

### Medication in school / Allergies etc

Please ensure that any medication required regularly is kept in school eg: asthma inhalers, anti-histamine etc. Should your child need to take any other medication during the school day, please ensure that a "permission to give medication on your behalf form" is completed and the medicine supplied. Chartwells will cater for all children whatever their dietary needs: if your child needs the menu adapted eg: lactose free, no dairy etc please let the school office know asap so that arrangements can be made. Full details on the school website under "school meals".

### Lunchboxes - healthy lunchboxes/snacks encouraged



Please ensure that no sweets, chocolate, tins (pop) or glass bottles are included in packed lunches (a packet of crisps is allowed as is a biscuit type chocolate bar eg kit kat, penguin etc). Under Cornwall Council's fruit scheme all infant children (Reception, Year 1 and 2's) are entitled to a free piece of fruit or vegetable every day which is provided in school (seasonal). We encourage all children to have a piece of fruit during morning break and would ask that children in Years 3 to 6 bring a piece of fruit each day.

**PLEASE ALSO REMEMBER WE ARE A NUT FREE ZONE.**

### PE Kit

Please ensure your child arrives in PE kit on their allocated PE day. Blue Class: Monday pm; Yellow Class: Friday pm & Red Class: Wednesday pm.

**PLEASE NOTE: Cross Country Race No 2 takes place this Tuesday, therefore both Yellow & Blue Class children need to wear their PE kit to school.**

### Christmas Fundraiser

A big THANK YOU to Holly (Dexter & Barney's mum) for organising this popular Christmas fundraiser once again. Children have been busy creating their artwork which will be sent off at the start of next week. A sample will be sent home in the form of a Christmas card although there are many items that your child's artwork can be replicated on and ordered.

### Breage Neighbourhood Development Plan

A NDP for Breage has been under preparation for the past two years. The plan will be placed on public deposit on 12<sup>th</sup> October and will be available to be viewed and downloaded from the NDP website [www.breageparishndp.org](http://www.breageparishndp.org) Given the impact of Covid19 the consultation period runs for an extended period to the 31<sup>st</sup> December.

# HAVE YOUR SAY

THE PRE SUBMISSION EDITION NDP HAS BEEN PUBLISHED AND WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK...

To view or download the plan visit our website [breageparishndp.org.uk](http://breageparishndp.org.uk)

A comments form can also be downloaded from the web site and should be returned to The Clerk to Breage Parish Council by 31 December 2020

TO SPEAK TO YOUR NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN REPRESENTATIVE:

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