

Newlyn News



29th March

Spring term 2018

End of an era as Mrs Whitney says goodbye to Newlyn School

We say goodbye to Mrs Whitney today after 10 and a half years at Newlyn School.

She has taken the school from strength to strength and led some incredible changes to our curriculum along with improving support for the well-being our children. We wish her all the best with her future plans to travel and be a grandmother.



Our 100% Spring attendance stars are...

Twenty children each received a certificate and chocolate Easter bunny as a reward for attending school 100% throughout the Spring Term.



Easter excitement

Foundation, Year 1 and 2 took part in our Easter egg decoration competition and Mrs Whitney had the very hard job of judging today.

The entries were amazing and thank you so much to all the parents who helped their children take part.



Overall winner: Scarlett – Foundation with her bright yellow chick.

Foundation – Ivor, **Year 1** - Jasmine and **Year 2** - Barnabas.

Year 4 beach clean

Year 4 were provided with all the equipment and advice that they needed to clean a beach by Surfers Against Sewage.

As a part of their project, the children have been learning about the environmental consequences of plastic waste in our seas and on the beaches. As a result, we decided to volunteer to clean Newlyn Beach. When we first walked onto the beach it looked pretty clean already, but after a short while we had collected several bags of netting, fishing lines, small broken down pieces of plastic and drink cans. The children collected enough waste from the beach to half fill an industrial wheelie bin. It was eye opening and surprised all of us. But well done children - they have made a difference.



Summer term

The Summer term starts on Tuesday 17th April.

Looking forward to seeing you all for a great Summer term.

Keep learning over Easter

Two weeks is a long time for your child and it's important to keep your child's learning fresh in their heads by keeping on reading every day, and regularly doing RM Easi maths. Mr Jane will be awarding a prize for the child in each class who uses RMeasimaths the most over the Easter holidays!



Year 4 are the flavour of Newlyn

The children of Class 4 cooked a beautiful fish curry in aid of the Fishermen's Mission at the Shack, on Monday afternoon.

It won the favour of many people who don't normally eat curry or fish. Apart from raising money, that was our determination from the start.



We had several people who were lured in by the wonderful smells and after tasting our dish they were wowed by the children demonstrating some of the work that they have accomplished this term.

Many thanks to Keith from the Fishermen's Mission for supporting us from the start, to Elaine from Stevensons Fish Shop for donating the fish and all the others who have helped us publicise our afternoon. And a big THANKS to all who tasted our fishy dish and donated.'

Book mark competition

Many beautifully decorated bookmarks were on display in today's assembly. Children who entered the bookmark competition each received a bar of chocolate and some won £5 coupons off their purchase of a book. Well done to all who entered.

World Book Day

The children looked fantastic in their wonderful costumes and everyone enjoyed our storytelling afternoon on World Book Day. We raised money for the amazing Aunty Emily theatre afternoon and a special thanks to Year 5 waiters and for all your support.



Clubs next term

Don't forget to sign your children up for next term's fantastic clubs online at schoolmoney.co.uk. Just £1 per club for the whole half term!

Cross country stars

This wonderful bunch turned up to run the Cross Country Race at Trannack. Quite a challenging course made all the worse with the cold temperature and the rain. Very proud of them all! Little Aria beamed with pride at her 1st place position and her medal - brilliant.

Thank you to their parents too.



School dinner money to be paid in advance

From next term, KS2 children that are not eligible for Free School Meals will need to have credit on their account **in advance** of having a school dinner.

Children will not be able to have a hot meal if there isn't money already on their account. This system will stop families building up debts and avoid us sending extra text reminders to pay.

The delicious new Summer term menu is available on the school website.

Thank you for your support with this.



Year 2 put on a Musical for its End of Project Celebration "Eddie the Penguin Saves the World!"

The children only had seven days to learn their parts and all the songs and they did a fantastic job. We had a great turn out with lots of lovely relatives coming to watch. In the performance Eddie the Penguin saves the planet by singing songs to persuade people to live greener lives: Turning off lights when you leave rooms, walking not driving to school and recycling are just some of the many themes sung about.

We then went back to the classroom and enjoyed looking through our project books. Finally, Year 2 found out that next term's project is all about the beach!

Fundraising success

Look at what you did! You raised £92 for the events' fund with your old stuff! We can now start to plan the next theatre experience for the kids 🤗🤗🤗🤗🤗 THANK YOU!

