



Newlyn News



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Autumn 2018

We are now in the final week of term and Christmas is just around the corner! I have really enjoyed my Christmas at Newlyn and I want to thank you all for making me feel so welcome. My highlight has to be the Christmas Carol Service where the children sang with such confidence and enthusiasm. Have a very merry Christmas everyone!

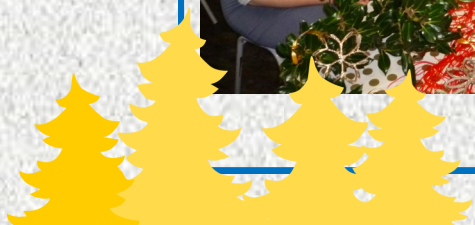


Christmas Fayre

Many thanks to the ladies of FONS and all the parent helpers who worked together to create a wonderful Christmas Fayre. The stalls included jewellery, knitted soft toys, sweets, a tombola, Christmas decorations, wooden trees and great ideas for presents. Refreshments were served in the music room cafe. And Father Christmas came too! A fantastic way to buy presents and enjoy the festive spirit.



Being the best we can be



Infant Nativity

It was a pleasure watching the nativity last week. Thank you so much to all the staff who worked so hard to put it together and to all the children who worked really hard to learn their lines. I know we all appreciated it. We will be singing those songs for weeks to come!



Attendance

Our stars this term are Class 5 who managed to get an impressive 99.1% attendance last week!

Congratulations to the 35 children who achieved 100% attendance this term. We will celebrate this achievement in assembly.

Lateness

It is very important that children arrive on time at the beginning of each school day. The school bell rings at 8.45am and the school gate is closed at 9.00 am. When children are late, it can be very disruptive to both the latecomers and their classes. We monitor lateness and attendance carefully and if you have any concerns with either please speak to your child's class teacher. We appreciate your support in this matter.



Last Day

Our last day of term is Thursday 20th December when school closes at 1pm.

First Day

School starts again on Monday 7th January

Reminder:

If you have a child who is due to start school next year you must apply for a place before January 15th 2019. If you are not sure what to do then please come in and ask. The amazing Mrs Richards will help!

Spreading Christmas cheer

Class 4 will be visiting Menwinion Care Home on Wednesday afternoon to share a few Christmas songs with the residents.

Newlyn School Art Exhibition

We will be hosting our very own art exhibition at school in January. We have worked with Newlyn Art Gallery and it is an extension of the Art Gallery's exhibition, 'Many & Beautiful Things'.

Ours will commence on Friday 11/1/19 from 2pm to 3.15pm and will be held in all classrooms in the school. It will be open to all families and friends of Newlyn School.

Switching on the Newlyn Lights



Thank you to all of you who braved the cold on Friday night and sang at the switching on of the Newlyn lights.

Gentle Reminder

Please can we remind parents and children that any photos or video taken in school events are for personal use only. Please do not post them online. Thank you for your understanding.

Free School meal information

All Key Stage 1 children (Reception, Year 1 and Year 2) are eligible to receive a free school lunch regardless of household income or benefits. However, if you are in receipt of one or more of the qualifying benefits (listed below) and you are **not** in receipt of Working Tax Credit, your child's school could also benefit from additional Pupil Premium funding to support your child when you complete an application form available from the office. You can apply online now at www.cornwall.gov.uk/schoolmeals

Qualifying Benefits Families must be in receipt of one of the benefits listed below to be eligible for Free School Meals / Pupil Premium. Universal Credit with net ('take-home') income not exceeding £7,400 (£616.67 per month)

Income Support

Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance

Income-related Employment and Support Allowance

Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999

Academic Year 2018/2019

Term 2

17.12.18 Infant Christmas Party
18.12.18 Junior Christmas Party
18.12.18 Christmas lunch
19.12.18 Winter Wonderland 2.30pm for children only
20.12.18 Last day of term **1pm finish**

Start of Term 3

07.01.19
11.01.19 Newlyn School Art Exhibition 2pm-3.15pm all welcome
14.01.19 London trip meeting for parents 3.30pm
06.02.19 London trip– meet at Penzance Station 5.45am
08.02.19 London trip return 7.30pm approx
15.02.19 End of Term 3

Start of Term 4

25.02.19
05.04.18 End of Term 4

Start of Term 5

23.04.18
24.05.18 End of Term 5

Start of Term 6

05.06.17
25.07.17 End of Term 6 **1pm finish**



CHRISTMAS FAYRE!

@ NEWLYN SCHOOL

DECEMBER 5TH 2PM-4PM

**VISIT SANTA IN HIS GROTTO - LOTS OF
STALLS - REFRESHMENTS - GAMES -
AND MORE!**

