# Bugle News

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Dear Parents,

We can see from the information below that not only are the children happy to be coming to school but they are also working very hard. The attendance has steadily improved throughout the school and it has been a long time since a class has had 100% attendance. Also the 172 texts that were sent home last Friday equals the most sent during the whole of last term – excellent!

Have a lovely weekend. Tim Wherry, Headteacher

## Achievers of the Week Ending 9th January 2015:

Reception Jacob Wells Year 1 Jay-David Geach Chloe Crowley Year 2 Carvs Cooper Year 3 Year 4 Jake Moore Year 5 Michael Clements Year 6 Lauren Webber

**Attendance Award** Year 6 - 100% - WOW! Classes of the Week Years 1, 3 and 6 **Buddies of the Week** Kelly Cooper and Shane Buckland

#### Good to Be Green

Well done to all of the children who continue to work hard and show excellent behaviour in school. 172 texts were sent to parents at the end of the Autumn Term, for children that had remained 'green' all week.



Well done!

# Year 4 have been learning about China.....

We skyped a lady called Angela in America, Angela had lived in China for 4 years. We asked her some questions about China and learnt a few Chinese words. We also learnt some interesting facts like a panda is their national animal and they are very rare. By Keira and Raphaela



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www.bugle.eschools.co.uk/website

### **Mobile Phone** Policy

#### Parents & other visitors:

We request that parents do not use mobile phones in the school building or grounds.

Should phone calls and/or texts need to be taken or made, use is restricted to



those areas not accessed by children or outside the school grounds in order to avoid any unnecessary disturbance or disruption to others.

Mobile phones must never be used to take photographs of children in the school building or grounds.

Any breach of these procedures could lead to the headteacher and governing body being informed and consequently disciplinary action according to the schools procedures.

We very much appreciate our parents' support in implementing this policy in order to keep your children/our pupils safe.

#### Scholastic Book Orders Great

News! We're running a Scholastic Book Club to earn free books for our school. We'll be sending the Book Club leaflets

home so that you and your child can choose from the latest exciting selection of books. Please place your order online at http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/bugle-

primary by 26th January. Thank you.

#### Diary Dates:

| _       | Diary Datet | <u> </u>                     |  |
|---------|-------------|------------------------------|--|
| 12/2/15 |             | FOBS Jumble Sale             |  |
|         | 16-20/2/15  | Half term                    |  |
|         | 23/2/15     | Staff Training Day           |  |
|         |             | (school closed for children) |  |
|         | 5/3/15      | World Book Day               |  |
|         | 13/3/15     | Red Nose Day                 |  |
|         | 27/3/15     | Last day of Spring Term      |  |
|         | 13/4/15     | Summer Term begins           |  |

25-29/5/15 Half term 1-2/6/15

Staff Training Day (school closed for children)

Last Day of Summer Term

# School Emergency Closures A Guide for Parents and Guardians – 2014/15

We recognise that the decision to close a school in the event of an emergency (eg snow, flooding, no water or heating) significantly impacts upon you, as parents and guardians. This document outlines the agreed procedure which all schools are asked to follow and offers advice to parents on the key things to consider, both before and after the decision to close has been made. Guidance Given to Schools

Guidance and procedures are sent to all schools on an annual basis, usually at the start of the autumn term. To prevent the possibility of fraudulent school closures, schools are required to follow a verification process before providing school closure information. Schools are then asked to:

- Undertake a risk assessment, using common sense to determine whether it is feasible for children and staff to remain in the school; and if not, what subsequent risks could arise by sending them home. Before school hours start, schools are also asked to assess if the roads are safe for children to travel to school.
- Seek approval from the Governing Body (usually the decision of the Chair of Governors will suffice) to authorise the decision to close.
- Notify Cornwall Council and the three local radio stations (BBC Radio Cornwall, Heart FM and Pirate FM). Providing the school follow the agreed procedure, each of the radio stations have all agreed to broadcast details of all school closures.

#### **Know Your School's Procedure**

Although schools are asked to follow the above procedure, all schools should have their own plan of action to be followed in the event of a closure. This should include details of how parents will be notified (e.g. via radio, text message systems). It is essential that schools communicate their plan to all parents as early as possible, and equally that all parents familiarise themselves with the agreed plan.

#### Who to Contact?

If the decision is made to close, you will be notified by the text.

Should you need to contact the school directly, please be aware that the line(s) may be busy or unavailable when a large number of parents are calling at the same time.

A full list of all schools closed in Cornwall can be found at:

http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/default.aspx?page=2295 You may also find the following websites useful:

#### **Cornwall Snow Advice**

www.cornwall.gov.uk/snow

Met Office, www.metoffice.gov.uk
Environment Agency, www.environmentagency.gov.uk
Devon & Cornwall Police
www.devon-cornwall.police.uk

**Coats** Now the weather has turned cold and wet, we would be grateful if parents could send their children to school with a named coat please.

**School Meals** Next week will be **Week 1** of our School Meals Menu:

| Day   | Main Meal   | Served with   | Pudding  |
|-------|---|---|--|
| Mon   | Pork and Pineapple Curry and Rice Or Pork Pie Potato Topping Or Oriental Noodle Stir Fry (V)            | Peas and<br>Sweetcorn<br>And Salad<br>Bar   | Chocolate and<br>Apricot Sponge<br>Slice,<br>Chocolate<br>Sauce Or<br>Fresh Fruit<br>Salad Or<br>Yoghurt |
| Tues  | Spaghetti Bolognaise and Homemade Bread Or Cheesy Leek and Lentil Potato Bake (V) And ½ Crusty Baguette | Boiled Potato Or Spaghetti Cauliflower and Broccoli and Spinach And Salad Bar                               | Fresh Orange<br>and Lemon<br>Drizzle Cake<br>Or Fresh Fruit<br>Salad Or<br>Yoghurt                       |
| Wed   | Roast Beef or<br>Pork and<br>Yorkshire<br>Pudding and<br>Gravy<br>Or Tuna Pasta<br>Bake (V)             | Roast Potatoes or Pasta And Fresh Carrots and Swede Fresh Cabbage and Spinach And Salad Bar                 | Peach and<br>Apple Crumble<br>Custard<br>Or Fresh Fruit<br>Salad Or<br>Yoghurt                           |
| Thurs | Cornish Pasty<br>Pie<br>Or Vegetable<br>Pasty (V)   | Creamed Potato and Gravy Baked Beans or Spaghetti Hoops And Salad Bar                                       | Fruit Jelly Or<br>Fresh Fruit<br>Salad Or<br>Yoghurt   |
| Fri   | Cod Fish<br>Fingers<br>Or Cheese and<br>Tomato Pizza<br>(V)   | Chips or<br>Jacket<br>Potato<br>And Bread<br>and Butter<br>And Peas<br>and<br>Sweetcorn<br>And Salad<br>Bar | Shortbread Slice with Fruit Platter Or Fresh Fruit Salad Or Yoghurt                                      |