

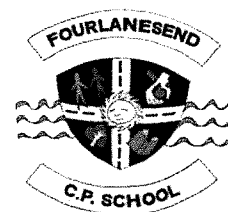
# Fourlanesend Community Primary School

CAWSAND  
TORPOINT  
CORNWALL  
PL10 1LR

Tel: 01752 822502

Email: [head@fourlanesend.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:head@fourlanesend.cornwall.sch.uk)  
Website: [www.fourlanesendprimary.co.uk](http://www.fourlanesendprimary.co.uk)

15th February 2019



**Message from Head teacher:** Just to announce our Easter Bonnet theme for our Easter Celebration on the 5th April. To fit with our topic, the bonnet theme this year is weather. As usual there will be prizes for the most creative bonnets in each class. You have all received your child's half yearly attendance sheet. If attendance is below the average you will receive a letter. If you have any concerns or questions please contact us. Thank you all for all your support this half term I hope you all enjoy a restful half term holiday.

## Dates For Your Diary

**Tues 15th Jan - Tues 26th Mar** - Swimming lessons every Tuesday (Yrs 4, 5 & 6).

**Mon 18th - Fri 22nd Feb** - Half term.

**Mon 25th Feb** - Back to school.

**Thurs 28th March** - FAST meeting 3:15-5pm. All welcome.

**Thurs 7th March** - World Book Day.

**Fri 8th Mar** - Landrake Inter School Cross Country Run (KS2). Please ask at the office for further information.

**Weds 13th Mar** - Parents evening.

**Thurs 14th Mar** - Football match v Pensilva (away).

**Thurs 14th Mar** - FAST meeting 3:15-5pm. All welcome.

**Weds 20th Mar** - Yr 5 Junior Life Skills at Liskeard Fire Station.

**Thurs 28th Mar** - FAST meeting 3:15-5pm. All welcome.

**Fri 5th Apr** - Last day of term & Easter Celebration.

**Mon 8th Apr - Mon 22nd Apr** - Easter holidays.

**Tues 23rd Apr** - Inset day.

**Weds 24th Apr** - Back to school.

**Thurs 23rd May** - Class photos.

**Fri 24th May** - Sports day.

## Donations of Toys & Games for Wet Play

If anybody is having a clear out and getting rid of any toys/games/puzzles, we would really appreciate them for wet play times. Thank you.

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUB AT FOURLANESEND

**3:15pm-5:30pm**

Please contact the office to book a place for your child.

Places **MUST** be booked at least 24hrs in advance.

## School Council - Comic Relief

We were thrilled and delighted to receive a handwritten reply to our letter to David Attenborough regarding the use of plastic for red noses and the fact they are single use. He thanked us for the letter and thinks we are perfectly correct to raise the question of replacing plastic products wherever we can and he hopes we get an adequate answer from Comic Relief. Comic Relief have replied to our letter - please see reverse side of the newsletter. We have many thoughts and questions on their reply and we will be addressing these and writing a thoughtful response to it after half term.

## Book Quest Certificate Information

It is very important that children read a range of books. In KS2 (Tamar & Lynher), children are expected to read 2 books from 5 different genres (10 books in total):

- Fiction fantasy
- Graphic Novel
- Fiction - real world
- Poetry
- Non fiction

In KS1 (Plym & Cremyll), children are expected to read 10 books: **At least 2 out of the 10 must be non-fiction.** The books can include books that are your reading books from school with a mixture of books from home or our school library. This will help to ensure that children are accessing a range of **fiction and non-fiction**, which will support their vocabulary, word identification, retrieving information from books, understanding the structure of different texts and promote a love of reading.

## Class News

**Class Lynher** - We went to the Eden Project on Wednesday and met the author of Beetle Boy who signed our class book! The Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra came in yesterday. They did a workshop with us, creating a piece of music which we performed to the rest of the school. We are looking forward to fill a jar later today. By Jack & Lottie

**Class Tamar** - We researched information about how plastics damage the ocean and wrote letters to our parents to persuade them to reduce their plastic use. We wrote a diary entry about what it would be like to marvel at a miracle and experience it first hand. By Giorgia & Ollie

**Class Cremyll** - We researched extreme weather conditions and how they affect us. We then made posters about how to stay safe during a flood, blizzard or heat wave. We have been learning about shadows and how they change length and direction throughout the day. By Oscar & Casey-Jo

**Class Plym** - We have been thinking about kindness and how we can be kind to one another. We have learnt the story of St George and made our own puppets to retell the story. By Riley & Millie

## Food Allergies

A reminder that if your child has any food allergies then Chartwells require a form to be filled out (available from the office) which must be accompanied by a letter from the doctor in order to be able to cater properly for your child's dietary needs.



We'd like to thank you once again for your fantastic fundraising efforts.

We look forward to seeing the results of your efforts this year and hope that you will continue to support Comic Relief in the future with your fundraising ideas.

Yours faithfully

February 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019

Dear Fourlanesend School Council,

Thank you very much for your letter of 30<sup>th</sup> January.

It is always great to hear from schools who are taking part in Red Nose Day 2019. Fourlanesend School's plans for pupils to get involved, including baking cakes and participating in a wake and shake, sound absolutely fantastic. Your ongoing support to Comic Relief is massively appreciated. We're really grateful to everyone who wants to fundraise in support of people living incredibly tough lives in the UK and in some of the world's poorest communities.

You may be interested to know that, last time around, for Red Nose Day in 2017, you and the other generous people in the South West raised and donated more than £599,000. This money has been hard at work in the local area ever since, with 75 projects and organisations funded across the region.

We're sorry that you have concerns about the impact on the environment the noses may have and have chosen not to order any for pupils to wear on the day. We understand. We too watched Sir David Attenborough's documentary, and as a rural school near the coast your community in Cornwall has experienced the issues raised first-hand.

Red Noses raise a huge amount of money for amazing causes. We spend a lot of time with the companies we work with, like Sainsbury's, coming up with bespoke designs for each Red Nose Day as we try to create collectible, cherished toys which people will keep and repurpose well beyond the day itself. Often, in our experience, they crop up in fancy dress games, or art projects. For those who don't want to keep the noses, Sainsbury's also offers the opportunity to bring them back into store to be recycled for other uses.

Nonetheless, we recognise our responsibility to ensure that all our campaign products which raise so much for good causes are as environmentally friendly as possible. As well as removing and reducing plastics from a range of our items already, please be assured that we're already working with an ethical sourcing specialist and our partners to review materials used in our merchandise to explore solutions and alternatives for future years.

**Liz Warner**  
Chief Executive  
Comic Relief

**Kate Philipps**  
Controller  
Entertainment  
Commissioning  
BBC