

# Foulanesend Community Primary School

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**Message from Head teacher:** Following the School Council meeting today, the council have agreed that they would like to do a 'fill a jar' fundraiser raising money for Children's Hospice Southwest. We ask that all jars are in school by Thursday 1st February. The raffle will take place on Friday 9th February. Please see accompanying letter for details.

## Dates For Your Diary

**Mon 22nd Jan** - Yr R & Yr 6 height & weight checks.

**Fri 9th Feb** - Last day of half term. No Celebration Assembly.

**Mon 12th - Fri 16th Feb** - Half term.

**Mon 19th Feb** - Back to school.

**Weds 6th Mar** - Class Tamar solar & wind farm site visit at Chiverton.

**Weds 13th Mar** - Yr5 Junior Lifeskills at Liskeard Fire Station.

**Fri 15th Mar** - Landrake run (KS2, optional).

**Thurs 28th Mar** - Last day of term.

**Mon 15th Apr** - Back to school.

**Tues 21st - Weds 22nd May** - Class Tamar trip to Camp Kernow.

**Fri 24th May** - Sports Day.

**Weds 3rd - Fri 5th Jul** - Class Lynher trip to Mount Batten.

**Fri 19th Jul** - Last day of term.

## Guitar Lessons

Gavin visits every Friday and provides guitar lessons to children at school. If you are interested in your child learning the guitar please contact the office or look online at My Guitar Lessons Plymouth.

## Cornwall Music Service Trust

If your child would like to start singing/violin/piano lessons, please sign up at: <https://cmst.co.uk/signup>. Jo Ballard teaches in school every Friday.

## Foodbank Opening Hours

The Liskeard Foodbank is now open on Thursdays 9.30am-12.30pm. 21 Dean Street, Liskeard PL14 6AB

## BREAKFAST & AFTER SCHOOL CLUB AT FOURLANESEND 7.45am-8.45am 3:15pm-5:30pm

For more information and to book a place for your child, please contact the office.  
Places **MUST** be booked at least 24hrs in advance.

## National Child Measurement Programme

The school nurse team will be completing height and weight checks for children in Reception & Year 6 on Monday 22nd January. Links to the e-booklets were emailed to parents on 4th October. **It is important to read the information within the booklets, and if you choose to opt out of the process, this will need to be done no later than Friday 19th January.** If you didn't receive the email, please contact the office.

## Swimming Lesson Special Offer Code

Saltash Leisure Centre have sent us a special offer code for all children that have had lessons with their school. The code is **25School** and entitles you to 25% off the initial payment.

## Landrake Inter School Cross-Country Run - KS2

Taking place on Friday 15th March at 1.30pm starting at Sir Robert Geffery's School. Between five and six hundred children from about thirty schools usually take part. The race will start from the main playground. If your child would like to take part, we have to notify Sir Robert Geffery's School of how many will be going, so please let the office know by Friday 23rd February. Thank you.

## Football Club

Due to how cold it is at the moment, please can children wear trousers and base layers when attending football club on a Monday.

## Class News

**Class Lynher** - This week in PE, we started a cheerleading unit. We've also continued with badminton, practising both forehand and backhand. We have written a persuasive letter to try and convince someone not to build a massive school on a green space. We made periscopes in science and are extending our sketch books in art. By Matilda & Phoebe

**Class Tamar** - In science this week, we have been looking at the properties of gases, specifically CO2 and how it makes our drinks fizzy. In French, we have learnt 5 more action words and in RE we looked at the daily life of Hindus. In history, we have been looking at the origin of the Olympic games and comparing it to our modern day Olympics. We found out that only men could compete, and they were naked! By Billy & Alma

**Class Cremyll** - We had a great time at the zoo yesterday! We have been discussing the parts of a plant - roots, leaves, stem and petal. In art, we did leaf printing and then created our own plates using a foam block which were nature themed. We were so pleased with the end result. In PE, we enjoyed playing superhero tag and had to do a dance move every time someone tagged us. By Savannah & Louise

**Class Plym** - We loved our trip to the zoo yesterday. We saw a snake, a giant snail and a hippo tooth during our workshop. We also loved seeing all the different animals around the zoo. This morning, we went on a winter hunt. We saw the frosty grass and the water was completely frozen in our tuft tray! We could also see our breath. In PE, we were dancing and played superhero tag. By Pip & Amy

## School Dinners - ParentPay

Please can everyone check and clear their dinner money accounts. We have 22 accounts overdrawn with the debt totalling £813.77! Thank you to parents and carers who have paid what they owe.



# YOUTH FOOTBALL TRAINING

Join some of our players and coaches from Millbrook AFC for a training session on Jenkins Park pitch.

Stay for our Home match against St Blazey and families of those who attended our training session will receive discounted entry to the game.

**SAT 10TH FEB**  
**10AM - 12PM**

- ✓ Skills & ball techniques
- ✓ Footwork exercises
- ✓ Fun games & trial matches

**£5 PER CHILD** (5yrs - 11yrs)

**MILLBROOK FOOTBALL CLUB**

Jenkins Park, Mill Road, Millbrook, PL10 1FE

**TO REGISTER....**

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Sun 28th January • 10am to 3pm

FOOTBALL FUN DAY

# New Year Kickabout

**Minis**

**4 - 5yrs**

10am - 12pm

£10 per child

**Youth**

**6 - 11yrs**

10am - 3pm

£20 per child

£10 per sibling

(please bring a packed lunch)



**\*\* For anyone booked on the December session that was cancelled, there is a £5 discount which we will apply at the time of booking. \*\***



for more information & to book:

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### Learn To Ride

The Bikeability Learn to Ride module is for children in year 1 and above who are unable to cycle but must have a bike without stabilisers. Sessions will be taught in small groups, in a pressure free environment, by Scheme staff and targets those struggling to master the skill.

### Course Dates:

Tuesday 2nd, Wednesday 3rd, Monday 8th and Tuesday 9th April 2024

### Course Times:

1000-1115  
1115-1215  
1300-1400



[CLICK HERE TO BOOK](#)

### Level 1/2

The Bikeability Level 1/2 course helps children get more skilled and confident in riding their bikes in the playground before we take to the road. This course is for children between 9 and 11 years old. A hot lunch will also be provided

### Course Dates:

Thursday 4th, Friday 5th, Wednesday 10th and Thursday 11th April 2024

### Course Times:

0900-1400



**WHAT IS BIKEABILITY?** Bikeability is the national cycle training programme supported and funded by the Department for Transport. The course builds the skills and confidence of children who can already ride. Bikeability cannot only make children better cyclists; potentially for the rest of their lives but can help with general confidence and independent thinking. All of our Bikeability training is delivered by qualified, professional, DBS checked National Standard Instructors. Visit [www.bikeability.org.uk](http://www.bikeability.org.uk) for more information

### Key Information:

- Drop off and pick up both from the Sports Centre at Callington Community College
- Children will need a bike without stabilisers and a helmet
- Children will need to be dressed appropriately for sporting activity and will require long sleeves, covered legs and closed shoes
- Please come dressed for the weather