



# Newlyn News

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**Spring 2020**

This term we have a number of opportunities for parents, carers and grandparents to come into school. You are all invited to join us for our second Pyjama Party on Thursday 6th February, (next week). Our last Pyjama Party was so successful that the children have asked if we can do it every year. All the children are invited back to school in their pyjamas to enjoy a bedtime story, a cookie and hot chocolate. Each child needs an adult to accompany them, (adults don't have to wear pyjamas but please do if you want to!) Adults will have their own refreshments in the hall while the children enjoy their stories. Please arrive at 5pm and we will finish at 5.45pm. The Book Fayre will be there on the night..

## Year 3 Trip

Last week Year 3 visited the National Maritime Museum. The children impressed the museum staff with their existing knowledge of the Vikings - but they learnt so much more. The children had opportunities to see and hold artefacts relating to the trade with the Vikings across the continents. They learnt all about the Viking long ships, struck their own Viking coins and sailed boats using wind power. The children were a credit to Newlyn School the whole day.

A big thank you to the staff at the museum, the Cornish Heritage association and everyone that came to help us with the day.



## Dog Safety

A huge thank you to Stacey Prosser from the Dogs Trust who came to Newlyn to teach our children how to stay safe around dogs. They learnt that they need to ask the owner before they approach a dog. They then practised approaching a dog in a safe way and stroking it.

They also learnt what to do if approached by an aggressive dog, (turn your back and cross your arms to protect your hands).



## Running Club

Our adult running club has proven to be very popular. Well done to everyone who has taken part and a big thank you to Craig for organising it and Miss Fitzgerald for her support with child care. If you are interested, it is straight after school on Friday.



## High Five

Congratulations to our netball team who entered the Plate Competition and won it! They played brilliantly and managed to keep their cool when they drew their final game and had to play 'the golden goal'. We are very proud of you all!

## Welcome!

A very warm welcome to Milly and Layton who have joined us in EYFS, Bella in Y2, Faren in Y5 and Suzy and Oliver in Y6. We are delighted you have joined us.



All parents and grandparents are invited to Newlyn School on the morning of **Friday, 7<sup>th</sup> February, at 9-10.15am**, to take part in our Number Day.

There will be cups of tea and biscuits to raise money for NSPCC, but all will have the opportunity to see how mathematics is taught in school and find out easy ways in which all can support their children to grasp everyday maths.

The morning will start with a short informal presentation in the hall, supported by tea, biscuits, followed by invites to your child's classroom to join in with maths games, puzzles and fun problem solving.

## Parent and Toddler Group

We would very much like to re-start our parent and toddler group for 0-3 year olds. Would you please let the school or Stepping Stones know if you would be interested? It would be useful to know the days you would be able to attend as well. Thank you very much

## After School Provision

Unfortunately we have had very little interest in this. We are aiming to trial it in September for a term to see if enough people use it.

## RE

The Y5 and Y6 children have been learning about Jonah and the Whale and enjoyed learning



## Pyjama Party - 6th February 5-5.45pm

The children are invited back into school in the evening to share a bedtime story.

## Art Gallery

There is going to be an art focus this term and you will all be invited to our very own art gallery on **February 27th from 3pm**.

## Year 6 Trip

Year 6 visited St Just Miner's Chapel to meet David James, who told them all about World War I. We were able to look at real artefacts and prepared to do some more research.



## SchoolMoney online payment system

Please could all parents from Foundation to Year 6 login to SchoolMoney and mark if your child/ren would like a pack lunch (provided by you) or a school dinner. This can be done in advance. Your child can change their mind and the system can be adjusted, just let the office know.

If you have any problems logging in, again let the office know. Your password needs to be 8 characters long with one being a capital and one being a number. Thank you

## Headteacher's Award

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



## Attendance Matters!

Congratulations to Year 6 who achieved 98% attendance last week.



## Academic Year 2019/2020

### Term 3

21.01.20	Y3 trip
21.01.20	Y1 phonics talk
23.01.20	Westcountry News to film Foundation Stage children
23.01.20	Y1 to multi-skills at Mounts Bay
06.02.20	Pyjama Party 5-5.45pm for all children and parents
07.02.20	Number Day– 9am all parents, carers and grandparents invited
12.02.20	Y6 trip to London
14.02.20	End of Term 3

### Start of Term 4

24.02.20	
27.02.20	Art Gallery– parents invited into school 3pm
25.03.20	Parents' Evening
26.03.20	Parents' Evening
26.03.20	Y1 trip to St Michael's Mount
27.03.19	End of Term 4 <b>1pm finish</b>

### Start of Term 5

15.04.20	
14.04.20	INSET Day
15.04.20	First day back to school
11.05.20	SATs week for Y6
22.05.20	Last day of term

### Start of Term 6

01.06.20	
23.07.20	End of Term 6 <b>1pm finish</b>



## **Penzance and Newlyn RFC Minis and Juniors want you!**

Join the rugby community, come and give it a try!

Non-Contact Tag rugby for 6 to 8 year-old boys and girls –

4:30 pm Friday afternoon for an hour with games on Sundays

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