

# NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parent / Carer

Over the past couple of weeks some children from Redruth School have been in photographing our children. I believe that some of these children were ex pupils from Lanner School who are now experiencing a wide range of exciting opportunities such as photography (at Redruth). I am pleased to say that their efforts are now up on display in our school. In the entrance, we have a collage of faces that hopefully sums up Lanner's vision - Happy, Resilient, Motivated, Respectful and Confident. In addition to these, we have had some large A1 posters made for us - again from Redruth School - that are now up on display in the KS2 corridor. Next time you are in - please ask for a tour as I am sure you will be very impressed. The fact that the photography was carried out by children is quite astonishing, as the quality looks very professional. So I just wanted to say a massive thank you to everyone at Redruth School, in particular Mrs McTeare - and of course the children who came over to us. Next week promises to be another action packed one as we edge closer to the Christmas season. As always, I hope you have a fantastic weekend.  
Kieran Walsh, Head Teacher

## Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a Lannergram this week:

Y1: Faye C, Perran H, Charlie R

Y2: Jessica C, Kaden C, Willow-Rose G

Y3: Logan A, Kasie E, Evie M

Y4: Daisy A, Megan L, Arlo T

Y5: Casey W, Mason C, Sienna B

Y6: Tabitha T, Jack P, Hayden M

## Attendance Cup

The attendance cup was awarded to Year 5 this week for their attendance.

## Attendance this week

Group	% Attend
Year 1	88.7
Year 2	95.4
Year 3	96.3
Year 4	80.3
Year 5	98.1
Year 6	96.2
Totals	92.4

## IMPORTANT - POLITE NOTICE

Over the past few days we have had a couple of incidents involving cars boxing other cars in at the end of the day, but more worryingly there have been one or two concerns raised with potential near misses.

I know that 99% of you are parking considerately and I also appreciate I have no power with regards to enforcing the law on public highways, but could I please ask the one or two cars that park in the turning bay on Lanmoor Estate or who continue to drop off their children on the zig zag on Bell Lane, NOT to do so. You are putting the lives of children at risk - It is as simple as that!

As always - Thank you to the vast majority for your continued support and for working together with us to make this tricky situation more manageable.  
K Walsh and all the Lanner Staff

## Advent Fayre - Santa booking

Please pop into the office if you would like to book a slot to see Santa at the advent fayre next Friday. Cost is £1 and children will have a story, their photo taken and receive a small gift.

## Children In Need

Thank you to everyone for your donations for children in need we raised £145.59 - Well done.

### Governor Voice

This week I have met with children and staff several times and I have been delighted to see significant improvements in all areas. The building itself is freshly painted internally and feels welcoming, the staff were friendly, approachable and working extremely hard, and the children were happy, confident, polite and very willing to share their work with me.

I was very impressed that children in year 3 were able to explain how they were improving their work and "levelling up" by using frontal adverbials and more interesting vocabulary.

The children in year 1 were editing their own version of "Goldlocks and the three monkeys or the three ponies". Every child I spoke to was proud of their achievements and eager to speak about their work.

Meetings with staff included discussing pupil data (and pupil progress) and the improvements, including new equipment, planned for the Early Years.

It is a privilege to work with the school and an experience all governors enjoy.



Barbara McGuire (Chair of Governors)



### Tuck Shop

Tuck shop is available every day on morning break 10.30am, cash only.

Bread (cheese, pizza or cinnamon & raisin) - 20p

Fruit - 30p

Carrot sticks - 20p

Cucumber sticks - 20p

Raisins - 30p

$\frac{1}{2}$  Toasted bagel - 20p

$\frac{1}{2}$  Toasted Muffin - 15p

Crumpet - 30p

### School Photos

Order forms for school photos have been sent out, please could you return with payment by Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> Nov. If not returned by this date, you will be responsible for returning your forms at additional cost (late fees from Tempest).

Many thanks.

