BE KIND
BE RESPECTFUL
BE HONEST
BE BRILLIANT

CHACEWATER SCHOOL

6th October 2023

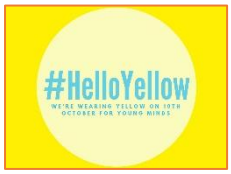
Dear Parents/Carers

What a whirlwind of a week we've had at our school. It's been bustling with excitement, learning, and achievements. Here's a glimpse of some of the BRILLIANT things that have happened:

Monday was an extraordinary day as our school hall transformed into a bustling polling station for our Pupil Parliament Elections. I want to express how proud we were of all of the candidates who showed remarkable courage by stepping forward and having a go. Not everyone could be successful this time around but congratulations to those children who emerged victorious this time.

During our assembly this week, we embarked on an exhilarating journey to Antarctica, discovering the wonders of this magnificent part of our world. It seemed to certainly spark the imagination and curiosity in the children. We are encouraging everyone to participate in the competition to design a flag for Antarctica. Who knows, our school might just produce the winning design and have it actually taken to Antartica!

Our school football team showcased exceptional talent and sportsmanship at the tournament held at Truro College yesterday. Despite a couple of narrow losses, their determination shone brightly, and they celebrated some fantastic wins. I am VERY proud of their hard work and teamwork – well done, team!



Get ready for another exciting week ahead! <u>On Tuesday 10th October</u>, in support of World Mental Health Day, we invite everyone to wear something yellow. It could be as simple as yellow socks or a head-to-toe ensemble. Let's spread the message that it's okay not to be okay – together, we support each other!

On the 12th of October, we have two harvest celebrations planned at Chacewater Church. The first, at 9.30am, is for Reception and Key Stage 1, and the second, at 10.30am, is for Key Stage 2. Parents and carers are warmly invited to attend, although we kindly ask you to consider the available space in the church. Additionally, we will be collecting goods during the week for Truro Foodbank. Your generosity makes a significant difference – thank you for your contributions!

Have a great weekend!

Mr Hick

School Immunisation – 18th October 2023 (Deadline to consent midday 16th October 2023)

School Age Immunisation Service

Academic Year 2023/24

CHACEWATER COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL
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Dear Parent/Guardian

Your child's annual nasal flu vaccination is now due

The School-Age Immunisation Service is delivering the flu immunisation programme in Cornwall's and Devon's schools on behalf of NHS England & Improvement. Flu can be a very unpleasant illness and sometimes causes serious complications. Vaccinating your child will also help protect more vulnerable friends and family by preventing the spread of flu.

In 2023/24 all children in Primary Schools from **Reception to year 6 (inclusive)** will be offered the vaccine. The vaccination is free and recommended for young children; it is administered by a quick and simple spray up the nose. Please enter www.nhs.uk/child-flu to access information explaining the vaccination programme which also includes details about the small number of children for whom the nasal vaccine is not appropriate. The patient information leaflet is also in the attached link: FLUENZ Tetra, INN-influenza vaccine (live attenuated, nasal) (medicines.org.uk).

We are due to visit your child's school on **Wednesday 18th October 2023.** In order to access the online consent form, please enter or click on the following link: https://www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu **PLEASE ENSURE YOU ENTER THE FULL UNIQUE SCHOOL REFERENCE CODE. The code for your child's school is: EE142789**

Please submit your consent form by **midday on Monday 16th October 2023** to ensure your child receives their vaccination. If you experience any problems accessing the form please **telephone 01872 221105 for Cornwall schools and 01392 342678 for Devon schools** and the team will be happy to help. Please note that as in previous years **you must opt into** the programme. If a consent form is not submitted your child will not be vaccinated.

If your child becomes wheezy or has their asthma medication increased after you submit this form, please contact us on the numbers above.

If you decide you do not want to vaccinate your child against flu, it would help us if you still complete and submit the consent form giving the reason. This will help us to plan and develop the service. Please tell us if you need this information in a different format.

Yours faithfully

School-Age Immunisation Team
Kernow Health

Chair: Dr Andrew Craze

Access the online consent form here: https://www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu

Parent Meetings

We will be holding parent/carer meetings in the week beginning **16th October**. Sign-up sheets are outside the classrooms. Alternatively, you can phone the office who can book an appointment for you. If you have not made an appointment yet then please do – these are important meetings.

THERE WILL NO CLUBS DURING THIS WEEK APART FROM FOOTBALL ON TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY.

School Disco

Thank you to the PTA for organising this terms school disco. This will take place on Wednesday 18th October. Key stage 1 at 5pm and key stage 2 at 6.15pm.

Harvest Festival

On the 12th October we will be holding two short harvest celebrations in Chacewater Church. One for reception and key stage 1 at 9.30am and one for key stage 2 at 10.30am. Parents and carers are welcome to attend these but please be mindful of available space in the church. During this week we will be taking a collection of goods for Truro Foodbank.

Lunchtime Supervisor

We are looking to expand our team of lunchtime supervisors. If you think you might be interested in working over the lunch period each day then please get in touch!

