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Warbstow C.P. School

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Dear Parents/carers

It was wonderful to see so many of you at parents evening on Wednesday. I know many of you who weren't able to make it, have already made alternative appointments with your class teacher. If you haven't yet been able to do so, please see your class teacher to arrange a convenient time.

Pre-School have watched a PowerPoint about Remembrance Day, used hand prints to make a poppy wreath, drawn a picture of a poppy, and walked up to the Warbstow War Memorial to place their wreath. They joined Reception in the Woods singing number songs and enjoyed playing Hide and Seek, and pretending to be giants.

Class 1 have been doing some amazing handwriting, writing all about remembrance Sunday. They have also had great fun testing Jellies. In Maths they have been learning all about multiplication and division.

Class 2 have been looking at aerial photos in Geography and looking at Warbstow and London. They have also been continuing with their 5 times tables and club 99.

Year 4 have begun ordering decimals in Maths. In Literacy they have written newspaper reports about a 'Car wash catastrophe.' Mrs Dyer has been especially impressed this week with the children's progress with their times tables. Class 3 have been looking at negative numbers and the difference between a positive and negative integer. In Literacy they have been writing a non-chronological report about "Fantastical Machines!". All the children have been doing really well with their swimming and finally all the children have been getting on well drinking plenty of water in their lessons and taking great care of their bottles.

This week, 4 of our Year 5 boys Finlay, Archie, Harry and Tom entered the North Cornwall Swimming Gala. They made us very proud, finishing 3rd place with a total of 2 minutes and 43 seconds out of 16 schools. Absolutely fantastic work boys.

Update on works in school

Children have enjoyed watching the digger making space for the foundations. The PE and Huff and Puff sheds have been moved ready for the next stage of the work.

Dates to Remember

Thursday 16 th November- Bring and Buy sale- Parents may attend see below	Thursday 7 th December- School play, evening performance
Wednesday 22 nd November- Music Assembly 1.15- parents welcome	Thursday 7 th December- Flu nasal spray Reception- year 4
Thursday 30 th November-East Cornwall Cross Country league 3pm-4pm	Tuesday 12 th December- Carol Service- parents welcome
Monday 4 th December- School play Dress Rehearsal	Weds 13 th Dec- Christmas lunch & party
Weds 6 th December- School play Matinee- parents welcome	Thursday 14 th December- Year 1 Hearing screens
	Friday 15 th December- FOWS Willow Christmas wreath workshop- Sunday Rooms
	Weds 20 th December-INSET DAY
	Thursday 21 st December- Christmas holidays begin
	Thursday 4 th January- Spring Term starts

Bring & Buy Update

In last weeks newsletter it said the event would be Thursday 15th November, apologies for the mix up it is Thursday 16th November, in addition Aunty Wendy has now moved house so please bring all bits into the school by Monday 13th November. Aunty Wendy is still seeking volunteers for the event from around 12.30. Please remember to send your child in with money (lots of items for under 50p) in a named purse or wallet. If possible, could you also send them with their own carrier bag as these are often in short supply.

Doors open at 1.30pm for the children and to the general public between 2pm and 4pm.

Music Assembly

There is a Music Assembly on Wednesday 22nd November, starting at 1.15pm. All parents, friends, carers, grandparents are welcome.

Uniform reminder

We are still having issues with payment for uniform. Please can I ask all parents who have had uniform since September from the office and not yet paid arrange payment with Miss Hicks as a matter of urgency. Unfortunately because we have so many payments outstanding we will no longer be able to give uniform out without receiving payment first. Miss Hicks will ensure that stock of each size is kept in the office however sometimes numbers are limited so please speak to Miss Hicks if you require a large order before making payment to ensure all is in stock.

Lunches

A reminder please to settle up any outstanding balances for school lunches either via ParentPay or with Miss Hicks in the office.

Flu Spray

A reminder that the Nasal Flu spray for reception- Year 4 will be taking place on Thursday 7th December. Please can you ensure you have returned the consent form to Miss Hicks in the office that was sent out last half term. If you have misplaced your form or are unsure if you have returned it please see Miss Hicks in the office.

Film Club

Just a reminder if you would like your child to have an ice-cream at film club please send them in with 50p or send payment on ParentPay.

Tea towel

Children will soon be completing their portraits for our new school tea towel please see order form attached if you would like to order some please do ASAP, they make great family Christmas presents.

Book club.

Also a reminder if anyone would like anything from the book club magazine that was sent home at the beginning of the week please get it to Miss Hicks by Friday 17th November.

Christmas Lunch

We will be having our School Christmas Lunch on **Wednesday 13th December** (please see menu attached). For those of you who are new to the school we have a lovely meal, served by the teachers and Governors and all children have a school dinner on this day. Children will be allowed to wear Christmas jumpers or other festive attire that is practical for school (ie clothes suitable for playing in the playground and gluing party hats), the hall is decorated and we have crackers and party hats. The cost for the meal is the standard £2.30 unless your child is entitled to a Free School Meal. We will be holding the children's Christmas Party after the Christmas Lunch. School uniform is not required on this day.

My child Would like

Roast Turkey

Vegetarian Yule Log

Shortbread with Clementine

Christmas Sponge & Custard

If your child is not entitled to a school meal please arrange payment of £2.30

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