



Newlyn News

Newlyn School
Tel: 01736 363509

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

18th October 2019

Autumn 2019

Thank you to everyone who came to our Harvest Festival at The Centre. A huge thank you to all the staff for the work they put in, but special thanks to Miss Fitzgerald, Mr Hinchcliffe and Mrs Toms. It was wonderful to see so many parents and grandparents there. We were thrilled to receive the mountain of food for the food bank. Thank you for your generosity.



Visit to the Minack Theatre

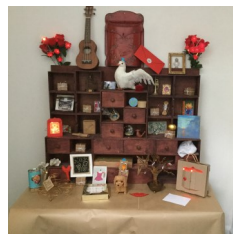
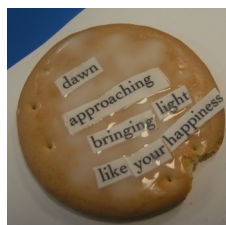
We live in such a beautiful part of the world and it is so lovely to see the children making the most of what we have around us. Last week our Year 2 children were lucky enough to visit the Minack Theatre. They were able to experience the back stage areas while they were learning about the history of the theatre and creating a drama to tell the story about the founder, Rowena Cade.



Our Resident Poet

We are delighted to announce that Newlyn School has its very own resident poet! Sally Crabtree has set up a wonderful poetry station under the stairwell and has begun to work with our children, inspiring them with her creativity and enthusiasm.

Her first afternoon was spent with Year 2. Class 2 have been working on poems for the last two weeks, so they were really excited when they heard that Sally Crabtree was working with them. With Sally, they made up funny songs and poems, including composing an edible poem with edible paper, ink and glue. It was an overwhelming oratory experience! They all loved it and I'm sure it will inspire them to write lots of wonderful poems in the future.



Rotary Christmas Shoe Box Appeal

We are delighted to announce we are taking part in the Rotary Christmas Shoe Box appeal. If you would like a box, they are in the office at the moment. If you would rather donate some items, the school will make up some boxes. All ages are catered for. Many thanks.

Welcome

A warm welcome to Zoe and Jake who have joined us in Y5 and Y2. We are delighted you have chosen Newlyn School.

Student Council

Here are our school councillors, including our chair (Jenna) and vice chair (Ella). Felix is also a councillor but unfortunately was absent when the photograph was taken.



Hockey

On Thursday our children played their very first hockey match. They took part in the opening round of the Penwith Hockey League. The children displayed an excellent attitude throughout and came away with 3 wins from 3, winning 4-1 against Ludgvan, 5-0 against St Erth and 2-0 against St Mary's RC. Well done to all those who took part! We are very proud and look forward to the next round.



Attendance Matters!

Attendance continues to be a concern at Newlyn School. This term we will focus on reducing the number of children who are late into school. Our school bell goes at 8.45am and **all** children should be in class by 9am. At 9am all children who are late will need to come through the main entrance. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Congratulations to Year 6 who achieved 97.1% attendance last week.



INSET Days

Last day of term: Friday 18th October, 3.15pm

INSET day: Monday 28th October

First day back: Tuesday 29th October

Last day of term: Friday 20th December, 1pm

Keeping Safe

Our Y5 and Y6 children really enjoyed their morning learning how to "Stay Safe" online with expert Richard.

Staying safe

online is crucial to the well-being of our children and this workshop has made us all so much better informed.

More information at www.staysafeworkshops.org.uk



Art Gallery

We are delighted to announce that we have been working closely with Newlyn Art Gallery on a project with the National Arts Council. Last year, our Y5 children, (now Y6), were asked to look at paintings and sculptures and choose their favourites. Those paintings and sculptures are being brought to our school over half term and will be displayed in the foyer around the staircase. This is a huge honour for us and we are all very excited! The Cornishman will be visiting our school during the first week back and talking to the children about why they chose these particular works. All the children will be given the opportunity to look at the art work in detail and to think about which one they like best and why.

Wrap Around Care

Is there a need for wrap around care at Newlyn School /Stepping Stones? Stepping Stones runs Kidzone breakfast club from 8.15am at a cost of £3.00 a head including breakfast. However, they would also be keen to run an afterschool club if enough people are interested.

If you are interested please email stepping-stones@newlyn.cornwall.sch.uk or contact the school to let us know.

Celebration Assembly

Congratulations to the children who received the Headteacher's Award last week:



Academic Year 2019/2020

06.09.19	Start of Term 1
07.10.19	Year 2 to the Minack Theatre
09.10.19	Harvest Festival 9.30am
10.10.19	Y6 to Mounts Bay
16.10.19	Parents' Evening
17.10.19	Parents' Evening
18.10.19	End of Term 1
29.010.19	Start of Term 2
28.10.19	INSET day—school will be closed
30.10.19	FONS meeting 3.30pm
05.12.19	KS1 Christmas show dress rehearsal
06.12.19	KS1 Christmas show
10.12.19	Christmas Carol Concert am and pm
20.12.19	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