Class Photos

On Friday 20th October we will be welcoming Tempest to our school to take our annual class photographs. Please can you ensure that children are wearing school on this day.

End of half term

This half term will end on Friday 20th October. We have an inset day on Monday 30th October and therefore the first day back to school for the children will be Tuesday 31st October.

Reminders

Nut Free

Please remember that we are a nut free school. There are several children in school that have severe nut allergies and therefore we kindly ask that you avoid giving children nuts in packed lunches.

Breaktime Snacks

Fruit snack is only provided to children in key stage 1. Children in key stage 2 will need to bring in their own healthy snack for break time. Please also remember to send your children to school with a bottle containing water. Juice is allowed at lunchtime.

Asthma Pumps

If your child has an asthma pump then please do make sure that we have this in school.

Staff Car Park

We have noticed more people using the staff car park at the beginning and the end of the day. Please can I ask that you do not use this car park unless you need to access the disabled parking space.

Footwear

Please can you ensure that your children are wearing appropriate **black shoes** to school as part of our uniform. **Can we also request that children come to school with PE shoes that are suitable for outdoor PE.**

From the PTA

AUTUMN DISCO - WEDS 18th OCTOBER - WEDS 18th OCT

Tickets available to book NOW!

KS! Chacewater School PTA (pta-events.co.uk)

KS2 Chacewater School PTA (pta-events.co.uk)

We were very disappointed to have had to cancel the (rescheduled) summer fayre last week, after months of preparation and hours of organising, it really was a difficult decision to make but we believe it was the right one. Mother Nature always wins. Thankfully no money was lost and we are putting all of our energy now into Christmas events (yeah we said it)

So, speaking of Christmas.....

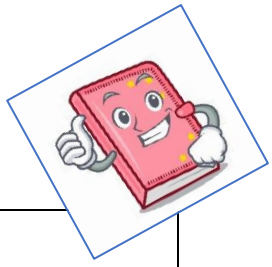
SAVE THE DATE - Sunday 19th December

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

..... Stay tuned for details coming soon.

Wreath Making Evening (Adults only event) is confirmed for Friday 1st December. Tickets are £27 and include everything you need to make a beautiful wreath, plus a mince pie and a mulled wine (or non alcoholic alternative). There will be a bar to purchase drinks plus lots of Christmas spirit.

To book visit here - Chacewater School PTA (pta-events.co.uk)



Dates For Your Diary	
10.10.23	Wear Yellow – World Mental Health Day
12.10.23	KS1 and KS2 Harvest Celebrations – Church
18.10.23	Autumn Disco
20.10.23	End of Half Term
30.10.23	INSET Day
31.10.23	Return to school
13.12.23	Christmas Lunch
19.12.23	End of autumn term
3.1.24	INSET Day
4.1.24	Start of spring term

GOLDEN AWARD WINNERS

ACORNS	Ivy & Jude
SEEDLINGS	Alivia & Locryn
BUDS	Pippa & Sienna
YOUNG OAKS	Ailla & Lewis
BUR OAKS	Nell & Alfie S
RED OAKS	Rain & Daisy-Louise
MIGHTY OAKS	Jack & Amelia

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WEEK 1

W/C: 30/10, 20/11, 11/12, 01/01, 22/01, 12/02, 04/03, 25/03

AUTUMN/WINTER 2023

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT SPECIALS	**Cheese and Tomato Pizza** Served with Potato Wedges	**Classic Beef Burger** Served with Potato Wedges	**Chicken, Vegetable and Mash Pie** Served with Gravy	**Beef Bolognese** Served with Wholewheat Pasta and Garlic and Herb Bread	**Breaded Fish Fingers** Served with Chips
HOT SPECIALS	**Stir Fried Vegetable Rice**	**Vegetarian Burger** Served with Potato Wedges	**Vegetable Pastry Roll** Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	**Vegetarian Bolognese** Served with Wholewheat Pasta and Garlic and Herb Bread	**Crispy Quorn Nuggets** Served with Chips
JACKET POTATO	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings, including Salmon Mayonnaise	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings
	Tomato Pasta Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta				
	All main meals are served with two vegetables				
DESSERT	**Beetroot Brownie**	**Crispy Crackle Bar with Fruit**	**Carrot, Orange and Sultana Slice**	**Original Flapjack**	**Vanilla Ice Cream**

PACKED LUNCH AVAILABLE
Ham and Cheese sandwich available daily with veg sticks and fresh fruit or dessert of the day

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY
Water, salad, freshly baked bread, yoghurt & fresh fruit

Vegetarian · Oily Fish · Wholegrain · Fruity! · Nutritionist's Choice

Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for.

