



Godolphin Primary School
'living, learning and laughing together'

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Important Diary Dates:

2022/23 Inset Days:

- 24th & 25th July 2023

Diamond Class: Beach Clean at Praa

Sands: Monday 17th July (consent form sent home today).

Zircon Class Brass Performance:

(Parents/carers of Zircon Class only) Monday 17th July at 2.45pm.

Year 4 (Zircon Class from Sept)

information meeting: For parents/carers of Y4 moving into Zircon class in September. Held on Tuesday 18th July at 3.15pm.

Zircon: Archaeological Dig: Wednesday 19th July (more info to follow).

Leavers' Assembly (Year 6 parents/carers only): Thursday 20th July (1.30pm).

Y6 Watersports Day at Stithians Lake (new date): Friday 21st July. Unfortunately, no BBQ.

2023/24 Inset Days:

- Monday 4th September 2023
- Tuesday 5th September 2023
- Friday 6th October 2023
- Monday 19th February 2024
- Friday 24th July 2024

Additional agreed INSET days:

- Friday 22nd September 2023
- Monday 17th June 2024

Chartwells Update for September 2023:

From 1st September, the cost of a meal will increase to £2.66.

We will be using the same menu and returning on Week 3.

Chartwells Menu Changes:

There are a few changes next week:

Tuesday 18th July: macaroni cheese (instead of cauliflower macaroni cheese).

Wednesday 19th July: Roast turkey (instead of gammon) & Quorn roast (instead of sweet potato & chickpea roast)

Thursday 20th July: Burger & wedges (instead of beef lasagne)

Friday 21st July: Southern Fried Chicken (instead of fish fingers)

Breakfast Club:

The school will be taking over the running of Breakfast Club from September. The club will run from 8.00am – 8.40am (to reflect the new school start time). The cost will remain at £4.50 per child per session. Payment will be made through ParentPay.

Parents will need to book at least 48 hours in advance if they require a session. This is because we will only be running the club if there are bookings. Staff will not be on site otherwise. If you book a session but then don't attend, you will still be charged as staff cover will have been arranged.

Please book by contacting the school office either by telephone or email. If you are able to confirm if you will need it on the first week back (Weds 6th – Fri 8th Sept) before the end of term that would be very helpful. Thanks.

Chartwell's Bee Poster Competition:

The two winners (Maia, KS2 and Isla, KS1) were delighted to receive their winning t-shirts this week for the bee conservation poster they designed last month.

Well done to them both!





Approved Provider 2022-2024

TIME MOVE
Holiday Programme




SUMMER 2023

We're an approved provider for the Time2Move Holiday Programme and we're running sessions in your area this summer!



Children's Sailing Trust

Scan here to book!



- AGES 6 to 14!
- A variety of fun water-based activities, from sailing, to paddleboards, kayaks or maybe even raft-building on the secret island in the middle of the lake!
- A choice of breakfast will be served to children before they head out onto the water but we're also a fully accessible site with cafe for parents to refresh themselves while they watch the hubbub on the water.






www.activecornwall.org/T2MHolidayProgramme/

Message from Little Dolphins:




Dear Parents,

It is with a heavy heart that I have resigned from my position of Manager with Little Dolphins Preschool. My last day will be Friday 20th October 2023.

Thank you all for your support over the last nine years. It's been one of the most rewarding times of my professional life.

Therefore, we are advertising for a new manager. If you know of anyone who would be interested please email our chairperson for more details (littledolphinschair@outlook.com).

Lots of love

Josie xxxx   

Emerald Class Trip to Glendurgan Gardens:

The Emerald Class had a fantastic day at Glendurgan Gardens yesterday. We even had more sunshine than predicted! The children particularly liked having a go on the Giant's Stride swing and finding their way through the Maze. I think the children have a better sense of direction than some of the adults! (mentioning no names!!)

There are photos of the trip on the Google Classroom. Their behaviour was brilliant and we even had members of the public comment on how well mannered and well behaved they were on our way around.

Well done Emerald children!



Godolphin Cross Festival of Archaeology:

Over the course of a week, an archaeological festival and excavation will be taking place in Godolphin Cross.

The festival commences on Sunday 16th July with a workshop on prehistoric pot making and ends on Saturday 22nd July with a round up of the results of the excavation and a demonstration of tin mining.

The excavation will run over the course of the week (17th – 22nd July). If you wish to take part in any of these events then please get in contact with: rosie.gcca@gmail.com



Godolphin Cross Festival of Archaeology 2023

16th-22nd July
Wheat Breage, TR13 9TH

Over the course of a week, we will be undertaking an excavation, supported by a team of expert archaeologists, in an attempt to uncover another piece of the lost history buried beneath the surface of Tregonning Hill.

Sunday 16th July
10.00-12.30 or 13.30-16.00
Pottery pot making with Gillian Gray led by Hannah Lawrence in The Old Chapel, TR13 9TA
Free limited space. To book your place, email rosie.gcca@gmail.com

17th July - 21st July
10.00-16.00
Take part in the big dig, excavating, examining and cataloguing finds.
Free. No experience necessary
To become part of the dig team email rosie.gcca@gmail.com

Saturday 22nd July
10.00-19.00
A day of exhilaration! Find out more about what we've been up to and have a go yourself. This is a day for all ages, so whether you want to get an understanding of tin mining in action or discover more about the area through archaeology, there is something for everyone.
Free. Field parking at Wheat Breage available but please walk if you can. Contact rosie.gcca@gmail.com for more information.



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