



Godolphin Primary School
'living, learning and laughing together'
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Dear Parent/carers,

Please be aware that the Pupil Premium spending report and supporting documents have been updated and are available on the school website. If you have any questions regarding pupil premium please feel free to come and talk to me.

Our first parent assembly will take place on Friday 9th March at 2.45pm. As we have only had 26 parents confirm that they will be attending we will be able to hold the assembly in the school hall. Unfortunately due to limited space we may not be able to guarantee that any further space will be available. However, we will be holding further parent assemblies in the future and if the number of parents wishing to attend is higher we will change the venue to Godolphin Chapel.

I would like to thank you for your support at the cake and book sale at the end of half-term. A grand total of £123.61 was raised. A big 'thank you' goes to the members of the PTA for their continued hard work and dedication to raising funds for the school.

Lucy Wandless.

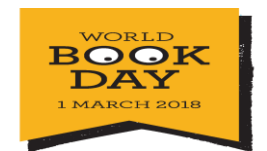
Sports for Champions



Anticipation and excitement filled the air on Friday 9th February when the school was visited by GB and Commonwealth international high jumper, Robert Mitchell. After a short introduction, the children were soon on their feet, facing the challenge of a fitness circuit, testing strength, stamina and flexibility. As Robert roared out the orders, the children soon worked up a sweat whilst being cheered on by their enthusiastic classmates. We were then treated to a truly inspirational assembly, listening to Robert share stories of his successes and setbacks, explaining the importance of eating well, keeping active and never giving up. During the assembly, a number of pupils were presented with signed photos, posters and postcards for exceptional fundraising. In total, a staggering £1012 was raised in sponsorship, with £359 being kept by the school. An absolutely fantastic achievement! Well done!

We would like to say thank you to all of the willing pupils who took part so enthusiastically, and also to the parents, family and friends who encouraged the children and supported with sponsorship so generously.

We hope that this memorable event will help inspire and motivate the next generation to aim high and believe that anything is possible with self-belief and determination.



World Book Day Thursday 1st March

This year we would like to celebrate World Book Day and have asked the children to bring in their favourite book and dress as a character from their book.

Menu Changes

Thursday 1st March

Spaghetti Bolognese or Cheese and tomato pizza

Wedges, peas and salad.

Ice cream

Monday 5th March St Piran's Day

Steak pasty or cheese and onion pasty

Ice cream

Diary Dates

Monday 19th February Diamond swimming starts for 11 weeks

Tuesday 27th February – Tree Planting

Diamonds AM Sapphire PM

Y5 transition to Helston School Thursday 1st March pm

Coose Trannack Cross country Races

Saturday 17th March

Thursday 29th March End of term

Monday 16th April First day of summer term

Year 6 SATs testing in school

Monday 14th May – Thursday 17th May

Monday 21st May -23rd May Y5/6 camp

Wednesday 20th June – 21st June Year

Y3/4 camp

Details to follow



It was a brilliant turn out for the cake sale at the end of term. An amazing £80.81 was raised from the cakes/treats . A fantastic effort, thanks everyone for their support.

Sorrel won the guess the Lego bricks with number 329.

We raised £29.40. Thank you for everyone's help.

We made £13.40 on books. Thanks again to Becky for storing them :)

Altogether we have raised £123.61. Thank you.

Bags 2 School

We will once again be collecting for Bags 2 School.

Please bring in all your unwanted clothes in the Bag 2 School bags on Wednesday 14th March. Please do not bring them in early as we have no space to store them. Thank you for support this cause with us.



Reminders:

PE Kit

Please can we remind parents that pupils should have PE kit in school at all times. This should include a white t-shirt, black or blue shorts and suitable plimsolls or trainers.

Water bottles

There seems to be an increasing number of children coming to school without water bottles. Please can all pupils remember to return their bottles to school each Monday after the weekend. Thank you.

Forms

Photograph consent forms

Please could these be returned as soon as possible as we would like to update our photos on the school website and add a gallery of the events taking place across the school.

End of school day

Please remember to let us know if someone different is picking up from school. Many thanks.

Emerald Class

Our new topic for this half term is 'To the Rescue'. The children are very excited to be learning about the work of the rescue services. A trip to a fire station is already planned - more information nearer the time!

Tree Planting at Godolphin woods

Emeralds and Zircon classes had a wonderful time in the grounds of Godolphin House where they planted trees in an area which will be known as Mary's Wood.



Friday 9th March Science Day

We shall be holding a science event on Friday 9th March. The purpose of the day is to celebrate science week and to celebrate the progress made in science lessons. Please send your children dressed in science themed clothes e.g. based on a famous scientist or create your own. Many thanks for your support.

