

Head of School: Miss L Savage

Friday 8th November 2024

Dear Parents and Carers.

The pupils have had a positive week of learning with our 2024/2025 Play Leaders also being announced this week. The Play Leaders have already started taking on their roles and it was wonderful to see them supporting active play and lunchtime today.

Please talk to your children about their learning to help them to retain the learnt knowledge.

Christmas KS1 Nativity/KS2 Carol Concert Dates

Class 1 Nativity- Monday 16th December at 1.45pm

Class 2 Nativity- Tuesday 10th December at 9.30 and Wednesday 11th December at 2pm.

KS2 Carol Concert- Wednesday 18th December at 2pm and Thursday 19th December at 9.30am

School council- Daffodil bulb planting event- Monday 18th November

Donations of 50p or over to take part. All monies raised will be going towards the school council representatives projects for our pupils. Please see poster attached for more details.

School Photos-Siblings

If you would like to bring a younger sibling in for a school photo with their Summercourt Academy sibling, please contact the school so we can gauge an idea of numbers on the day. These photos usually take place first thing (around 9am) but we will confirm timings on Monday.

Class 2 Swimming starts- Monday 11th November

Please ensure that children come to school with their swimming kits every Monday until the end of term. Please make payment on ParentPay for all sessions in bulk or before each session.

Reminder: Online Safety Support

On **Tuesday 12th November** we have the Aspire Computing lead on site at Summercourt for the day. This has enabled us to offer parents the opportunity to attend an online safety information session in the morning, provide online safety lessons to KS2 in the afternoon and a device/parental controls drop in session for parents during parents evening on the 12th November.

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- 1. 8:50 Online safety presentation for parents. (Please contact Mrs Rusted to book your place)
- 2. Online safety lessons for Class 3 and 4 during the school day. (No need to book)
- 3. Device/Parental control support drop-in sessions during the parents evening slot 15:30-18:00. (No need to book)

ARBOR- IMPORTANT NOTICE:

From October half term, parents/carers will receive instant messaging via the Arbor Parent App, or by logging in via a web browser ONLY. The old SMS service is being withdrawn so we will no longer be able to receive or send text messages.

The easiest way to access Arbor is to download the ARBOR APP via the App Store or Google Play. The app allows you to receive the latest messages, book parent/carer consultation slots (where applicable), view club information and manage/update the information that we hold about both you and your child, including consents. Please visit https://www.aspireacademytrust.org/arbor for support.

Please log into your account regularly and check that all your information is up to date. Thank you for your support.

PTFA News and Events

Thursday 21st November: Non-uniform day in return for Christmas Hamper items. Class 1: Red | Class 2: Green | Class 3: Red | Class 4: gold

Thursday 5th December: Sponsored Elf Run (letters will be sent out soon)

Friday 6th December: Craft and Café Morning

Tuesday 14th January 2025: Next PTFA meeting

Thank you for supporting our PTFA!

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Posters and Letters attached

School council daffodil planting event- Monday 18th November, Christmas sheep!-please send into school on Friday 22nd November

Important Dates

- 11.11.24- Class 2 swimming starts. Please make payment on ParentPay
- **11.11.24 15.11.24** Anti-bullying Week Pupils will learn about Anti bullying during the weeks activities. (No action for parents to take)
- **12.11.24-** Odd Sock Day Pupils welcome to wear odd socks as a way to celebrate our differences.
- 12.11.24 and 14.11.24- Parent meetings (Reminder-CL2 meetings cancelled)
- **13.11.24** World Kindness Day Teachers will be talking to pupils about 'World Kindness Day' and sharing ideas of how they can show kindness to others every day. (No action for parents to take)
- **14.11.24** School Photos- Individual and sibling photos.
- **15.11.24** Children in Need Day- children welcome to wear spotty clothing or non-uniform to school, in return for donation on ParentPay
- 18.11.24- Daffodil planting (see poster attached)
- 20.11.24 Prospective Reception 2025 starters- stay and play session 1.30-2.30pm
- **21.11.24** PTFA non-school uniform day in return for hamper donation. Class 1: Red | Class 2: Green | Class 3: Red | Class 4: gold
- 21.11.24- Cornwall Parliament Day
- 22.11.24- Christmas crafted sheep to be sent into school for St Enoder Church
- **4.12.24-** RE Day
- 5.12.24- PTFA Elf Run
- 6.12.24- PTFA Christmas Craft and Café morning
- 10.12.24- Class 2 Nativity 9.30am
- **11.12.24-** Class 2 Nativity 2pm
- **11.12.24** Class 4 Pond Development day- Class 4 pupils to wear old clothes to school, bring waterproof clothing, wellies and gardening tools if possible. If any parents are available to support on this day please contact Mrs Rusted.
- **12.12.24** Save the Children 'Christmas Jumper day' children are welcome to wear a Christmas jumper with their uniform. Cash donations welcome for Little Harbour Children's Hospice
- 13.12.24- Christmas dinner day
- **16.12.24-** Class 1 Nativity 1.45pm
- **16.12.24** Rocksteady Concert 10am (for parents of Rocksteady children)
- **17.12.24** Whole school to see Jack and the Beanstalk at Hall for Cornwall (more details will be sent out in a letter in the coming weeks)
- **18.12.24-** KS2 Carol Concert 2pm

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19.12.24- KS2 Carol Concert 9.30am

20.12.24- Last day of Autumn term- 2pm finish

INSET dates for 2024/2025

Mon 2nd June 2025 Fri 14th Feb

We hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Miss Savage and the Summercourt Team

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