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## Newsletter

**MONDAY 2ND MAY—BANK HOLIDAY—SCHOOL CLOSED**

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**THURSDAY 5TH MAY—POLLING DAY—THERE WILL BE NO MORNING OR AFTERNOON SESSIONS IN BBEBIES.**



As April draws to a close with all of its hail, sunshine, showers and storms, we look forward to the beginning of Summer, starting with May Bank Holiday. For those of you celebrating Obby Oss day in Padstow on Sunday, we wish you a great day with your families.

Thank you to our 'eagle-eyed' parents for spotting the spelling mistake in their child's spelling list, enabling us to quickly address it and put things right. Thankfully I can reassure you that this was just a typo and not a reflection upon staff's subject knowledge! Please continue to let us know as quickly as possible if you spot an error, as it really helps.

I am sure you are all aware of the additional polling day on Thursday 23rd June, where we have the opportunity to vote on our future as part of the EU. Don't forget to check you're registered at <https://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote> or you may not be eligible to take part.



Mrs Dalton

### Attendance by Class

**Congratulations to Rainbows 1 Class with 97.5% attendance.**

If your child is absent from school, please call into reception on 01726 64322

Rainbows 1	97.5	
Rainbows 2	97.2	
Little Doves	92.0	
Little Fish	79.0	
Little Lambs	90.0	
Peacocks	90.3	
Phoenix	80.3	
Pelicans	85.3	
Angels	90.0	
Faith	78.0	
Hope	93.2	

NEWS UPDATE: Mr Gynn successfully completed the London Marathon last Sunday with a superb time of 3hrs, 59 minutes! Thanks to all of you who sponsored him to raise money for the Children's Hospice, South West. What a Superstar....here he is at the finish line!

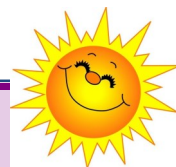


'BB are very proud to be a church school. Please help and support us to be the best church school we can be by filling out the online survey, which you can access via the link below. We will also send this link by text. Many thanks for your continued support.

<http://goo.gl/forms/cYD753UkPt>

**Christian value homework Challenge - Trust** - The collective worship team have set a challenge for children to draw an outline of something that they put their trust in. Inside the outline they need to write what it is that they put their trust in and why.

**St Luke's Church—Prize Bingo**  
Friday 6th May 6.30pm in the school hall  
Children must be accompanied by an adult.



## Summer Term Diary Dates

Monday 2nd May	All day—closed	May Bank Holiday
Tuesday 3rd May	10am	Year 3 Swimming—Polkyth
Thursday 5th May	All day	BBeebies Nursery closed for sessions, due to Polling Day
Monday 9th—12th May	Year 6	SATs week
Tuesday 10th May	10am	Year 3 Swimming—Polkyth
Friday 13th May	All day	Year 6 Treat—Beach day
Tuesday 17th May	10am	Year 3 Swimming—Polkyth
Wednesday 16th—17th May	Year 4	Camp Kernow Trip
Thursday 19th May	Year 5	Hit the Surf
Monday 23rd May	9.15am	Pentecost Communion—All welcome
Tuesday 24th May	10am	Year 3 Swimming—Polkyth
Monday 30th May—3rd June	All week	HALF TERM
Tuesday 7th June	10am	Year 4 Swimming—Polkyth
Thursday 16th June	10.30am	Reception Open Day

Please note: We have a Baby & Toddler Group every Wednesday at 1.45pm—3pm in our school hall



### Parent Forum Feedback

Thank you to the four parents who attended the parent forum on Monday. **We discussed the following areas**

- School Dinners** – Tracy Cook, the Chartwell's Area Manager attended our forum and answered questions from parents about our school meals. The parents at this forum were all positive about the quality and choice of food and said how much their children enjoyed their cooked lunches.
- PE Lessons** – a discussion took place about how often the children should have PE lessons. Mr Lees confirmed that where possible children should have up to two hours of physical activity per week. Mrs Carmichael said that in the EYFS this was often not a lesson and the children did not always change into PE kits.
- Website – class pages.** Parents value these class pages and had noticed that some had not been updated recently. Mrs Carmichael apologised and said that this was due to staff absence and said that she would ensure that they were updated asap.
- Sport's Days** – It was noted that during sport's day last year the nursery races had a confused start. Mr Lees confirmed that this would be reviewed and avoided this year.
- Wake and Shake** – some parents missed this activity due to the introduction of the early morning maths. Mrs Carmichael explained what the maths had been introduced to develop the children's confidence in number fluency, timetables and math's fact. This session was having a huge impact on this. Wake and Shake was now done after lunchtime. However, some parents still missed the sense of community on the playground at the start of the day when Wake and Shake took place.
- Family Learning** – parents asked if these sessions might be reintroduced. We are about to recruit a Parent Support Adviser/Family Support Worker and we are hoping that this person will get some of the activities started at BB.
- Residential meetings** – parents understood why these were being held centrally for all parents but found it hard to attend them. Mr Lees said that the documents given out would be sent home via satchel post for parents that cannot attend the meetings.