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The contents of this and every newsletter is relevant information to both our school and Little Lizards parents.

Arriving at School

As a way of safeguarding our children and ensuring that our daily timetable runs efficiently we would like to inform our parents and carers that the main front door to the school will now be locked from **9am each morning**. In line with attendance and child protection procedures, any children arriving after that time must sign in giving a reason why they are late. Class teachers take the attendance and lunch registers promptly at 9am in preparation for morning assembly which follows straight after. Therefore we would appreciate children arriving at school no later than 8.55am. We are proud to adopt an open door policy at Landewednack School and welcome our parents and carers in to school with their children each morning. Our front door is unlocked at 8.45am and will be locked again at 9am.

We also endeavour to lock the gate from the school playground through to Croft Parc by 9.15am every morning. Please be conscious of the time if you have parked your vehicle in the estate or walk through that way as staff are not able to open the gate again if it has already been locked. Please be assured that these measures are in place to guarantee the safety of all of the children and we thank you for cooperation and understanding.

School Census Day - Thursday 19th January

There will be a change to the school lunch menu next Thursday 18th January as it is School Census Day when we like to encourage as many of our children to have and enjoy a school lunch with us. The menu "A Taste of Italy" will be as follows, Ham and Pineapple Pizza or Macaroni Cheese served with chips, garden peas, salad and garlic and herb bread. Dessert will be a choice of strawberry frozen yoghurt or fresh fruit.



School Uniform

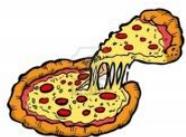
A reminder that School uniform can now be ordered online, please click on the link to set up an account with School Trends.

www.schooltrendsonline.com/uniform/LandewednackPrimarySchoolTR127PB



MONDAY AFTERNOONS - Razorbills Gym Sessions & Choughs Swimming Sessions

Please ensure that your child has their PE /swimming kit and extra warm clothing in school every Monday. Miss Wells would be grateful if there are any parents who would be kind enough to accompany her in the mini bus to and from Mullion. Your help need not be every week just occasionally would be appreciated.



Choughs Class Lunch Arrangements on a Monday

On their return from swimming Helen is able to offer the children a hot meal on a Monday afternoon from 8th January.



The menu will be as follows:

Pizza - 8th Jan, 22nd Jan, 29th Jan, 19th Feb, 26th Feb, 12th March & 19th March.

Cornish pasty - 15th Jan, 5th Feb, 5th March & 26th March.

The pasties need to be ordered a week in advance please.

The children can tell Mrs Jane what they will be having for lunch in the usual manner on a Monday morning. Alternatively they must bring a packed lunch from home.

Junior Cricket Coaching at Mullion Cricket club

Members of Mullion Cricket Club have asked us to invite current and new members to their junior coaching sessions which take place at Mullion School (in the gym) on a Monday evening. The session times are as follows : U9's 5.30-6.30pm, U11's 6.30pm-7.30pm and U13's 7.30pm-8.30pm.



It's lots of fun and all abilities are made very welcome. If your son or daughter would like to take part just go along at the appropriate times. From Easter the sessions will continue outside at Mullion Cricket Club.

Coaching sessions for U15's will also take place then.

For more information please contact Junior Secretary Kim Turner on 01326 241344 or email kimturner@btinternet.com All of the coaches at Mullion Cricket Club hold the relevant coaching qualifications and safeguarding certificates for working with young children.

School Association

Liz Granata (School Association Chairperson) has asked if anyone has any unwanted Christmas presents that they would like to donate to the School Association? These gifts would be used in future raffles at events which will be held throughout the remainder of the school year. There will be box in the main school entrance. Thank you to everyone who has already donated.



Football Club

A polite reminder that if your children take part in football club on a Wednesday after school there is a charge of £1.00 per session.



Year 3 Pottery Club



Mr Ford will be starting his pottery club for those year 3 children who sent their slip back before the end of last term. The sessions begin on Tuesday 16th February and are as follows:

Tuesday 16th & 23rd January - **Ellie, Hettie and Faith**

Tuesday 30th Jan & 6th February - **Ryan W, Luke C, Hector and Evan**

A polite reminder that the sessions are over two weeks and the cost of the club is £3.00 thank you to those children who have paid already. The sessions will end at 4.30pm.

Violin Lessons

There are spaces available to learn to play the violin here at Landewednack. Our violin teacher Hannah Sedgwick teaches her lessons on a Tuesday morning and is happy to give a trial lesson for anyone who may be interested in learning to play. Hannah is also able to loan violins to her pupils. The lessons cost £6.25 for 15 minutes (though it's usually longer!) per week for ten weeks per term. Hannah will be coming in to our school assembly on Tuesday morning (16th January) to play for the children and to show them what her lessons are all about. The lessons are for children in year 3 and above. If you think your child may be interested please see Lyndsay Bray.



Netball Club Cancelled - 18th January

Please note that there will be no netball club next Thursday 18th January. Netball will resume again on Thursday 25th January.

School Menu

We politely ask parents to go through the lunch menu with their children prior to them ordering a school meal. We are finding that children are unsure of what they would like to eat at lunchtime. If a meal is ordered and not wanted, Helen isn't always in a position to replace the lunch with another one as all our lunches are cooked to order.



We are also finding that a large number of children are opting for a jacket potato every day because they don't want to try something new. Mrs Green is awarding the children in Choughs class a shine ticket if they choose a meal they haven't tried before. This is to encourage them to eat a meal that they may not have chosen but might actually enjoy. If you do not have a copy of the current menu it is on the school website. Thank you for your help and cooperation.

Seagulls Class

Miss Beirne would be very grateful for any clear plastic half litre bottles to be brought in to school next week please. These are for the children to use as part of their recycling project. Thank you in advance.



Paying by cheque

If you pay by cheque for anything in school or Little Lizards, Mrs Tattersall would be very grateful if you could write on the back of the cheque what the payment is for.

Future Events and Diary Dates

Please note that current dates and times may change. This list is updated each week.

Friday 9th Feb - Break up for half term @ 3.15pm

Monday 19th Feb - Return to school

Tuesday 20th Feb - X Country Qualifier at Pool School - Letters to go to those children involved

Thursday 15th March - X Country County Championships - Newquay Sports Centre

Saturday 17th March - Coose Trannack Cross Country @ Trannack School. More details to follow.

Tuesday 27th March - X Country at Helston School from 4pm. To include an infant fun run.

Thursday 29th March - Break up for Easter @1pm

Monday 16th April - Return to school

Monday 7th May - School & Little Lizards Closed

Tuesday 8th May - School & Little Lizards Closed

Friday 25th May - Break up for half term @ 3.15pm

Monday 4th June - School & Little Lizards Closed

Tuesday 5th June - Return to school

Wednesday 13th June - Move Up Day! & Cluster Sports years 3 -6

Friday 20th July - Break up for the summer holiday @ 1pm

Please also check our school website calendar for further important dates and information.

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