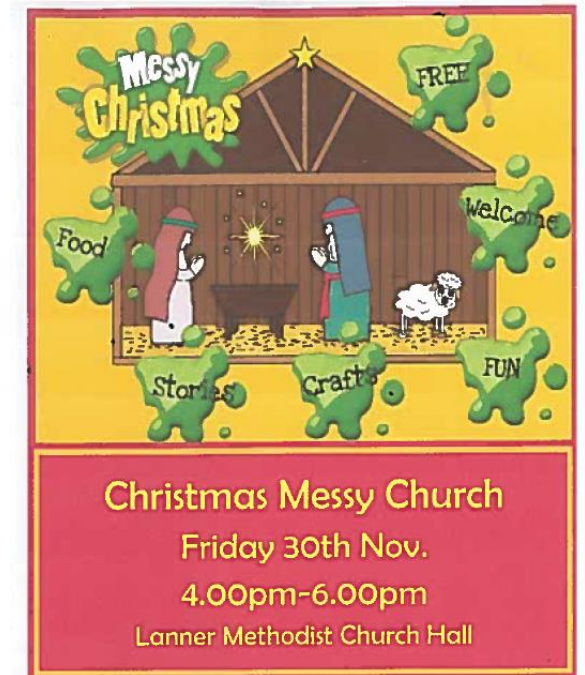
### Sponsored Walk

Willow-Rose G took part in a ten mile sponsored walk last Saturday from Bissoe Bike Cafe to Portreath, she was raising money for her majorette squad called Supreme Stars. She raised over £100 and absolutely stormed through the walk.



## YEAR 4 Robot Visitor

Year 4 had an interesting visitor this week. Our new IT providers, (NCI) popped in to the school with their robot, Toby. Toby is an amazing bit of kit that can sing and dance as well as follow instructions. He entered the Year 4 classroom in the middle of a lesson focused on circuits - the timing could not have been better. Needless to say the children were very impressed. I am not sure Mrs Walters was overly amused when Toby tried to serenade her - however, the children found this particularly amusing. Thank you to our friends at NCI - your support so far this year has just been amazing to say the least.



## Year 5

Recently, Y5 enjoyed a whole day of learning about the Anglo-Saxons. The children looked amazing dressed as Anglo-Saxons and brought fantastic shields with them. We had an Anglo-Saxon visitor to help us learn about many aspects of life during the Anglo-Saxon times, which really brought history to life! We took part in story-telling, created riddles, and learned about food and daily life. We looked at a range of artefacts, including weapons and talked about battle tactics. At the end of the day, the children used their shields to create a shield-wall and re-enact a battle. The children thoroughly enjoyed their learning about the Anglo-Saxons.



## Book Fair

On Monday 3rd - Wednesday 5th December, we will be having a book fair in school. The book fair will be open before school and from 3pm, giving you the opportunity to stock up on some Christmas presents! By purchasing books from the book fair, you will also be helping us to provide more books for the children in school, as the more books we sell, the more commission we will earn to buy books for the school library.

# CHRISTMAS FAYRE

ON  
**SATURDAY 1st DECEMBER 2018**  
11am - 2pm

AT  
**LANNER METHODIST  
CHURCH HALL**

VARIOUS STALLS & REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE



Come along between  
12 noon & 1pm and meet

# FATHER CHRISTMAS

A colorful poster for an 'Annual Free Family Fun Day' held on Saturday 1st December from 11am to 3pm at Tolvaddon Community Fire Station. The poster features a central illustration of Santa Claus sitting on a brick fireplace. Surrounding him are several circular inset photos showing various activities: a bouncy castle, a face painter, a service dog named Archie, a dog named Woody, and people making Christmas decorations. Text on the poster lists activities: 'Meet the Blue Light Services', 'Information stands', 'Meet the Service Dogs, Archie and Woody', 'Bouncy castle', 'Face painter', 'Special visits from Santa', 'Christmas decoration making', and 'Robots'. At the bottom, it says 'Working in partnership:' followed by logos for Cornwall Fire &amp; Rescue Service, disAbility, and mobilo (a vehicle for change). A note states 'The 'mobilo' will also be present at this event...'.