



Cusgarne School Bulletin

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Dear Parents

Welcome to the start of the new school year, it is lovely to see so many new happy, smiling faces along side our existing pupils. Everyone is looking so smart in their new uniform, hair cuts and shiny new shoes – I find it amazing to see how much the children have grown over the summer!

For our new parents we email out the bulletin and also add a copy on to our school website, please look here if you miss a copy.

At the start of the school year there is a lot of information to take in, we will try to spread this over a few weeks so as not to overwhelm you all. Please have a look at the topic pages on the website for latest topics, to find out what your child is up to.

Robin Class - Rec/Y1/Y2 we will be doing PE on Monday and Friday so please can the children come to school in PE kits with their red school jumper and black joggers/leggings over the top of the kit.

School Uniform – It would be really useful if this weekend all parents could take a moment to write their child's name in their uniform, especially their jumpers. It saves jumpers going missing and the teachers spending ages trying to reunite the right jumper to the right person.

Gorsedh Kernow Awards Ceremony - I attended the Gorsedh Kernow awards ceremony last night at Kresen Kernow, and what a fab venue. It was amazing to see the wonderful award winners and highly commended runners up receive awards from the both the outgoing and new Grand Bard. There are some photos on Gorsedh Kernow website. The host read some wonderful poems written by our children and a special well done to Stanley and Eliza. The Grand Bard came to speak with me at the end of the ceremony to express his thanks and say what amazing creative talent we have at Cusgarne, and year on year how we wow



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the judges with our entries. A wonderful celebration for our small school and a huge well done to all those who entered, and congratulations to all those children who were presented with awards.

School Clubs – The class clubs we offer will be a range of activities that will include choices made by and led by the children. Please note that Reception children will be able to start after school clubs in the spring term. The following clubs are starting week commencing 20th September 2021.

- Mondays – 2.45pm-3.45pm
 - o KS1 Sports Club (30 Places only with Plymouth Argyle)
 - o Starling and Kingfisher Class Club
- Wednesdays – 2.45pm-3.45pm
 - o KS2 Sports Club (30 Places only with Plymouth Argyle)
 - o Robin Class Club with Mrs Turner and Mr Barnard.

Music - Music lessons are still being finalised and we will let you know these dates as soon as possible.

Friends of Cusgarne - Welcome everyone to a new school year! The Friends look to support the school through activities, events and initiatives, raising money for equipment and resources for the school, and to help with trips and anything that can enrich the children's time in school. We'll keep you posted through the school year in the weekly newsletter and on the Friends of Cusgarne Facebook page. It's early in the year, but plans are for something spooky, something with tinsel and, without doubt, many other things that reinforce what a wonderful school and school community we have.

Keep collecting crisp packets and look out for when to bring them in, and look on the Friends' Facebook page for children's uniform left over from the summer pop-up shops (thank you to all donors and shoppers!). If you're missing an extra shirt or t-shirt (50p), pinafore dress, jumper or cardigan (£1), we may well have it and can bring it to school. It's a great way to reduce waste, reuse unwanted clothes and raise money for the children.

We're so proud of our school community; do get in touch with the Friends if you would like to be involved.

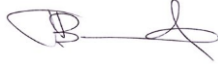
See you soon, the FoC x



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Thank you all for an amazing start to the new school year. Have a super weekend!

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tim Barnard', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Tim Barnard
Head of School



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**15 January
2022**

Starting school

September 2022

Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018

Attending a nursery or pre-school

You will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. Please note that if a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

Information and guidance

Website and application form: www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk

Post: **School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY**

Telephone: **0300 1234 101**

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Transfer to secondary school

September 2022

Applying for a place in year seven at a secondary school

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