

# Cardinham School

Newsletter: 7  
Friday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2017  
Federated with Lanivet School



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## Pupils of the Week:

**Woodpecker Class** - Toby - for creating some fantastic crafts!

**Jay Class** - Zara - for outstanding reading, and becoming the first Free Reader in Jay Class!

**Owl Class** - Teagan H - For consistently fantastic spelling and times table test scores this half term!

**Buzzard Class** - Pippa - For staying focused in maths and checking her work with increased accuracy!

**Lunchtime Award** - Pippa (double whammy this week Pippa!) and Teagan Tiddy - for both being really helpful!

## From Mrs Bennett

Just to say that we have had a successful start to the term; pupils and staff have been extremely busy! Thank you for making me feel so welcome and part of our lovely school. Enjoy the half term break with lots of Halloween fun, keep safe! Just a reminder that we have an INSET day on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October so the children are to return on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup>. Mrs Bennett

## Whole School Diwali Day

We held a very successful Diwali Day on Tuesday. The children enjoyed working in their mixed age groups to design and draw Mehndi patterns, cook & eat chapattis, take part in some Hindi dance, create clay lamp holders and re-enact the story of Rama and Sita through drama. The Diwali celebrations culminated on Wednesday when children had the opportunity of curry for lunch - the smells were delicious! Well done to all children who behaved brilliantly all day.

## Our Healthy Schools Status

In line with our Healthy Schools status, we are asking that children do not come into school with bottles of fruit juice, cordial or squash. We also ask that cakes and actual chocolate bars (such as Twix, Crunchie etc.) are not included in packed lunches - ONE chocolate covered biscuit (such as a Penguin) is fine. Thank you in advance for adhering to our healthy schools policy.

## 1:1 Parent Meetings

Our Autumn Term parent & teacher meetings are going to take place on the second week back after half term (W/B Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November). Booking sheets will be on your child's classroom door where you will be able to book a time to meet with your child(ren)'s class teacher. These sheets will be ready on Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> October. Days and times for each class are as follows:

**Woodpeckers** - Sonia and Julie will make arrangements with parents at mutually convenient times.

**Jay Class:** Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 3.30-6.00pm

**Owl Class:** Wednesday and Thursday 3.30pm - 6.00pm

**Buzzard Class:** Tuesday and Wednesday 3.30pm - 6.00pm

PARENTS  
EVENING

## Friends of Cardinham School AGM

Thank you to everyone who came along to our AGM yesterday after school. The meeting was very well attended and we are very grateful for your support. More details will follow in a separate letter after half term. In the meantime, here are a few 'save the dates':

**Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Oct** - Witches and Warlocks Halloween Disco, Cardinham Parish Hall, 6-7.30pm

**Thurs 4<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Meeting to discuss upcoming events - all welcome

**Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov** - Bonfire Night Cake Sale, 3.15pm onwards - donations appreciated please

**Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> Nov** - Bags2School Collection - see below for further details

**Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov** - Bingo Night, Buzzard Class, 6pm onwards

**Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Dec** - Festive Fayre, 3.00pm onwards (after school performances in church)

## Cardinham Breakfast/After School Club booking form

Child's Name .....Class Jay/Owl/Buzzard (please delete)

Week Commencing: Monday .....

	8am £2	8.30am 50p	4pm Free	4.30pm £2	5pm £3.50	5.30pm £5
Monday						
Tuesday						
Wednesday						
Thursday						
Friday						

Please do not send any payments with booking form, you will be invoiced for any payment due the week following the sessions being taken. Please put any payments in red post box for office.

Signed .....

Dated.....

### Race For Life

The final total collected in school for our Race for Life Sponsorship is £1298.60.

### Bags2School Collection

Half term is a very good time to sort out any unwanted clothes from the summer, or generally have a good clear out. Bags2School will be collecting bags on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November. This helps raise valuable funds for the school. They accept mens/ladies and children's clothing, paired shoes tied together, handbags, ties, belts, soft toys and jewellery. **PLEASE DO NOT SEND IN** bedding, pillows, curtains, towels, school uniform, corporate work wear or textiles. Please bring your bags in either the evening of Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November or the morning of Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November. Please do not bring them in before this as we have nowhere to store them. Thank you for your support.

### Christmas Cards

Our Friends of the School are delighted to be participating in the Christmas Card fundraising project with IQ Cards. After half term, the children will be creating a design that will be made into high quality Christmas Cards, Postcards, Gift Wrap and Sticky Gift Labels for you to purchase for family and friends so you may wish to hold fire on purchasing any of these over half term! Your child's name will be printed onto the products for that personal touch. Cards will be priced at £4.50 for 12 or £10 for 36 and there are value packs available which include all four products. The funds raised will be used to benefit the children in school.



### Secondary School Applications

Attention all parents of **Year 6 children**. The deadline for applications to Secondary School for September 2018 must be submitted to Cornwall Council by 31<sup>st</sup> October. This can be done online at [www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions).



### Mid Cornwall Sports Network - Race 1

Last Wednesday, thirteen pupils participated in the first instalment of the X-Country League held by the Mid Cornwall Sports Network. This event is always well attended with over 400 pupils running. All of our runners tried their hardest and did especially well as they have lacked practice due to our wet weather Wednesdays that have cancelled a lot of this year's training. A special well done to Lachlan for starting the season with his first top 10 finish.

### Football Club

Football club will re-commence on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> November.

### Green Competition tops

A quick thank you to the families that have brought in some of the green 'competition tops' that have been missing from the school supply. We are still short of five football tops, five netball polos and five cross country vests. During half term please could everybody that has once used a competition top or have family/friends that could be in possession of a top please get them back into school. Thank you.

