



Egloskerry School

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* **Egloskerry School Website:** *
* www.egloskerry.cornwall.sch.uk: You can also *
* view the newsletter on our website; please check *
* every week for more information and updates. *
* This week: details of the Duchy College Open *
* Day and the library Summer Reading Challenge, *
* The Giving Machine, the Aspens app and a job *
* vacancy, cricket sessions, the Health Box & the *
* Disclaimer. *



Internet Safety Talk—Monday 9th July

Please see the letter attached about the two sessions being held on the above date. Would you please return the slip confirming your attendance and advising of any places required for Egloskerry pupils in the after-school crèche.

We would like to see an adult from every family attending a session on this incredibly important issue, to help protect all children. Thank you.



Y6 Leavers' Assembly - Fri 20th July 2.15pm

We look forward to welcoming the parents/carers of pupils in Y6 to their final assembly.



Roman Activity Week 2018

Here is a summary of the activities that have been planned for our pupils during activity week.

Monday 2nd July: Archaeological Dig, Theatre Masks, Latin

Tuesday 3rd July: Roman Beliefs, Gods and Goddesses

Wednesday 4th July: Roman 'Art', Dance, Sculpture, Music and Theatre

Thursday 5th July: Myths and Legends (Cornwall focus)

Friday 6th July: Roman Celebration Day - Roman themed fancy dress day.

Come and visit to our Roman city! From 1pm you can meet our Roman Legionary visitor, taste food in our Roman Cafe and experience Roman theatre, dance and battle!

Parents/Carers are also welcome to join us for a Roman Feast at 12pm. Please bring rugs to sit on and your lunch. If you would like to buy a school dinner please place your lunch orders by

Monday 25th June (please complete and return the slip overleaf). If your child would like a Roman lunch, this deadline applies for pupil lunches too, for infant and junior aged children.

We have a special menu to mark the occasion created by: Hayley, Robin, Holly and Jayden

(School Council): **Friday 6th July - Roman Day Menu:**

Chicken Mayo Pitta with Salad, Or Feta, Tomato & Olive Salad

Fresh Herby Bread with Vegetable Sticks

For Dessert..... Cheese & Biscuits with Grapes Or Fresh Fruit Salad, Elderflower Cordial

Please send in your payment for adults and KS2 children on ***Monday 2nd July***. Thank you.



Notes & reminders:

- Please see the attached **measles information**. Thank you.
- Have a Summer clear out! We will be arranging a Bags2School collection of used clothing etc; the date for items to be brought in to school is **Monday 17 July**. Please save your **good quality** men's, ladies' and children's clothing, paired shoes, handbags, hats, bags, scarves, ties, jewellery, belts, soft toys. No duvets, bedding, pillows, curtains, towels, school uniform, textiles, etc. The proceeds go towards school fundraising. Thank you very much.
- We will shortly be ordering uniform for September. If your child needs anything, please ask at the office to see if we have it in stock. If not, or for fleeces, cardigans, jackets, etc, we will place a special order—please request an order form and return with payment. Thanks.
- **Office Email:** if you would like to email any messages regarding pick-ups, collection arrangements, sickness, etc, please use: **enquiries@egloskerry.net**, which is checked regularly throughout the day. Thank you.

Engineers of the Future at Egloskerry

On Wednesday 6th June Mr Chorlton and the Year 6 children from Egloskerry Primary School visited the D.T. department at Launceston College as part of their ongoing Greenpower Goblin (electric car) engineering project. The children designed logos for their electric cars using a Computer Aided Design (CAD) program before watching the laser cutter make their designs a reality. Based on our 'Roman' topic, pupils have themed their cars; 'Team Goddess' and 'Team Caesar'. The whole class made prototype three wheeled cars from card and were also excited to witness the College's 3D printer at work as it created a miniature lion as if from nothing!

Designs by Ruby and Kai were selected to be enlarged and made into the hood ornaments for the two Goblin cars. Egloskerry School have entered two electric cars into the Greenpower South West Regional event at Newquay on Wednesday 20th June and at the Gathering of Goblins at Dunsford Park on Sunday 8th July.

Mrs Kerr, explains: "The CAD project provides an excellent example of the power of cross-phase collaborations between Primary and Secondary schools. As a smaller, rural school, our pupils do not have the opportunities that being in a Secondary DT lab can offer. Now that we are part of the Launceston College Multi Academy Trust, opportunities such as these are now more readily available and impact the learning outcomes, experiences and interests of our pupils."

Pupil Voice: Most of the YRs are excited for their first sports day. The Year Rs we spoke to said that they like doing it. Eliza in YR said "My favourite race is the egg and spoon race. Filli, YR, said she is looking forward to seeing her family watch her race. The Receptions are really looking forward to doing their first ever sports day at this school.

By Verity & Zachary, Y5, for the Pupil Voice

Roman Day Menu—Friday 6th July

Name of child/ren: _____ Class/es: _____

I would like to order _____ adult meals (S) or (V) please delete as appropriate.