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WEEK 2

W/C: 06/11, 27/11, 18/12, 08/01, 29/01, 19/02, 11/03

AUTUMN/WINTER 2023

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT SPECIALS	**Cheese and Tomato Pizza** Served with Potato Wedges	**Turkey Con Chilli** Served with Wholegrain Rice	**Roast Beef** Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	**Sausage Pasta Bake** Served with Garlic and Herb Bread	**Breaded Fish Fingers** Served with Chips
HOT SPECIALS	**Vegetarian Cottage Pie** Served with Gravy	**Macaroni Cheese**	**Cheesy Leek and Carrot Crumble** Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	**Vegetarian Sausage Pasta Bake** Served with Garlic and Herb Bread	**Crispy Quorn Nuggets** Served with Chips
JACKET POTATO	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings	**Jacket Potatoes** with a choice of hot and cold fillings
	Tomato Pasta Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta				
	All main meals are served with two vegetables				
DESSERT	**Apple Crumble with Custard**	**Crunchy Chocolate Biscuit**	**Chocolate and Vanilla Marble Cake**	**Carrot Cake**	**Strawberry Ice Cream**

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WEEK 3

W/C: 13/11, 04/12, 25/12, 15/01, 05/02, 26/02, 18/03

AUTUMN/WINTER 2023

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT SPECIALS	**Cheese and Tomato Pizza** Served with Potato Wedges	**Cottage Pie** Served with Gravy	**Roast Pork** Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	**Chicken and Vegetable Korma** Served with Wholegrain Rice	**Southern Fried Chicken** Served with Chips
HOT SPECIALS	**Chilli No Carne with Crispy Tortilla** Served with Wholegrain Rice	**Cauliflower Macaroni Cheese** Served with Garlic and Herb Bread	**Sweet Potato and Chickpea Roast** Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	**Sweet and Sour Vegetables** Served with Wholegrain Rice	**Crispy Quorn Nuggets** Served with Chips
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DESSERT	**Magic Apple and Cinnamon Bake**	**Strawberry Jelly**	**Banana Cake**	**Pineapple Upside Down Cake with Custard**	**Chocolate Ice Cream with Shortbread Biscuit**

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Job Vacancy

Clerk to the Council and Responsible Financial Officer

Part-time (15 hours a week): Hours can be annualised to cater for working parents/carers.

Hybrid working.

Location – Chacewater Parish Council, Chacewater, Truro, Cornwall

Salary – From £20,344 pro rata to the national scale which will depend on experience.

Chacewater Parish Council has an exciting opportunity to support the Council in their community work. If you have a genuine interest in helping our forward-thinking, pro-active, and energetic Council develop and deliver timely, quality and innovative services to the local community, this post is ideal. With around 1,500 households and 1,300 voters Chacewater, located between Truro and Redruth, is a rural parish which consists of numerous public rights of way, and a rich historic mining history set within a World Heritage Site.

You will ensure that all legal, statutory, financial and other governing provisions relating to the Council are observed, all Council meetings are properly administered, and decisions effectively implemented whilst developing healthy working partnerships with key local and regional bodies.

If you have not been involved in working with Councils before, look to your transferable skills and how these can benefit our Council. The successful applicant will have a proven record in administration and financial management with experience of managing people (volunteers or employees). You will be required to attend monthly evening Council meetings which are usually held on Wednesday/Friday evenings and other meetings as needed. This may involve some weekend work during the year. The day-to-day hours can be agreed to fit around you and can be flexible throughout the year depending upon workload.

Competence in IT such as managing a Microsoft 365 account and accounting software is essential with knowledge of website administration. (Training will be provided in the Scribe accounts package and Website administration). As a part of the projects team, you will be responsible for the administrative tasks and preparation of reports on various projects withing the parish.

You must be able to work on your own initiative, be willing to acquire new skills and take a proactive interest in the wellbeing of the community along with excellent interpersonal skills in order to work successfully with external organisations, Councillors and our community.

Benefits include 22 days annual leave (pro rata) plus bank holidays. The Council will fund membership of the Society of Local Council Clerks (SLCC)

Full Job Description and application details are available from parish.clerk@chacewater.org or download via www.chacewater.net. If you have questions or would like an informal chat with the outgoing clerk, you can call Chrissi on 01872 561387.

Closing date for applications is 5pm on Thursday 28th September 2023.

Interviews will take place Saturday 7th October 2023.

Your School Caterer has Vacancies

Are you interested in School Catering that fits around your family life?
If so, why not join our friendly professional Catering team.
Appropriate training will be given, and smart uniform provided.

General Kitchen Assistants - 10 Hours £10.42 per hour TERM TIME ONLY
Blackwater and Devoran

General Kitchen Assistants - 16 Hours £10.42 per hour TERM TIME ONLY
St Agnes, Perran Ar Worthal and Richard Lander

General Kitchen Assistant - 30 Hours £10.42 per hour TERM TIME ONLY
Richard Lander

Catering Manager - 30 Hours £11.44 per hour TERM TIME ONLY
Perran Ar Worthal

Relief Catering Manager - 30 Hours £11.44 per Hour TERM TIME ONLY
Truro and Falmouth Area

Relief General Kitchen Assistants - 16 Hours £10.42 per hour TERM TIME ONLY
Perran Ar Worthal and Bosvigo

Relief positions MUST be Drivers and have vehicle available for work with Business cover insurance – Mileage Paid

Further Details and application form can be found on Indeed
Or Contact Katie Cooper - Katie.cooper@compass-group.co.uk

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