



### THURSDAY 1ST APRIL 2021 - LAST DAY OF THE SPRING TERM

Please note that school will close early on the last day of the spring term as set out below ...

Classes 1 and 2 will finish at 1.45pm

Classes 3 and 4 will finish at 2.00pm

#### Parent / Meetings

If you haven't already done so, please book a video appointment with your child's teacher. There are still some spaces available next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday (additional dates will **not** be added after Easter). The booking facility will close on Tuesday 30 March at 11.55pm.

**Should you need any help to make an appointment please contact the school office.**

Please visit <https://nanledra.schoolcloud.co.uk/> to book your appointments. (Guidance notes on how to add appointments, use video calls and troubleshooting were sent out this week and are on our website) .

Login with the following information:

- Parent name and email
- Child's First Name
- Child's Surname
- Child's Date of Birth

#### Meet our new team member ...

Hi I'm Helen, I am working at school as gardener and grounds developer.

Over the past month or so I have been helping finish off the new polytunnel ready for the children to use as an outdoor learning space, digging a pond and general jobs around the grounds.

The last few weeks I have been working with groups of children planting potatoes, peas, radishes, beetroot and a mix of flowers.

As the earth starts to warm up, I am excited to see the grounds coming to life, so I can be inspired with new ideas for the outside space. I'm really keen for the children to feel it is their space, so if they have any ideas they want to put forward, please encourage them to let me know and we will see what can be done.

Helen



## Information about Children Being Unwell

We would like to remind parents to check for fever and take children's temperatures for all ailments and illnesses, because a temperature is one of the symptoms of COVID-19. The key symptoms to look out for are:

- A high temperature **OR**
- A new cough where you keep on coughing. This means coughing a lot for more than an hour or three **or** more episodes of coughing in a day **OR**
- Losing **or** a change, to your sense of smell or taste

If your child does have a temperature **OR** one of the other symptoms (not necessarily all of them together) we are required to ask you to have them tested for COVID-19 (PCR test) by phoning 119 or visiting the NHS website.



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### Guitar Lessons

We are pleased to announce that we are once again able to offer guitar lessons to our KS2 children in the summer term. The lessons will be provided by Cornwall Music Service Trust who already run our brass, woodwind and violin lessons.

The CMST guitar team have made a demo video which can be viewed by copying this link into your browser:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kzf5bs8Y-sQ>

Or search YouTube for: Guitar team demo 2020 Cornwall Music Service Trust.

Children will need to bring their own guitar to school for their lessons which will take place on Friday mornings. All bookings need to be made through CMST.

We have included a CMST flyer in this newsletter with the links you need to sign up for lessons and also a list of suppliers that provide instruments for hire.

Please note that the cost of lessons will vary according to whether they are 1 to 1 lessons, 2 students together or a group of 4 etc. You will need to specify what you would prefer when making your booking.

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**School Uniform Swap Stall**

This will now take place after the Easter break. More details will follow at a later date.

**STAR OF THE WEEK**

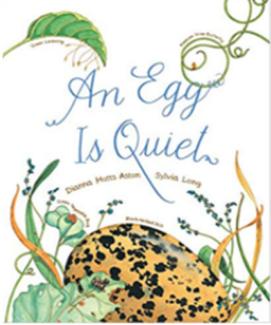
*Congratulations to the following pupils who have been chosen as their form's 'Star of the Week'.*

Class 1	Georgia
Class 2	Esme
Class 3	Bobby
Class 4	Sasha



**What are you Reading?**

Class 1 has been learning all about eggs and have been reading 'An Egg is Quiet' by Dianna Hutts Aston and Sylvia Long. "We would like to recommend this book to anyone who loves detailed illustrations - we really enjoyed it!"



**Guitar, Brass, Woodwind and Violin Lessons**

If your child is in classes 3 and 4 and would like to sign up for one of the above music lessons please contact CMST.

See flyer below for contact details ...

**GREAT NEWS.....**



CORNWALL MUSIC SERVICE TRUST

Your son/daughter has shown an interest in learning a musical instrument, having vocal lessons or joining an ensemble that will be provided by Cornwall Music Service Trust.

In order that we can get your child's music journey under way please go to <http://cornwallmusicservicetrust.org/signup/> to sign up for your musical sessions.

