



Please find Information and dates for your diaries.

"Biscovey's got Talent" Final

This event was held yesterday in front of a very appreciative audience of families and staff. We congratulate all children who took part and will bring you up to date with winners and photos in due course. All finalists certainly did prove that "Biscovey HAS got talent!"

We wish our children, families and staff a relaxing half term break, when the weather allows, and look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Monday 28th February. Thank you.

Attendance/Punctuality



We remind parents and children that our pedestrian gates currently open at 8:40 with registration at 8:50 meaning that by this time ALL children should be in the classroom, calm and ready to learn.

THE SCHOOL BELL WILL SOUND DAILY AT 8:50 TO INDICATE THE START OF THE SCHOOL DAY. ADDITIONALLY, THE VEHICULAR GATES AT THE FRONT OF THE SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED AT 8.50.

If your child is unable to attend school for any reason, please contact the school office via email or telephone, stating the reason for absence, by 9am. Thank you.

WE WILL EMAIL UPDATED INFORMATION REGARDING DROP OFF AND PICK UP ARRANGEMENTS (STARTING AFTER HALF TERM) SEPERATELY TO THIS NEWSLETTER SO PLEASE CHECK YOUR ACCOUNTS, THANK YOU.



AWARD WINNERS OF OUR 'HOT CHOCOLATE CLUB' AND 'SPECIAL SUBJECTS' WILL BE NAMED IN THE NEXT NEWSLETTER – Thank you



BISCOVEY ACADEMY UNIFORM

WE HAVE NOTICED RECENTLY THAT NOT ALL CHILDREN ARE WEARING OUR FULL SCHOOL UNIFORM WHEN ATTENDING SCHOOL.

WE THEREFORE REMIND YOU OF OUR UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS BELOW ...

Our uniform consists of navy blue jumpers with school logo, white school shirt to wear with clip on school tie. Girls can wear black/grey skirts or trousers whilst the boys wear black trousers or school shorts.

Black school shoes are also to be worn.

PE uniform is as follows; boys and girls wear PE t-shirts with school logo and black PE shorts. For added warmth a hooded top with school logo along with PLAIN black or navy jogging bottoms may be worn. Plain black/white trainers.

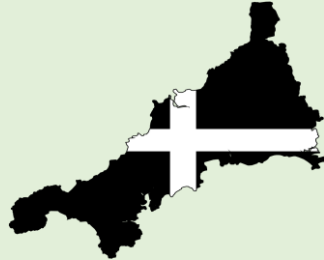
Our stockist of school uniform is the online shop of PMG schoolwear – please use this link <https://pmgschoolwear.co.uk/index.php>

We do have some stock of new ties and some larger sizes of jumpers available so please check with the office. Additionally, we have some 'pre-loved' items available for a small donation.

PLEASE NOTE THAT FOLLOWING FEEDBACK FROM PARENTS

WE ARE REVIEWING OUR SUPPLIER OF UNIFORM

ADVANCE NOTICE - OUR SCHOOL CATERER WILL BE OFFERING A CORNISH MENU ON THURSDAY 3RD MARCH TO CELEBRATE ST. PIRAN'S DAY



Cornish Steak Pasty or Cheese and Onion Pasty

OR Jacket Potato

Followed by a Cornish Fairing Biscuit

(ORDER ON THE DAY)



TREETOPS WRAPAROUND CARE WILL BE CLOSED TODAY AND DURING HALF TERM.

WE WILL REOPEN ON MONDAY 28TH FEBRUARY. Thank you.



We are very excited to now be able to plan and offer activities for the children this year, some of which, require parent contributions to help us cover the costs. We therefore ask that parents sign up to ParentPay, a secure online method of making payments for your child's trips, swimming, clubs and lunches etc. **The majority of parents have activated their accounts but if you are aware that you are yet to do this and require the details to be reissued to you, please contact the school office.** Thank you.

SWIMMING SESSIONS

This term, all children will be swimming as part of our P.E. curriculum offer. Every class is allocated one week, during which they will swim for one hour every day at Polkyth Leisure Centre. Please see timetable below.

**PLEASE NOTE A CHANGE TO TIMETABLE BELOW – ROWAN CLASS (NOT SYCAMORE)
WILL SWIM W/C 28TH FEBRUARY - THANK YOU**

Swimming Timetable 2022	
24 th -28 th January	Hazel (Mr. Jewell) Hawthorn (Mr. Wallbank/Miss. Swift)
31 st Jan - 4 th February	Ash (Mrs. Polak) Maple (Miss Munson)
7 th -11 th February	Rowan (Mrs. Bird/Mrs Walters) Holly (Mr. Parker)
28 th Feb -4 th March	Sycamore (Miss. Catt) Cedar (Miss. Vickery)
7 th -11 th March	Juniper (Mrs. Hopkinson) Palm (Mr. Campbell)

We ask for a contribution towards transport to the pool and the payment option is now available on your ParentPay accounts. Please speak to the office staff if you encounter any problems making this payment. Thank you.



PE SESSIONS FOR ALL CLASSES CONTINUE AS BELOW

	9:30 – 10:30	10:45 – 11:45	1:00-2:00	2:00-3:00
Monday	Hawthorn	Hazel	Holly	Maple
Tuesday	Rowan	Ash	Palm	Juniper
Wednesday	Cedar	Sycamore	Hawthorn	Hazel
Thursday	Holly	Maple	Rowan	Ash
Friday	Palm	Juniper	Cedar	Sycamore

CAMERA WATCHES



We are noticing an increase in the number of children wearing VTech watches or watches with camera/ video recording capabilities. As a result, we ask that such watches are not worn to school at all as they are regarded as a safeguarding risk. Should a child wear such a watch to school they will be asked to give it to the class teacher who will hand it back to parents/ carers during collection at the end of the day.

Thank you for your ongoing support and understanding.

Dates for your diary...	
SPRING TERM 2022	
18.02.22	STAFF TRAINING DAY (SCHOOL CLOSED)
28.02.22	CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL
03.03.22	ASPENS CATERING – Change to school lunch menu celebrating St. Piran's Day (menu above, order on the day)
08.04.22	LAST DAY OF SPRING TERM
11.04.22 to 22.04.22	EASTER HOLIDAY
SUMMER TERM	
25.04.22	RETURN TO SCHOOL
27-29.04.22	YEAR 4 DELAWARE CAMP
02.05.22	MAY BANK HOLIDAY (1 day)
23-25.05.22	YEAR 5 PORTHPEAN CAMP
30.05.22 to 03.06.22	HALF TERM
13-17.06.22	YEAR 6 RESIDENTIAL CAMP TO GREAT WOOD CENTRE
22.07.22	LAST DAY OF TERM

