



Godolphin Primary School  
'living, learning and laughing together'

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come towards the end of this period of remote learning I would like to say how amazed I have continued to be by the work ethic and resilience that all of our children have shown throughout this time. The learning that the children have undertaken, at home and in school, has been a joy to see. I have been so impressed by the quality of work and at the thought and creativity that our pupils have demonstrated. I would like to thank you all for the support you have given during this challenging period, ensuring your children's journeys have continued since January.

The staff have been busy preparing for the children's return next week. We hope that you have all received and read the information sent out earlier this week that details our 'reopening plans'. As always, if you have any questions or concerns please contact me.

We are looking forward to welcoming all of our pupils back to school on Monday.

Take care,

Lucy.

### Dates for your diary:

#### PE Days:

**Emerald Class:** Tuesday & Thursday

**Diamond Class:** Monday & Friday

**Zircon Class:** Monday & Wednesday

**Easter Holidays:** Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> – Friday 16<sup>th</sup>  
April

### February Fitness Challenge:



Thank you to everyone for supporting the fitness challenge throughout the month of February! We hope the competition motivated you to take part in lots of physical activity and helped you to feel healthier, both in body and mind.

The final scores are as follows:

1st Emeralds 4697 mile points  
(average of 5.08 mile points per person per day)  
2nd Diamonds 4569 mile points  
(average of 4.95 mile points per person per day)  
3rd Zircons 3751 mile points  
(average of 4.78 mile points per person per day)

Well done to all three classes for averaging approximately 1 1/4 hours exercise per pupil per day!

And special CONGRATULATIONS to the Emerald team who regained the top spot on the final day to win this year's competition!

Please continue to keep active as much as you can, especially with the lighter evenings.

Remember - healthy body: healthy mind!!

### Chartwells Menu:

Just a reminder there is a new full menu from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March (sent last week).

The menu has been uploaded on the website (including the packed lunch options).

### Snack & milk update:

As normal, a daily snack (fruit) will be provided for KS1 children from Monday. KS2 children can bring their own snack if they choose (fruit or vegetables only).

Milk will also be provided as normal for those children under the age of 5 years, or those who have signed up with Cool Milk.

### Drop-off & collection reminder:

Further to the letter sent to all parents/carers this week, a gentle reminder that drop-off is between 8.45am-8.55am (school starts at 8.55am).

Collection is being staggered. Group 1 will collect children at 3.15pm and Group 2 at 3.20pm. You should have received a text message to confirm your group. Please contact Mrs. Thomas if you didn't receive a text. Parents will need to come into the playground to collect their children once a space is available.

Please could we ask parents not to congregate at the school gate or outside school, (this in order to keep everyone safe and to adhere to the current government lockdown). If you have a dog with you please could we ask that you don't wait with it outside the school gate or tie the lead to the gate whilst you come into the playground to collect your child(ren).

Many thanks for your support.

### Sports Relief:

You may remember we raised an amazing £55.50 for Sports Relief last year. We received this certificate this week to thank us for our donation. Well done everyone!



### Little Dolphin's Pre-School – Chair Vacancy:

Dear Parents, Carers and friends,

Do you feel you can spare some time to help support Little Dolphins Pre School?

Due to our current Chairperson needing to stand down, we urgently require someone to fulfil this position. If you can commit a little time over the next year and would like to help and support the Pre-school, we would love you to put your name forward. This could also be a member of your family such as a grandparent or a close friend.

Please email ([little-dolphins@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:little-dolphins@hotmail.co.uk)) to be sent the description of the role and responsibilities. Or you can chat to Josie at Pre-school.

### Spring into Action competition from Sustrans (with great prizes)!



Encourage your children to get out in the fresh air and get creative with our 'Spring into Action' photo/video/art competition.

The challenge is simple: go for a walk/scoot/cycle ride, look for signs of spring, and illustrate them with a photo(s)/video/artwork & caption.

**First Prize: choice of a bike or scooter -  
Runners up: high street vouchers**

**Closing date: Wednesday 31 March**

Entries can be posted on Sustrans' Facebook **@SustransCornwall** or emailed to [cornwall@sustrans.org.uk](mailto:cornwall@sustrans.org.uk)

For further information see the attached document sent with this newsletter or email [cornwall@sustrans.org.uk](mailto:cornwall@sustrans.org.uk).