



Newlyn News

Newlyn School
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<http://www.newlynschool.co.uk/website> or see our Facebook page

23 October 2020

Autumn 2020

I am absolutely delighted that we have been able to have the whole half term in school with relatively little disruption. The children have been fantastic but they are looking very tired now and I think everyone is ready for a half term rest. Please make a note of the fact that we come back to school on **Wednesday 4th November**. We are currently not expecting a national lockdown but I will get in touch with you all if anything changes. Have a really good half term and take care.

Virtual Games Cross Country

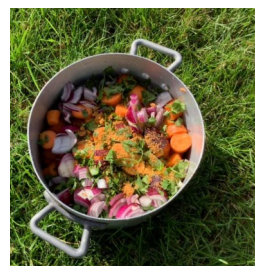


Well done to all our children who took part in the Virtual Games Cross Country. Our Year 1/2 completed their relay indoors with some incredibly close races.



Autumn

It has been lovely to see our infant children celebrating all things autumn! They particularly enjoyed the cooking and eating their own soup!



Half term help with food

As you are probably aware, the government have decided against extending free school meals over the holidays. Unfortunately, some families have been hit really hard by the pandemic and, in response, some of our parents have set up a Facebook group with the plan to deliver free packed lunches to children who need them this half term. <https://www.facebook.com/groups/379184496772390/?ref=share>

If you are unable to access the group then please contact Jess at jessicasperrin@hotmail.co.uk

A huge thank you to the parents involved in this initiative!

Secondary School Places

If your child is in Y6 then please remember to apply for a place at secondary school! **The deadline for applications is 31 October 2020.**

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/school-admissions>

Primary School Places

If your child was born between 1 September 2016 and 31 August 2017 you will need to apply for a school place for September 2021. **The deadline for applications is 15 January 2021.**

www.cornwall.gov.uk/education

If you know anyone who would like to visit Newlyn School then please ask them to contact us.

Head Lice

Please will you all use the half term holiday to check your child's hair and treat it if necessary. Thank you very much.

Half Term Activities

Cornwall Council's Together for Families team has created an autumn list of activities taking place next week. There's something for everyone and some funded spaces!

www.cornwall.gov.uk/autumnhalfterm

Have you downloaded @TFFCornwall's Autumn Activities booklet yet? It is packed full of ideas to keep your family busy this half term holiday, there are recipes and much more. www.cornwall.gov.uk/autumnhalfterm



INSET Days

Last day of term: Friday 23rd October, 3.15pm

INSET day: Monday 2nd November

INSET day: Tuesday 3rd November

First day back: Wednesday 4th November

Last day of term: Friday 18th December, 1pm

INSET day: Monday 4th January

INSET day: Friday 23rd July

Parents' Evening

If you did not manage to speak to your child's class teacher this half term then please do get in touch. We are really missing the opportunity to have a quick chat with you at the beginning or end of the day. Please remember that we are always happy to discuss any concerns you may have, no matter how small, so do get in touch.

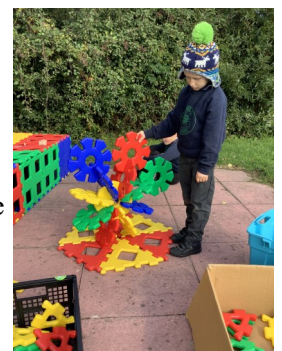
SchoolMoney – Marking your child's dinner preference each week

Thank you to all those parents who are marking on SchoolMoney what you child would like for lunch every day each week. Please could we ask if **all** parents could do this even if your child always has a packed lunch. The register can be done for a couple of weeks in advance if you would like to mark it further in advance.

If your child changes their mind just send a quick email to: secretary@newlyn.cornwall.sch.uk with the change required. The office staff will amend the dinner register. If your child is unwell again the dinner register will be amended so you are not charged if your child is year 3-6. If you have any problems logging in please contact Mrs Richards or Mrs Pascoe on the email above and they will assist you.

Playtime

We have invested in some more outdoor play equipment this term to ensure every 'bubble' has their own. They are really enjoying building models with the construction equipment.



SOCCER CAMPS OCTOBER HALF TERM AT MBFDC



Dates
Thursday 29th & Friday 30th October 2020

Soccer Tots, 4 - 6 Year Olds

School Years Reception & Year 1

10:00am - 12:00pm

£6 per day or £10 for both days

Soccer Pros

School Years 2,3,4,5,6,7

10:00am - 3:30pm

£15 per day or £25 for both days

Venue

Mounts Bay Football Development Centre
Mounts Bay Academy Sports Centre, Penzance, Cornwall, TR18 3JT

Other Information

All children are welcome to attend from any school or club

The MBFDC coaching staff are UEFA/FA qualified and DBS checked

Pre-booking only, registerbook online now

Visit the website for further information - www.mbfdc.co.uk

Contact Info

Kevin Lawrence - Head of Football Development
Mounts Bay Football Development Centre

klawrence@mountsbay.org

Message us on facebook - www.facebook.com/MBFDC

www.mbfdc.co.uk



BlackbirdPie magazine goes virtual!

