Fortnightly Newsletter No.4 3rd November 2023

Pendennis Castle Visit

Before half term, Year 6 enjoyed a visit to Pendennis Castle in Falmouth, as part of their History topic work this term.

They learned about the changes in defences at the castle from Tudor times to the

The children thoroughly enjoyed looking at all the artefacts and different buildings.

We would like to thank all those that came and supported us on our trip and also to English Heritage who part funded our visit.





Fortnightly Attendance 9th to 20th Oct 2023

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Crantock	88.9%
Gwithian	94.1%
Polzeath	91.6%
Fistral	90.6%
Poly Joke	94.9%
Botallack	87.7%
Minack	98.3%
Tintagel	92.0%
Heligan	95.1%
Trelissick	90.4%
Lanhydrock	91.2%
Restormel	94.6%

The target set for the school is 96% Well done

Minack!



We would like to say Thank You to every one who donated non-perishable items for Harvest Festival.

The items have now been collected and helping our community.

Year 2 - WOW Day

Year 2 rounded off their topic 'Going underground' with a mining WOW Day!





They made pudding pasties, mined for tin and designed and made lanterns.









Aspens Autumn/Winter Menu

Bookings are to be made via ParentPay in the normal way. Booking closes at 8.30am daily

Cost of school meal £2.65

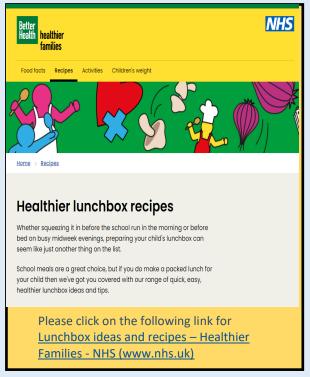






Vegan, Milk Free, Egg and Milk Free and Gluten Free menus are available on request.







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Off Suncrest Estate, Indian Queens, TR9 6QZ

Dates for your diary:

Wed 8th Nov - Cross Country

Wed 8th Nov - EYFS Welcome to school evening

Thurs 9th Nov - Year 1 Hearing Screening

Wed 15th Nov - Girls Football Yr 1-4 only - 8am start

Friday 17th Nov - Children in Need Day

Friday 17th Nov - EYFS Sponsored Welly Walk

Thursday 23rd Nov - Year 1 Newquay Zoo Trip

PARENTPAY

School Dinners

We would like to thank everyone who books their child's meals via ParentPay. Please remember you can book more than a day at a time. You can, if suits, book weeks or months at once but you must have credit.

Nursery meals can now be booked daily before 8.30am via ParentPay. Please ensure you select 'Nursery' when booking.

Earlybirds

To use this facility please contact the school office who will activate Earlybirds onto your ParentPay.

Please then ensure your ParentPay account is in credit prior to your child's arrival on the morning required.

Swimming - Botallack Class

Payment of £60.00 is now due. This can be paid in full or by instalments at £6.00 per session.

PARKING

Please could we ask for all parents, visitors and staff to be considerate when parking within the school area.

Drop off and collection times are very busy. Please be thoughtful of local residents, including Harvenna Heights area. We have had a number of reports of cars blocking drive ways and blocking pathways.

we have also had a number of reporting s of near misses on our zebra crossing areas.

Thank you for your continued support.

School Absence

Should your child be absent, please could we ask you to contact the school as soon as possible.

To report your child's absence please use one of the following:

Tel: 01726 860540 to speak to reception or leave a voice mail - option 1 (out of hours) or email hello@indianqueensschool.org

When reporting please state child's name, class and full reason for absence e.g. sickness, headache, high temp etc.

APPOINTMENTS

Please could we remind you that appointments for your child/children should be made for outside of school hours.

LATENESS

All pupils must be in school ready to learn from 8:45am. School gates open from 8:35am to 8.45am

Thank you for your support

BE BRIGHT, BE SEEN

With summertime at an end and the clocks going back an hour, the following resources may help remind children about road safety and keeping safe in the dark.

Teaching Road Safety: A Guide for Parents https://www.rospa.com/media/documents/road-safety/teaching-road-safety-a-guide-for-parents.pdf

Be Bright, Be Seen Poster https://6282.s3-eu-west-1.amazonaws.com/Be Bright Be Seen-A5-Flyer.pdf

Keeping Children Safe in the Dark https://firstaidforlife.org.uk/keeping-children-safe-in-dark/

Dark Nights https://www.childcare.co.uk/information/dark-nights-children-safety





Indian Queens Primary School

Behold the dary. It's yours to make.

Week Beginning	Value of the week
30 th October 2023	Courage - I try to control my fears
6 th November 2023	Fairness - I make sure everyone is included
13 th November 2023	Concentration - I pay attention to details
20 th November 2023	Resilience - Willing to have a go and persevere when things get difficult
27 th November 2023	Trust - Share and accept help from others, look for the best in people
4 th December 2023	Resourcefulness - Adapting to suit the situation
11 th December 2023	Integrity - Setting high standards and keeping my word





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Indian Queens Primary School & Nursery

Off Suncrest Estate, Indian Queens TR9 6Q2

Reception Class - September 2024

Open Evening

Wednesday 8th November from 5pm



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We are looking for parent volunteers that are willing to take part in some of our exciting careers events in school after Christmas. Please click on the link below to add your name and job details.

Careers Related Learning Volunteers

Girls Football Club Years 1 to 4 only

Unlock your imagination with the magic of Disney inspired Shooting Stars. This isn't football as you know it, its wall to wall fun! Are you ready to be challenged to unlock your inner superheroes, can you use your flexibility like Elastigirl, speed like Frozone and jump like Buzz. Come and enjoy your football in the world of Disney!

This club will run from 8am to 8.40am on the following Wednesdays 15th Nov, 22nd Nov, 29th Nov and 6th Dec. Children to arrive in PE kit with uniform to change into. This club is free of charge.

Please register interest below:

Girls Football Club run by LJD Coaching (office.com)

Sporting News...





Well done Teams!

A huge congratulation to the girls who represented our school in the Football Festival at Treviglas on Wednesday. They all came together as a team on the day. For some girls this was their first football tournament. They came 3rd overall out of 9 schools. We are so proud of how well they played showing resilience, respect and determination.

Also a big well done and congratulations to our school football team who took part in the Macron Festival. We qualified for the top league and drew and beat many local teams with just two losses to finish 4th overall. Fantastic work; we're all very proud of you. We must also say thank you to Mrs Brewer for helping out on the day.

We would also like to congratulate our Year 6 pupil who took part in trials for East Cornwall schools girl squad for this season. Her trial was successful and she has been selected. Well done!



Community News...



Friends of Indian Queens School are organising a Christmas Jumper Sale and we are looking for donations of pre-loved Christmas jumpers.

Often children grow out of their Christmas jumper in one year and then another one is bought the following year. Reusing clothes is a really important way to reduce the environmental impact of fashion and a great way to save money.

If you have any Christmas jumpers (child or adult) that you no longer need/want, please send them into school by Monday 27th November. Then come along to the sale on Friday 1th December and buy a pre-loved festive knitl

Thank you!



