



# Germoe School Newsletter

3rd October 2025



## MESSAGE FROM MISS BLACKBURN

Dear parents and carers

It's been a busy week again here at Germoe and Nysgerrig. Thank you to the year 5 and 6 parents who gave feedback on the residential, we are now busy looking at other options available.

I'd like to pay compliments to your children, they are always so helpful and polite. A particular thank you to the children in after school care who helped me pack my van full of instruments yesterday. Humphry Davy kindly allowed us to use theirs so we packed them up ready to return. You should be very proud of them all.

Wishing you a lovely weekend

Paula Blackburn

## **DIARY DATES**

### **Thursday 9th October**

YR to Y6 Nasal Flu Vaccines  
FROGS meeting @ 2pm

### **Friday 17th October**

Godrevy class out - Humphry Davy

### **Tuesday 21st October**

Harvest Festival 2pm @ Germoe Church

### **Wednesday 19th November**

Parent coffee/cake meeting 2.30 pm  
Swimming Gala @ Helston

### **Wednesday 3rd December**

KS2 Dress Rehearsal

### **Wednesday 10th December**

KS2 Christmas Production

### **Thursday 5th February**

Parent coffee/cake meeting 9.00 am

### **Wednesday 18th March**

Parent coffee/cake meeting 2.30 pm

### **Thursday 30th April**

Parent coffee/cake meeting 9.00 am

### **Monday 22nd June**

Parent coffee/cake meeting 2.30 pm

## **AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**

Clubs are open to year 1- 6 unless otherwise stated.

### **Monday:**

Football Years 3-6, with Mr Conway  
STEM (Science, Technology and engineering) with Miss Symons

### **Tuesday:**

Yoga with Miss Burns  
Environmental Explorers with Mrs Knight

### **Thursday:**

Art with Mrs Sukstiene

What is Environmental Explorers Club?  
Are you interested in the environment?  
Do you care about your planet? Join us  
for forest time, eco-activities and  
gardening. Bring wellies, waterproofs  
and old clothes.

## **WRAPAROUND CARE**

Breakfast Club available from 8am and  
after school care until 4:30pm daily

### **GODREVY CLASS UPDATE**

This week, we learnt about multiplying and dividing by 10, 100 and 1000 in maths. We used our place value columns to work out the answers and discovered that it is a lot easier than we thought it was at the beginning. Year Six have also learnt about algebra, it was actually quite fun.

On Tuesday, we did a yeast experiment where we put yeast, sugar and warm water in a bottle, then put a balloon over the top and they inflated because the yeast respired, which means it exchanged carbon dioxide with oxygen. When the balloon inflated, we drew a picture of it every five minutes.

Miss Symons' favourite lessons this week were our free-verse poetry lessons because our poems were more beautiful than she ever expected. We've been focusing on the harvest, if you want to hear our jaw-dropping, outstanding poems come to the Harvest Festival at Germoe Church.

Here is a sneak preview:

"The big, powerful pumpkins  
Look ready for a roast  
Like mini suns  
Resting just there  
In the chilling Autumn air  
If you didn't get to try any  
That just wouldn't be fair."

### **Twitter and Instagram**

The Federation of Germoe and Boskenwyn Schools are on twitter and Instagram!

