



Germoe School Newsletter

17th July 2026



MESSAGE FROM MISS BLACKBURN

Dear parents and carers,

As I mentioned a couple of weeks ago, the free school meals system is changing for September. You will be contacted in July if you are eligible for Free School Meals. If you have not been contacted by 1st August and you feel you should be entitled then please contact them through the portal below.

Synergy - Enquiry

A huge well done to all the children who participated in our school sports' day this week, to all the runners, those who did the photography, shouted the running orders and helped make it run smoothly for all involved. A massive thank you to FROGS to for their contributions and continued support.

Have a lovely weekend

Paula Blackburn

MENU CHANGE

Next Thursday there will be a change to the menu:

Meat pasties

Cheese pasties

Vegan sausage rolls

Gluten Free meat sausage rolls

LOST PROPERTY

Left at Germoe's Got Talent- a picnic blanket- please see Miss Symons

Left at the School Production- a black jacket- please see Miss Symons

General school lost property can be found in the wooden box in the foyer, please check this before the end of term as any items left will be disposed of over the summer holidays.

Please can all children bring a carrier bag in on Tuesday so that they can take their work home

LIBRARY

☀️ Help Us Build a Bright, New School Library! ☀️

We will soon start creating our beautiful, naturally lit reading space for the children, and we need your help to bring this project to life!

We are currently seeking donations of FREE double-glazed windows and doors.

✂️ Our Ideal Sizes:

Windows: 2× opening windows in frames (approx. 1m × 1m)

Doors: 1× pair of outward-opening, fully glazed double doors (approx. 2.1m high × 1.5m wide)

Have slightly different sizes? Please get in touch anyway—we would love to consider alternatives to help complete this project!

☎️ Ready to Donate, or know someone who will?

Contact Ben on 07710734233 with any details.

SCHOOL REPORTS

Reports are being sent on Monday, please note that the email you receive will come from the address: system@insighttracking.com and any replies will be sent to Mrs Care. You can download the report by following the link in the email, the link will work for a period of six weeks after the email is sent.

If you believe you should have received a report and have not, please contact Mrs Care.

ABSENCE REQUESTS

If your child is due to be absent during term time, an absence request form will need to be completed. This can be collected from the office. Please ensure these are handed back in 3 weeks before the proposed absence as they need to be shared before a decision can be made around whether it is authorised

SCHOOL MONEY DEBTS

Please can we ask that any outstanding debts on school money are paid in full as soon as possible, especially those pupils that will be leaving us at the end of this term. All school money accounts need to be brought up to date before we break up for the summer holidays.

Thank you

Year 6 Parents

Below is a link to a brilliant article all about supporting your children with their transition to secondary school. It is a great read with some handy tips to support a smooth start to Year 7!

<https://charliewaller.org/mental-health-resources/supporting-school-transitions>

As a school which likes to spend a lot of time outside it is important that children are always ready for this.

Our school uniform is:
sweatshirt/navy jumper or cardigan,
polo shirt/ t-shirt, white/light blue
navy/black trousers/joggers/leggings/skirt
blue school summer dresses

In the interest of safety please also ensure children are:
wearing closed-toe shoes, not slip-ons
only wearing stud earrings
Not wearing fake nails

In the warm weather we have been having recently we also strongly recommend children bring a hat and suncream with them to school, along with a water bottle.

DONATED UNIFORM

We have a selection of trousers, skirts, polo shirts, t-shirts, jumpers, tracksuits that have been donated and are free to a good home. If you are looking for some uniform please come to the office

DONATED BRAND NEW SHOES/TRAINERS

We have kindly been given some brand new shoes/trainers that are still in the box. If you are interested please pop into the office.

DIARY DATES

Monday 20th July

Leavers Service

Thursday 23rd July

Break up for summer

Thursday 3rd September

Back to school

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

There will not be any clubs on next week.

WRAPAROUND CARE

Breakfast Club available from 8am and after school care until 4:30pm every day next week until we break up.