If you require an instrument, these can be hired from various suppliers please see: <http://cornwallmusicservicetrust.org/provision/instrument-hire-and-purchase/>

All terms and conditions around this wonderful opportunity can be found at: <http://cornwallmusicservicetrust.org/music-lessons/>

Many thanks for choosing Cornwall's premier music education service and if you have any queries or need further assistance please contact us at: [office@cornwallmusicservicetrust.org](mailto:office@cornwallmusicservicetrust.org)



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**Tate St Ives - Town Trail**

We are creating Art Adventurers: Town Trail in response to the restrictions that have arisen due to covid-19. We currently cannot run our regular offer for families in the gallery and we want to provide inspiration for families to get creative out in the fresh air.

Art Adventurers: Town Trail will take the form of a fold out map with creative ideas to do in various locations around St Ives. The pack will include the map, an A5 sketchbook, pencil, sharpener, feedback postcard and be packaged in a sealed paper bag. This initial pack will be our pilot version, we are inviting feedback from families that use it to help inform the final version.

These packs have been delivered to school and will be handed out to children next week.

**Car sharing on school run**

At this time please **avoid car sharing**, but if you have to, please follow these simple steps.

  
Wear face coverings

  
Sit as far apart as possible

  
Share with the same small group only

  
Keep windows open

  
Wash hands or use sanitisers before and after

  
Clean the car after every journey

[cornwall.gov.uk/coronavirus](http://cornwall.gov.uk/coronavirus)

**WORD of the WEEK**

**Devour**  
(Verb)

To eat (food or prey) hungrily or quickly.

*"The dragon devoured three roasted sheep for his breakfast!"*

## ***Clubs and Activities w/c 29th March 2021***

Monday	pm Woodwind lessons with Sarah Hanley 3.15-4.00pm Year 1 & 2 Dance Club #2 (this club is full)
Tuesday	am Piano lessons with Jo Cole 3.15-4.15pm KS2 Football club (this club is full)
Wednesday	am Piano lessons with Jo Cole pm Brass lessons with Kirsten Burden
Thursday	School closes early: Class 1 and 2 finish at 1.45pm Class 3 and 4 finish at 2.00pm
Friday	CLOSED

**Please note that the relevant consent form must be completed prior to any child attending one of our after school clubs.**

### **St Ives Tennis Club ...**

Unfortunately, due to the ongoing Covid 19 situation, I am unable to offer tennis taster sessions at school this year, but I would still like to keep you informed about our courses for children.

The LTA are about to launch their new Youth Start courses and St. Ives Tennis Club would like to give your children a head start to book onto a course.

I begin a course for **5-8 year olds on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> April at 11.00am**. The cost of the course is £29.99 (plus £5 P&P) and includes 6 coaching sessions, a racket and ball set and a personalised tennis shirt.

There will also be a follow on offer to enable them and their family to continue to play.

There will be a nationwide media campaign. You should note that there are only **10 places at our club** - please copy and place this link into your browser: [LTA Youth Start / Course](#) to make your booking.

If any parents are interested in learning tennis, I am also running a course for adults, beginning **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> April at 6.30pm** – details here:

[St Ives Tennis Club / Coaching / Course \(lta.org.uk\)](#)

Colin Stringer, St Ives Tennis Club



### **Minack Theatre**

We are hosting some small 'Plays in a Day' on Saturday's throughout April and May for children ages 11-18 and 8-11 (years 4-6). All of the days are completely **free** of charge and the children will have the opportunity to work with a professional director in very small groups of children.

The theme for the days is Sherlock Holmes and would be a great opportunity for any budding actors/storytellers.

If You would like some more information please contact Kim on: [kim@minack.com](mailto:kim@minack.com)

To make a booking for their child they will need to do so via our website following this link:

[Sherlock Holmes - a play in a day | Minack Theatre](#)

or

call the box office on 01736 810181.



## Warning - Royal Mail Scam Alert!

Should you receive a text/email message claiming to be from Royal Mail saying they have tried to deliver a parcel to you but you were not in and are asking you to pay £2.99 to have it delivered - do not take any action this is a scam! This is just for first step of this scam.

You may then get a follow up text/email appearing to be from your bank telling you that you have been scammed by Royal Mail and that you need to change your bank account details. They provide you with the actual bank's number to call to verify that you are calling who they say but they are able to access the line and divert your call to the scammer. Do not access any of the links provided to you in these messages.

### Threadworm and Headlice

For your information we have had cases of both Headlice and Threadworms in school recently. Please visit the following NHS web pages for guidance and advice.

