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Message from Head teacher: Please check your class letter/topic map to find out what your children are up to this term. We have exciting news about our displays around school this year. Local artists are going to be producing them for us. Class teachers will still produce the ones in the classrooms, so please bear with us. We are very excited as these will reflect the uniqueness of Fourlanesend and our community. If you have any artistic display skills and would like to help, please let us know.

Dates For Your Diary

Tues 1st Oct - Open the Book Celebration at the Congregational Church, 10am.

Thurs 3rd Oct - Nasal Flu Immunisations (whole school).

Mon 21st Oct - Fri 25th Oct - Half term.

Thurs 14th Nov - Tempest individual photos.

Thurs 21st Nov - Yr 1 hearing screening.

Thurs 19th Dec - Last day of term.

Fri 20th Dec - Inset day.

Aldi Kit for Schools Stickers

We are collecting the Aldi Kit for Schools Stickers. If you shop in Aldi, please send in your stickers for our chance to win a school sports kit and also a cash prize of £20000! The collection box is in the office and we need 300 stickers so please ask any friends/relatives who shop in Aldi for them as well. Thank you.

Class Lynher DT Project

Class Lynher need cardboard tubes and cereal boxes for their DT project. Please can you send in as many as you can. Thank you.

Summer Reading Challenge

For anyone who hasn't quite finished the Summer Reading Challenge it is finishing at The Rame Centre on Saturday 14th September at 1pm.

School Admissions

If your child is due to start secondary school in September 2020, the deadline for applications is 31st October 2019. If you have a child born between 1st September 2015 and 31st August 2016, you need to apply for a place in a reception class in September 2020 by the deadline of 15th January 2020. You can apply online at www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions.

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.

Chartwells School Dinner Menu - Census Day Thursday 3rd October

Hot Dog/Quorn Hot Dog with Wedges and Beans

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Chocolate Ice Cream or Fruit/Yoghurt (Jacket Potatoes also available).

Message from The Devon & Cornwall Inn: Parents Breakfast Club

Come and join us at The Devon & Cornwall Inn for our new, super casual Parent Breakfast Club every Monday during term between 8.45am-10.30am. Whether you treat yourself to an indulgent breakfast with no dishes to do, or you just fancy a chat/cry/celebration with fellow parents, then we can do that too! All parents/carers/grandparents are welcome to join us; as are younger siblings. We have a selection of books, puzzles & colouring packs to keep the little ones entertained plus free Wi-Fi and Sky TV available throughout the bar area. The perfect relaxing start to the school week! Booking isn't required but is advisable to secure a table and please inform us in advance if there are any specific allergies or dietary requirements. Please check out our Facebook page for full menu information as well as the list of all our upcoming events, parties and special offers. We really hope that you will join us and we look forward to welcoming you to The D&C soon! Ryan & Fran

Guitar Lessons

Guitar lessons have started with instructor Gavin Wilson, every Friday. If you would like your child to learn guitar, please let the office know. Lessons are taught in pairs and are £10 for half an hour. Children in receipt of free school meals are entitled to a 50% discount. To find out more about Gavin, please visit his Facebook page - My Guitar Lessons Plymouth or email him: gav0409@hotmail.co.uk.

Class News

Class Lynher - In PE we have started gymnastics and tag rugby and in DT we are learning about free standing structures - we have started making towers out of spaghetti and marshmallows! Today we enjoyed an online lesson all about Roald Dahl and his writing as it is his birthday. By Kacie & Lilah

Class Tamar - We have started learning about the Stone Age and used our confidence to create an advert about why bow and arrows are better than spears! We have started reading 'Ottoline and the Yellow Cat' and have written predictions about what we think will happen next. We have learnt the different parts of plants and what their functions are. We have also played tag rugby and tackled obstacle courses in PE. By Fenn, Lara & Lauren

Class Cremyll - We have decorated our bookmarks for our reading incentive. In English we have started a new book called 'The Rabbit Problem' to help us learn the months of the year. In PE we practised lots of different ways to balance and for our whole school topic we have looked at different types of maps and the earth from space. By Eva

Class Plym - We have continued to settle into our new classroom and learning about the school values. We have learnt new sounds - s,a,t,p & i and are learning to sound out and blend simple words. We've also been looking at foods that we like and dislike. By Tara & Savannah

The Cornish Landscape Labyrinth

Last term, KS2 did some work with Golden Tree to teach them about the humble Cornish hedge. It was great to see children working with a local master hedger to restore a stretch of Cornish hedge, and learn about their environmental, historical and cultural importance. Later this year work will begin on the Kerdroya Cornish Landscape Labyrinth up at Colliford Lake on Bodmin Moor - a 50m diameter classical labyrinth built entirely from Cornish hedging. They have just released a video explaining the project. If you're interested you can watch it using the following link: <https://vimeo.com/349442492>.