



Warbstow C.P. School

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OFFICE HOURS

Mr Ellis Office Hours

Monday-PM
Tuesday- All Day
Thursday- All Day
Friday- PM

7th December 2018



Saturday 8th December-Heart FM event, Launceston Town Hall. Sambistas (3.30pm) and choir performing (2.30pm).

Wednesday 12th December- Matinee school plays

Thursday 13th December- Evening performances

Tuesday 18th December- Carol Service 1.30 all welcome

Wednesday 19th December- Christmas lunch and party

Thursday 20th December- LAST DAY OF TERM

Monday 7th January- SPRING TERM STARTS

This week class 1 have been planning a toy party for next week. They have been exploring fractions, practising music assembly and of course the Christmas play.

This week, Year Two have been learning the poem 'Twas The Night Before Christmas'. In Maths they have continued to compare and measure. The decorations made for homework, look fantastic on our tree. They have worked really hard on learning their lines, and using intonation as narrators. In the afternoons, they have been completing a piece of art using collage.

Class 3 have been exploring Literacy, play scripts and delivering their lines with clarity and pomp.

Class 3 and 4 have been busy rehearsing for the end of term play. Please remember all costumes are to be in for the dress rehearsal on Monday.



This Friday is the last swimming for this term.

Next term Class 1, 2 and 3 will be swimming. They will not be swimming on the first Friday back as this is our panto trip.

Next week sees the return of our end of term plays!

The matinee performance is on Wednesday and will start at 1.30pm in the Hall. Once the performances have finished you will be free to take your children home.

The evening performance will start at 6.00pm. Please have the children back in school for 5.30pm so that they can get ready for their performance.

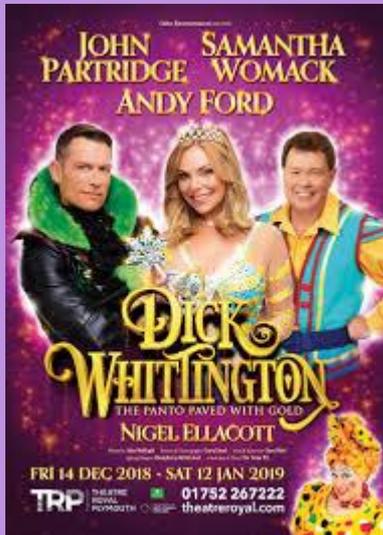


There will be no more after school clubs until after Christmas.

Attendance

School year to date 96.2%

This is an increase of 0.6% so thank you all for your support with this.



We will be taking the children to see Dick Whittington on Friday 11th January.

Please arrange payment and ensure you have returned your permission slips or given consent via ParentPay by Monday 17th December.

Seasonal Jumper day

We advised last week that we are having a seasonal jumper day at school next Friday. We decided to give the money to FOWS as the school are in need of some new cutlery, cups and plates for lunches, however we understand that parents would like to support "Save the Children" and therefore will be splitting any funds raised between FOWS and "Save the children".



Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments

<p>0</p> <p>DAYS ABSENCE (190 school days)</p> <p>100%</p> <p>EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE</p> <p><i>Best chance of SUCCESS</i></p>	<p>6</p> <p>DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE</p> <p>96.99%</p> <p>SATISFACTORY ATTENDANCE</p> <p><i>Harder to make good progress</i></p>	<p>15</p> <p>DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE</p> <p>92.99%</p> <p>REQUIRES IMPROVEMENT</p> <p><i>Less chance of success</i></p>	<p>19</p> <p>DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE</p> <p>Below 90%</p> <p>Persistent Absentee</p> <p>CAUSE FOR CONCERN</p> <p><i>Severe concern Possible Court Action!</i></p>
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It was great to see so many supporting the Samba band on Friday night in Launceston, it was a great atmosphere and lovely performing with other schools. If you missed them, you have another chance as the Samba band will be performing outside the town hall on Saturday at 3.30 at the Heart FM event in Launceston.

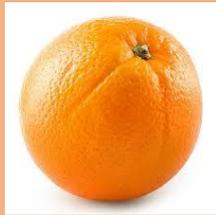
The choir will also be performing inside the town hall at 2.30.

Class lists

Several parents have been asking for a list of names for children in classes. Unfortunately, due to new regulations with GDPR we are unable to provide this. Mrs Sobey will be putting a board up for you to add your child's name to so that parents are able to copy if you so wish.

Christingle Morning.

On Thursday 20th December, Audrey Atkins one of our "open the Book" volunteers will be coming in to demonstrate how to decorate an orange for the Christingle service to be at Canworthy Church on Sunday 23rd. The children will have the opportunity to decorate and take home their own decorated orange. If you wish, you may attend the service on the Sunday. Don't forget- Bring in an orange on the 20th- I will remind you!



We wish Mrs Provis (Class 3) and Mrs Wilcox (Pre-School) a good Christmas, and look forward to seeing them both in the New Year. Flowers and heart felt messages have been sent from staff and Advisory Board Members.

Assembly



Another fantastic music assembly- well done to all the talented children of Warbstow, and the hard working staff who support, encourage and teach them so well.

Mr Ellis



This week garden club decorated their own grown Christmas Tree which is a little bigger this year. The children each made a bouquet of leaves collected from the garden and we put them on a huge wreath which Mr Griffith kindly hung up in the rain.

The children made some willow stars and we will be selling some more at the 'Pop-up Shop' which is on Monday 17th after school

Warbstow Wonders

To share our children's achievements we are going to publish the names of pupils receiving special certificates. This week congratulations go to:

Kind and Helpful

Bethany
Millicent
Beau-Jac

Club 99

Mia O

Working Hard

Samuel
Lauren
Jack
Jonas
Eoin
Ben