You can view it on a computer, tablet or mobile phone.

The virtual magazine is filled with great things to do, videos, links and interactive stuff. There are lovely places to visit, wonderful walks and museums and galleries to visit (with safety measures in place).

<https://blackbirdreads.turtl.co/story/blackbirdpie-autumn-2020/>

Academic Year 2020/2021

07.09.20	Start of Term 1
23.10.19	End of Term 1
04.11.20	Start of Term 2
02.11.20	INSET day—school will be closed
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04.11.20	First day back
18.12.20	End of Term 2 1pm finish

Contact Details

Name of child/children:

Name:

Email address:

Contact phone number:

Second contact details including name and phone number:

Please return to the office to receive your newsletter by email. Thank you

Helpful contact information



Cornwall Partnership NHS Foundation Trust

The Trust has its own Out of Hours telephone support provided by Support Matters Cornwall. This service operates from 5pm to 9am on weekdays and 24 hours a day at weekends and bank holidays. The service is open to all patients (aged 16+) under the care of the Trust's mental health services. Support can be delivered over the telephone, via text, email or web chat. Call free on 0800 001 4330.

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0344 411 1444

COVID-19 isolation may cause tensions to rise and domestic abuse to increase. Help is available.

Who can help me? We can

YOU ARE NOT ALONE

NATIONAL DOMESTIC VIOLENCE HELPLINE
0808 2000 247
24/7 CONFIDENTIAL FREEPHONE

WCWAid
West Cornwall Women's Aid
01736 367539
<https://www.wcwaaid.co.uk/helpline>

AT HOME SHOULDN'T MEAN AT RISK

#YOUARENOTALONE FIND SUPPORT AT: gov.uk/domestic-abuse

family action | **Family Line**
0808 802 6666

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for better mental health

Download this image onto your phone for when you might need help

Samaritans: 24h
Emotional support to anyone in distress, struggling to cope, or at risk of suicide.
116 123

Shout: 24h
Text service, free on all major networks, for anyone in crisis anytime, anywhere.
• If you're over 18, text the word SHOUT
• Under 18s, text YM
Text: 85258

Cornwall's 24/7 NHS mental health support 24h
Call for free, any time day or night if you are worried about your own or someone else's mental health. The team behind the 24/7 open access telephone service will listen to you and determine how best to help.
0800 038 5300

Valued Lives:
Supports people who are experiencing mental or emotional distress in Cornwall. Every day, 5.30pm - midnight.
01209 901438

If you, or someone else, is in immediate danger call 999

999
Call now

www.cornwall.gov.uk/mentalhealth

Free School Meals / Pupil Premium

At this time, many families may find themselves eligible for Free School Meals and Pupil Premium who previously did not meet the criteria. Please read this page carefully to find out if you are now eligible. Cornwall Council are continuing to process new applications for Free School Meals. **Please ensure that you read the eligibility criteria before applying** and complete the online application form if you are eligible.

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/school-meals/application-for-freeschool-meals-and-pupil-premium/>

Postal applications are currently not being accepted but, if you are unable to apply online, you can call the Free School Meals team on 01872 323298 and a member of the team will call you back to complete the application over the phone.

Your child may be eligible for benefits-related free school meals if you, or the child themselves in their own right, receives of any of the following benefits:

- ◆ Income Support (IS)
- ◆ Job Seekers' Allowance (Income-Based) and equal based Job Seekers Allowance
- ◆ Income Related Employment and Support Allowance (ESA-IR) and equal based Employment and Support Allowance
- ◆ Child Tax Credit (CTC) with an annual income of less than £16,190
- ◆ Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit
- ◆ Guarantee Element of Pension Credit (GPC)
- ◆ Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 (IAA) Support
- ◆ Universal Credit - Your household income must be less than £7,400 a year (after tax and not including any benefits you get) as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods
- ◆ If you are claiming the benefits listed below you are **NOT** eligible for free school meals, regardless of what other benefits/credits are being claimed:
 - ◆ Working Tax Credit
 - ◆ Contribution-Based Job Seeker's Allowance and/or Contribution-Based Employment and Support Allowance

However, you will be temporarily eligible to claim free school meals if you receive a **Working Tax Credit run-on**, which is the payment you may receive for a further four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit.

If you think that your child is eligible for Free School Meals, please contact Cornwall Council on the link above.