**Threadworms** <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/threadworms/>

**Headlice and Nits** <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/head-lice-and-nits/>

## EASTER HOLIDAY CAMPS

### Mounds Bay Football Development Centre



#### Dates - 2021

Easter Week 1 - Wednesday 7th, Thursday 8th & Friday 9th April  
Easter Week 2 - Wednesday 14th, Thursday 15th & Friday 16th April

#### Soccer Tots (3-6yrs)

10am - 12pm

£6 per day | £10 for 2 days | £13 for 3 days or £25 for all 6 camps

#### Soccer Pros (7-13yrs)

10am - 3.30pm

£15 per day | £25 for 2 days | £35 for 3 days or £65 for all 6 camps

#### \*\*SUPER SAVER DEALS\*\*

Soccer Tots - All 6 days for £25

Soccer Pros - All 6 days for £65

#### Venue

Mounds Bay Football Development Centre  
Mounds Bay Academy Sports Centre, Penzance, TR18 3JT

#### Other Info

All children are welcome to attend from any school or club  
The MBFDC coaching staff are UEFA / FA qualified and DBS checked  
Pre-booking only, register & book online  
Visit the website for further information - [www.mbfdc.co.uk](http://www.mbfdc.co.uk)

#### Contact

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Website - [www.mbfdc.co.uk](http://www.mbfdc.co.uk)



## ST IVES SCHOOL OF PAINTING

### Sunday Kids Art Club

### Kids Sunday Art Club - My Dream World inspired by Dali

With Alessandra Ausenda

10.30 am - 11.30 am, 28 March, watch Live or Later

Why not join us online on You Tube and explore new techniques and a variety of processes with artist Alessandra Ausenda. Learn about the key ideas behind Surrealism and how reality can be distorted and changed through drawing and painting

<https://www.schoolofpainting.co.uk/courses/kids-sunday-art-club-my-dream-world/>



**BlackbirdPie** is here again and this time we have REAL events in our What's On magazine - things families can go to and enjoy. Of course, some of the items in our magazine are still virtual and many of the events are in the future but families can book up and have things to plan.

All magazines are FREE to download. Just copy and past the like below into your browser.

Sign up, you will be emailed each issue and details of our competitions.

[https://click.mlsend.com/link/c/YT0xNjQ5MzA3Nzk1MjcyNTA0NDI0JmM9ZjZxOCZlPTU4MTA2NDkmYj01NTc0NDE4MTgmZD14OGQ3Yzdl.9E8TBla47aO-HIm5A\\_5ToToN4fIO5NXi9cOT-hRK4So](https://click.mlsend.com/link/c/YT0xNjQ5MzA3Nzk1MjcyNTA0NDI0JmM9ZjZxOCZlPTU4MTA2NDkmYj01NTc0NDE4MTgmZD14OGQ3Yzdl.9E8TBla47aO-HIm5A_5ToToN4fIO5NXi9cOT-hRK4So)



### Children's Cricket

Fantastic ECB Cricket National Programmes for 5 - 11 year olds are back!

Participant sign up is open now! These brilliant programmes are designed for all primary school ages with All Stars (5-8 year olds) and Dynamos (8-11 year olds). Here are the links to sign up - pop in your postcode to see the closest centre to you:

All Stars: <https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/all-stars>

Dynamos: <https://www.ecb.co.uk/play/dynamoscricet>

Interested to know the club centres in Cornwall? Have a look at the [map](#)! Speaking from the heart (ok so we're cricket mad) though these programmes really are so well done and just what children need after such a tough time recently. It'll help boost social, physical and mental health at a time it's most needed. Just so you know our programmes are vetted by Cornwall Cricket Board for quality assurance and with particular importance on safeguarding. Also, they will be Covid compliant following government and ECB's guidance.



### YMCA Sleep Easy Event - TONIGHT

“YMCA, a charity which supports thousands of homeless young people every night is asking families and children to sleep anywhere but their bed for one night to raise money to support this cause. On 26 March, will you join

hundreds of people across the country by sleeping on your sofa, on the floor or in a tent in the garden?

There will be prizes up for grabs on the night and lots of ways your family can engage with others taking part. To sign up and download our family pack please visit [ymca.org.uk/familysleepeasy](https://ymca.org.uk/familysleepeasy). One night can make a lifetime of difference.”

For more information, please contact: [Emily.Brewster@ymca.org.uk](mailto:Emily.Brewster@ymca.org.uk) or call: 020 7186 9546.