WHERE TO FIND INFORMATION

https://www.germoe.cornwall.sch.uk/web/parent_information_finder/

SOUNDS WRITE

<https://sounds-write.co.uk/decodables-help/>

Please use the link to a course about how to support your children with their reading at home an explanation of how Sounds-Write books work, (if parents would like to)

GODREVVY CLASS UPDATE

In Godrevy Class we have been studying Macbeth and today we created statues based on either Macbeth becoming king, or when he realises that people have worked out what he has done. We've really enjoyed our first Shakespeare unit and have had a lot of fun with the drama elements.

Year 6 have started planning the things they would like to do before moving on to secondary school and this included a full KS2 rounders match yesterday (which year 6 won) and a class waterfight this afternoon. Everybody was very soggy, including the teachers!

Even though next week is Year 6s final week at Germoe we are determined to squeeze in lots of fun together before they head off on their new adventures!

PARKING PROBLEMS – WE NEED YOUR HELP!

We have a lot of cars trying to drop off and collect children twice a day. We don't have much space, and the car park often gets congested.

We have a large pile of logs in the corner of the car park that needs to be gone. Please help yourselves to wood! We also have a pile of rubble in the driveway – is anyone able to help clear this?

We also need your help for ideas. What suggestions might you have that would help to solve our parking problems? Follow this link to have your say – Germoe School Parking Solutions Survey – Fill in form

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/cSEKQnWvyA>

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.

Mental Health Support Team Wild Wellbeing

This summer please join MHST and other partners for a FREE Wild Wellbeing session at various locations across Cornwall.

This is for parents and children aged 5-12 in Cornwall to help understand and support emotional and mental wellbeing.

Please book EACH child on to a session

The sessions will last approx. 2 hours and sign up will close one week before the event, or when sessions are full.

Locations and dates

All sessions begin at 10am

Tuesday 28 July - **Trengwainton Gardens**

Tuesday 28 July - **Golitha Falls**

Thursday 30 July - **The Core, St Ives Orchard**

Monday 3 August - **Tehidy Woods**

Tuesday 4 August - **Penrose Estate**

Wednesday 5 August - **Lanhydrock**

Wednesday 12 August - **Kennack Sands**

Thursday 13 August - **The Grove, Morrab Gardens**

Tuesday 18 August - **Lanhydrock**

Wednesday 19 August - **The Grove, Morrab
Gardens**

Monday 24 August - **Tehidy Woods**

Tuesday 25 August - **Trengwainton Gardens**

Tuesday 25 August - **Dipping Pond**

To book a place
please complete the
online form or scan
the QR code to sign
up



<https://forms.office.com/e/XSQp0XRw5a>

Follow us on Facebook for updates and upcoming events:
Cornwall Mental Health Support Team (MHST)



The Time2Move Holiday Programme will offer fun physical activities, games and wider activities plus a hot meal for all children at lunchtime. Activities will be taking place across the School Holidays and is available to all children aged 7 to 16 years. Places are limited to 80 per day so booking is essential. During the sessions, children will be able to take part in a variety of activities such as:

- Football
 - Basketball
 - Soft Archery & Nerf Guns
 - Badminton
 - Netball
 - Dodgeball
 - Karaoke
 - Crossbow & Laser Tag
 - Dodgeball/Benchball & Kinball
- Sessions run from 10am to 2pm.

Each day the fantastic team in the Humphry Davy School Kitchen will be providing lunch and fruit for all children that attend. Please make sure you write on the registration forms if your child has any special dietary requirements and we will liaise with the team to make sure they can still enjoy a hot meal. If you would prefer to send your child with a packed lunch that is absolutely fine.

Each day please send your child/children wearing comfortable clothes and shoes to be able to run around in, a refillable water bottle, any medication they may need clearly marked and a coat in case the weather allows us to go outside for activities.

24th -26th August 26

<https://playwaze.com/humphry-davy-school/4r399obbm9i9xd/session-display?eventId=PhysicalEventSeries%2F131046-B&overrideAdminView=True>

BIKEABILITY THIS SUMMER!

