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**Newsletter
No. 11
June 2019**

St. Mary's Catholic Primary School

SPORTS DAY



Monday 17 June @ 1.20 p.m.

KS2 Sports Day

Tuesday 18 June @ 10.00 a.m.

Nursery and Reception Sports Day

Wednesday 19 June @ 1.30 p.m.

KS1 Sports Day

Attendance

Whole school to date: 96.4%

Classes with highest attendance:

10 May-Yr 3 = 99.5%

17 May-Yr 6 = 99.3%

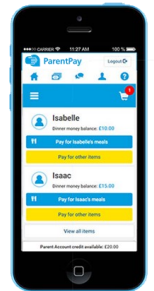
24 May- Yr 5 = 100%



Please remember—Term time holidays cannot be authorised. Parents taking their children on holiday in school time may be subject to fines.



ParentPay
COUNT ON US



ParentPay - our new online payment service

We are pleased to announce that we will shortly be accepting payments online for items such as dinner money, school trips and uniform.

Using a secure website called ParentPay you will be able to pay online using your credit / debit card or continue to make cash payments at PayPoint stores. Parentpay will be our method for making all payments to school enabling us to become a cashless school.

What are the benefits to parents & pupils?

- ParentPay is easy-to-use and will offer you the freedom to make online payments whenever and wherever you like, 24/7
- The technology used is of the highest internet security available ensuring that your money will reach school safely - offering you peace of mind
- Payments can be made by credit/debit card or also through PayPoint
- Full payment histories, balance alerts and statements are available to you securely online at anytime

What are the benefits to our school?

- You can help us reduce workloads for all staff as no more counting cash, chasing debt and stop cash collection services
- Creates more time to lend to educational support and the smooth running of the school
- Improves school security
- Using ParentPay also ensures that all financial transactions are safe and secure - helping us to remove costs associated with us having to manage cash securely on the school premises



THE EASY WAY TO PAY...



Family Fun Run at Trellisick
Sunday 7th July 2019, 1.5k or 3k run
 Registration from 8:30am, run starts at 10am Entry includes a medal and goody bag
 Advance booking £6 per person on the day £7 per person

To book visit crbo.co.uk/merlin, call 01726 879500 or drop into the Tourist Information centre at Truro or St Austell
 For details email laura@merlinscentre.org.uk or call 01726 885530

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HM Government HELP PAYING FOR CHILDCARE

MONEY TOWARDS CHILDCARE
 Any **one** of the following schemes...

Age 0-11	Age 0-16	Age 0-15
Get up to £4000 per child	Claim back up to 85% of costs	Claim back up to 70% of costs
TAX-FREE CHILDCARE	For working families	For working families
UNIVERSAL CREDIT	TAX CREDITS	

... **can** be used with

FREE HOURS OF CHILDCARE

Age 2	Age 3-4	Age 3-4
For families getting certain government support	For all families	For working families
15 HOURS FREE CHILDCARE	15 HOURS FREE CHILDCARE	30 HOURS FREE CHILDCARE

For full details visit childcarechoices.gov.uk

Sign up today
www.chsw.org.uk/rainbow

rainbow RUN

Be part of the colourful fundraising fun!
 Rainbow Run is the brightest sponsored 5k around. Walk, jog or run through colour bursts of powder paint and raise money for your local children's hospice.

RAF St Mawgan, Newquay @ Sunday 23 June 2019

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Yr4 Eden Project Trip

Year 4 had a wonderful time at the Eden Project, learning amazing facts about rainforests and how to be 'Rainforest Rangers'!

This was invaluable in helping them to complete their information projects.



School Uniform

Please ensure pupils come to school dressed in the correct uniform

Boys

- ◇ School sweatshirt, navy or red
- ◇ Polo shirts, navy or red
- ◇ Grey trousers
- ◇ Sensible/serviceable coat/anorak
- ◇ Sensible shoes (no flashing lights please)
- ◇ Grey short trousers (Summer months)

Girls

- ◇ School sweatshirt, navy or red
- ◇ Polo shirts, navy or red
- ◇ Tartan Pinafore dress or skirt
- ◇ Plain black or grey trousers
- ◇ Sensible shoes with flat heels (no flashing lights please)
- ◇ Tights, navy or red
- ◇ School Summer dress (Summer months)

Diary Dates

- Yr4 Lanhydrock Visit—Monday 10 June
- KS2 Sports Day—Monday 17 June @ 1.20 pm
- Nursery and Reception Sports Day—Tuesday 18 June @ 10 am
- KS1 Sports Day—Wednesday 19 June @ 1.30 p.m.
- Friends of School Summer Fayre—Friday 28 June @ 5pm
- Rising Year 7 Induction Evening at Bodmin College—Tuesday 2 July
- Yr6 Residential Trip Wednesday 3-Friday 5 July
- Rising Year 7 Induction Day at Bodmin College—Monday 8 July
- Yr5 Trip to Botallack and Levant—Wednesday 10 July
- Yr3 Trip to Tintagel Castle—Thursday 11 July
- Last day of term—Friday 19 July 2pm finish



School Masses are continuing to be held in St Mary's Church.

Dates and times below—everyone is welcome to join us!

Mass in Church at 10.30am

- Weds 12th June, Year 4**
- Weds 19th June, Year 5**
- Weds 26th June, Year 6**
- Weds 3rd July, Year 3**
- Weds 10 July, Year 4**
- Weds 17 July, Whole school**



Please check our website for any last minutes changes.
 Sunday Mass in Church at 10.30am- all families welcome.

Headteacher's special mention to:

A special thank you to all the parents helping to improve attendance in our school.