_____ child meals (S) or (V)

Please complete and return this slip by **Monday 25th June**. The cost is: adults: £3.96, children: £2.20—money to be paid on **Monday 2nd July** please. Thank you.

Duchy College Open Day & Summer Food Festival: Sunday 24th June, 10.00—4.00

Stoke Climsland, nr Callington, PL17 8PB

Archery & climbing tower, tractor & trailer rides, meet the animals, equine displays, food & drink exhibitors, digger driving challenge, rifle shooting range, children's creative zone, health & fitness testing, fun family dog show £5 per car entrance fee / search on: duchy.ac.uk for full details

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2018: The Summer Reading Challenge 2018 will be called *Mischief Makers*, inspired by the much-loved iconic children's title *Beano*, which celebrates its 80th anniversary. Children will explore a map of Beanotown to find the mysterious buried treasure and become ultimate mischief makers! Dennis, Gnasher and friends will help them solve clues and collect stickers, having lots of fun and adventures along the way! Most libraries in England and Wales will start the Summer Reading Challenge on **Saturday 14 July**.

A reminder from our cricket coach, Mr Brenden Worth:

There are **junior cricket sessions** available at Werrington Cricket Club:

Fridays from 6.45pm, Ages 4+

** Qualified coaches ** Fun, games and skills ** Competitive matches **

** Food available **

Plus **Cricket Camps**: Lots of fun, games, challenges and cricket:

Wednesday 25 July - Years 4, 5 and 6

Wednesday 1 August - Years 3 and below. Both camps run from 1.00 - 5.00 p.m.

Yelverton Bohemians Cricket Club, Langton Park, Plymouth Road, Yelverton, PL20 6HY.

£15 per child. Qualified and experienced coaches.

To book please email brendenworth@me.com or call 07889 518433

Aspens Catering Assistant Vacancy: Aspens Catering Services are looking for a Catering Assistant for Egloskerry Primary School. This is a great opportunity to work within a small team, providing a high quality catering service. We are looking for a flexible, confident person with a friendly personality and exceptional customer service skills, basic food preparation experience and a 'can do' attitude. Reporting to the Catering manager of Egloskerry, general duties include basic food preparation in line with our menu and recipes, health & safety compliance, cleaning duties, setting up the hall and serving from the counter. Catering experience is preferred and full training will be given. All offers will be subject to two references provided, a successful DBS clearance and a Right to work in the UK check. Start date - 12th March 2018
Term time only - Monday to Friday, 7.5 contract hours (1.5 hours per day), Hourly rate - £7.50
For further information - please call Tracy Sargent on 07711485217

The Giving Machine: please help us to fundraise by joining The Giving Machine (free to join). It takes just two minutes to register, and parents and staff who shop online at the huge selection of shopping sites earn commission for the school. The company only supports charities and schools, and are members of the Institute of Fundraising and the Fundraising Standards Board. Please log onto: thegivingmachine.co.uk, click on "Join our Giving Community" and follow the instructions. Please remember our school each time you shop online—thank you.

Please see the information on our website about Aspens Services' new app, which will enable you to see the lunch menu with just a couple of presses on your smartphone. Egloskerry's unique **PIN number is: 18305882**, and the link is: aspens-services.co.uk/schools/egloskerry-cp-school/ You can search for the app at the App Store or Google Play, install, add the unique PIN number, and you will be able to view the menu, get in touch with Aspens, provide feedback and find out more about their services. The app shows **the current menu.**

- **Health Box:** We have children attending the school who are prone to picking up infections more easily, so we thought it may be a good idea to include a health box in our weekly newsletter.
- We would ask if parents could please inform the school of any infections, viruses or diarrhoea and vomiting that your child may have, as you usually do. Could you please also inform us of any of the above which your children may have been in contact with recently without showing any symptoms, so that we are all aware. Please remember that all children should be at home for 48 hours following sickness or diarrhoea. Thank you.
- **A note regarding Hearing and Vision Tests:** It is very important to ensure your child does not have any problems with their hearing or vision. Screening is carried out in school, by the NHS, for Reception age children, but do please get in touch with your doctor or the School Nurse if you would like tests done at any other time. To contact the Nurse, phone 01288 320152. For vision tests, please contact your local optician, as tests are carried out free of charge for children. If you would like a referral to the School Nurse, please ask at the school office.
- **Headlice:** if necessary, please see the information on our website about the treatment of headlice.
- **Medicines/Cough Sweets etc:** please could *all* medicines, cough sweets, antiseptic creams etc be brought to the office, labelled with the child's name. We can administer medicines during the school day; we just need your instructions (a form is available to complete). Any medication kept in a bookbag or rucsac during the day could be picked up by another child, who might be allergic to it. Your child is also welcome to come to the office at break times to take a cough sweet etc. Thank you.

"Signposting" information to parents—Disclaimer: All providers have confirmed that they hold all necessary accreditation, qualifications and insurance to organise and run the events and activities described. No duly appointed officer of Cornwall Council has inspected these services and parents must make their own enquiries and satisfy themselves as to the suitability of the providers before engaging their services. In all the circumstances, neither the school nor One Cornwall will accept any liability arising out of those events.