



## Germoe Community Primary School Newsletter for Week Commencing 18<sup>th</sup> December 2017



| DATE  | BREAKFAST CLUB WILL BE ON EVERY MORNING         |
|-------|---|
| Mon   | NO CLUB   |
| Tues  | Crosscountry                  Drum lessons      |
| Wed   | BREAK UP @ 1.30 PM    MERRY CHRISTMAS EVERYBODY |
| Thurs |   |
| Fri   |   |

### \*STARS OF THE WEEK\*

**PORTHURNO CLASS** – Stanley for fantastic maths  
**SENNEN CLASS** – Rosie for being super helpful during RE  
**GODREY CLASS** – Kitty for fantastic effort with her writing

**Please can we ask that all parents refrain from entering the classroom with their children in the mornings. Thank you**

### CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY – LAST DAY OF TERM WEDNESDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> 50P DONATION TOWARDS SCHOOL FUND RAISING FOR THE TOILET REFURBISHMENT



### FROGS NEWS

**LATEST FUNDRAISING – TOILET REFURBISHMENT** We have recently been given a very kind anonymous donation of £400-00 towards the fundraising for the toilets. All money raised from recent events and our future events will be going towards this cause so please help in any way you can.

### **CHRISTMAS FAIR TOMORROW SATURDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER AT SCHOOL 11.00 – 3.00**

We would be grateful for contributions of jam jars filled with goodies. Ideas - sweets, hair clips/ties, small toys, stationary etc and also any Christmas baked goods would really be appreciated. Many thanks!

There will be Santa's Grotto, stalls selling cards, crafts, gifts etc, refreshments, wreath making., Any volunteer helpers or cake/bun makers will be gratefully received. We would also love to receive donations of any spare arts & craft items such as glitter, ribbons, tinsel or anything else to make some Christmas wreaths. We will have a raffle/tombola during the fair. Any donations of prizes would be much appreciated!

**BAGS TO SCHOOLS** – Well done and thank you to all of you who donated bags to school we raised an amazing £88-00

### **OTHER INFORMATION/ADVANCE NOTICES**

**BOOK FAIR** -Due to a miscommunication between Scholastic and their delivery company they have not been able to deliver the books to us for our Book Fair so it has had to be cancelled.

**MENU CHANGE** – on Wednesday the lunch option will be fish and chips instead of roast.

**CHRISTMAS PRODUCTION** We would all like to say a massive thank you FROGS for organising the refreshments and raffle on Monday. They raised in total £186-80 which will go towards our fundraising for the toilet refurbishment. Also a really big well done to all the children and to the staff for a wonderful performance

**SWIMMING** will recommence in the spring term (January 10<sup>th</sup>) on Wednesday mornings. Please note children will be required to be in school by 8.25 am **at the latest** as we will be leaving school by coach at 8.30am so that children can be changed and at poolside by 9.00 am. Unfortunately, due to budget cuts and increased travel expenses, we have had to increase the cost of swimming to £3.50 a week next term. There will be 10 sessions for years 1-6. You can either pay £35 at the beginning of term or £3.50 a week for 10 weeks. We feel it is really important for children to learn how to swim well considering our locality and although we appreciate that it does cost money, the swimming will no longer be sustainable for the whole school if we don't get enough parent contributions in. If you need any help with payments, please call into the office and we can discuss a payment plan.

**YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOU** - In order to run a high provision and interesting array of afterschool sports' clubs we are desperately seeking parent volunteers. If you have a keen interest in **any** sport (cycling, football, hockey, rugby, gymnastics or dance for example) and would be able to spare an hour or so a week to help coach -we would love your help. Please see Mrs Jones or Mrs Care. DBS costs would be covered by the school.

**FACEBOOK PAGE** – We have created a public Facebook page called Germoe Community Primary School. This is a public page that everybody can see. The aim is to promote the school and give some essential information about us and what we do. We have also created a closed group called **Germoe School and FROGS**. This is a group where only the members can see what it is posted, or post something on it. With this page we would like to improve communication amongst parents, sharing information about school events, trips, etc. and give FROGS the opportunity to give out all the relevant information about their amazing work and activities. To join this group, just search on Facebook for the group and ask to join it!

### **EARLY YEARS FUNDING**

To find out if you are eligible, please look at Childcare Choices:  
website <https://www.childcarechoices.gov.uk/>

**MESSY CHURCH CHRISTINGLE** will be at Marazion All Saints' Church at 4pm on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December. It'll be a fun family time to celebrate the work of The Children's Society in a Messy Church sort of way. Everybody welcome. See Facebook: Marazion Messy Church.

## **Diary Dates**

### **December**

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup>

Monday 18<sup>th</sup>

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup>

Christmas Fair

Class 3 Humphry Davy Panto

Christmas Jumper day

**BREAK UP @ 1.30 PM**