Build skills. Boost confidence.
Ride safe for life.



SPACES
AVAILABLE
BOOK NOW!



OPPORTUNITIES ACROSS:



CALLINGTON



ST AUSTELL



PENZANCE



MOUNT HAWKE



ADAPTED CYCLING

Inclusive sessions
for all abilities.
Fun, supportive
and empowering.



LEARN TO RIDE

Build confidence
from the start.
Balance, control
and lots of fun!



LEVEL 1

Cycle control
and road skills.
Perfect for getting
started.



LEVEL 2 / 3

Take your skills
further. Ride
independently
and with confidence.



SESSIONS THROUGHOUT
THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS!



BOOK YOUR PLACE TODAY AND
LET'S RIDE TOWARDS ADVENTURE!



£10
per
child

Summer Holiday Art Workshops

At Newlyn Art Gallery

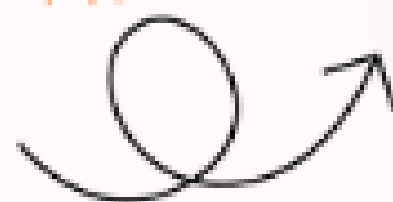
Thursdays.....30th Jul,

6th, 13th & 27th Aug

10:00-11:00 or
11:30-12:30

for approx
2-10yr olds

Book
Now!

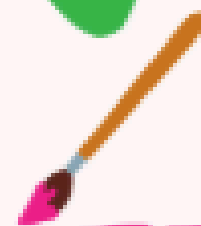


Email Annie to book
newlynlittleartists@yahoo.com

Woodlands
Nursery
Alverton
School

OPEN to ALL
SCHOOLS!

Little
Artists
Cornwall



Summer Art Camp

Mon 17th to Fri 21st August
DROP OFF 9am-3pm. Ages 5-10

- Mon - Create your own 3D townhouse & everything inside!
- Tues - Nature Science from Slime to FIZZY cornflour Gloop!
- Weds - Design & Create your own cafe business, with shop fronts, menus, 3D Cakes & more!
- Thurs - Make your own Toys & Games, Bead rollercoasters, Marble Runs, wearable wings & More!
- Fri - Star in your own Art Exhibition, with Self Portraits, 3D Art Gallery, Plasticine Landscapes & More!

A space for your child to develop new creative skills & grow in confidence, while having fun & making new friends!

£40
per day

Book all week
or individual
days!

Book now, spaces are limited....
newlynlittleartists@yahoo.com

Rosudgeon Cricket Club

JUNIOR CRICKET COACHING!

For Ages 9-15

**Every Wednesday
from 13th May
6:00 - 7:30pm**



All Abilities Welcome!



All Equipment Provided!



Qualified Coaches!

**FREE
FOR EVERYBODY!**

**COME AND
GIVE IT A GO!**



Contact Andrew on 07971 570871

KERNOW YOUNG CARERS



**Changing childhoods.
Changing lives.**

**Kernow Young Carers Service
is in its fifth year of partnership
with CRCC, Disability Cornwall, Promas
and Age UK to form the Cornwall Carers Service.
Together we deliver a range of free high quality support
services for unpaid Carers throughout Cornwall. These
services include emotional support, information, advice and
guidance, statutory assessments, access to grants,
community support, carer specific training and dedicated
services for Young Adult Carers (18-25 year old Carers)
and Young Carers.**



**Do remember that the Advice Line on 01736 756655
is available on
Tuesday/Thursday 9-7pm and
Monday/Wednesday/Friday 9-5pm
to advise on any of the above.**



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media and
keep up to date with
useful
resources,
opportunities and
activities countywide
for you
and your family!**

**www.cornwallcarers.org.uk
facebook.com/CornwallCarersService
twitter.com/cornwallCS**

**Especially for Young Adult Carers:
instagram.com/cornwallyac**