Twitter: @BoskenwynGermoe

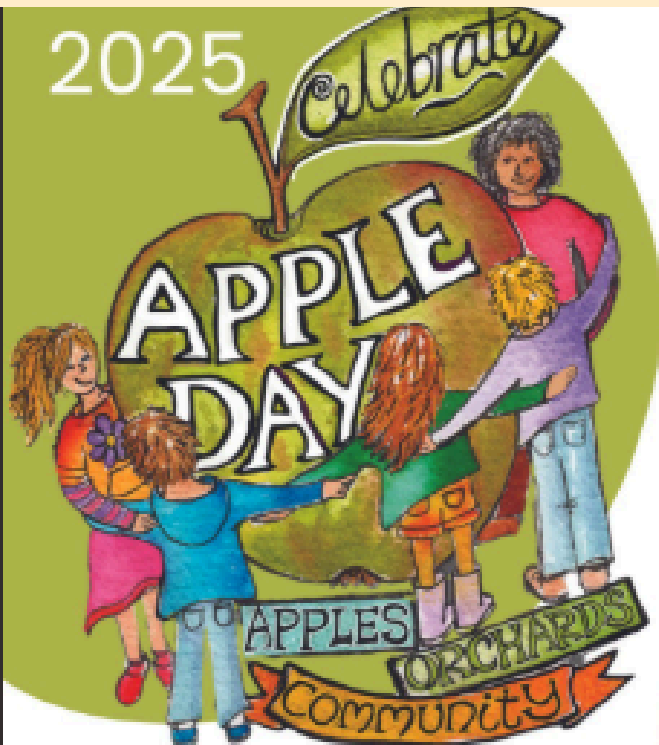
Instagram: boskenwyngermoe

Feel free to follow us and spread the word to encourage others to hear about the wonderful things happening in our schools.

What information do you need?	Where to find the information
I need to contact school urgently	Phone on 01736 763310
I need to contact school non-urgently	Email <a href="mailto:secretary.germoe@fbgschools.co.uk">secretary.germoe@fbgschools.co.uk</a> or email class teacher( <a href="#">name</a> plus @fbgschools.co.uk)
	School website
I need to find a list of teachers	<a href="http://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk">www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk</a>
	Our school – Meet the staff
I need to know term dates	<a href="#">Germoe Community Primary School - Term Dates - Academic calendars</a>
I need to see if my child has homework or upload their homework	See saw Reading records
I want to report my child absent from school	Phone call before 0900 on 01326 572618
	School website
I want to find out about upcoming dates, trips etc	<a href="http://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk">www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk</a> Calendar
	School website
I want to read a school policy	<a href="http://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk">www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk</a> Our school - Policies
	School website
I want to see the school development plan	<a href="http://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk">www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk</a> Our school – school development plan
	School website
I want to see what is on the lunch menu	<a href="http://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk">www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk</a> Parent info – Menu Summer term (being refreshed at the end of October)
	School website
I want to find out about clubs	<a href="http://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk">www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk</a> Parent info - Newsletter

I want to look at a past or present newsletter	School Website <a href="http://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk">www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk</a>
I need to know what the uniform is and school times	Parent info - Newsletter <a href="#">Germoe Community Primary School - School Prospectus</a>
I need to find out about academic and pastoral support	If you need help or have concerns regarding your child, please see your class teacher in the first instance. Discussion with your class teacher first will help them to meet the needs of your child. Further support can be sought by class staff, should this be needed.
I need to report a safeguarding matter to school	Phone or email 01736 763310 Paula Blackburn <a href="mailto:head@fbgschools.co.uk">head@fbgschools.co.uk</a> Angie Larcombe <a href="mailto:alarcombe@fbgschools.co.uk">alarcombe@fbgschools.co.uk</a> Katie Knight <a href="mailto:kknight@fbgschools.co.uk">kknight@fbgschools.co.uk</a>

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Saturday  
11th October  
11am until 6pm



Refreshments & Bar

Children's Games & Activities

Live Music all day, Procession  
Orchard Blessing, Ceilidh

Join Us!  
TR14 0DD

Rural Crafts & Demonstrations

Exhibition, Tasting, ID, Trees, Orchard Tours  
& Advice, Juice & Juice Pressing, Games,  
Traditions, Crafts, Cakes, Cider & more

The Apple!

Please car-share if you can  
or come by bus (T1 T2)...or  
on your bike....or your feet!



TICKETS

It's cheaper to book in advance  
Adults £5 (£6 on the day) Children  
6-16 £3 (£4 on the day) Carers and  
children 5 & under FREE



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# COMMUNITY ACTION FESTIVAL

AT HUMPHRY DAVY SCHOOL

**FRIDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**  
**12PM – 6PM**

**Free half-term family fun**  
**Cost of living and wellbeing support**

**FREE FOOD**

**FAMILY ACTIVITIES & ENTERTAINMENT**

**DISCOVER LOCAL SUPPORT  
AND COMMUNITY GROUPS**



**HOSTED BY**  
**ANDREW GEORGE MP**

