



# Bude Primary Academy

## Head of School – Miss Vanessa Holt

### Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

#### **What a super week!**

I received a very exciting phone call from EYFS this week, claiming there is a bear in our woods! You can imagine my shock and horror! However, after some investigating, EYFS were able to put my mind at rest and explain it was a very friendly bear so there was no need to worry.

I have also seen some amazing stories in Year 1 and some super science in Year 2!

There are lots of colds and coughs around (typical of the time of year), but we must continue to be vigilant, to protect our staff, pupils, and their families. If your child has a new persistent cough, high temperature or loss of taste or smell – you must book them a PCR test and they must self-isolate until the result has come back.

Please can I also remind you that school starts at 9am. The gates are open from 8:45am to allow your child to get into the classroom and settle before the learning starts. Please can make a conscious effort to get your child to school on time to minimise disruption at the beginning of the day.

See you next week – have a wonderful weekend

Miss Holt

#### EYFS weekly update

EYFS have had a wonderful week talking about what makes us special and going on a bear hunt! We have mapped out the story and have been learning the actions of the story together. Your child will be bringing a story map home to practise.

We have also learned our first letter sounds m, a, s, d, and t. We have posted lots of support for you on Tapestry about how to help at home. If you have any questions about their Set 1 sounds books that they have, please ask. We are so proud of how both classes are doing with routines, friendships, manners, and learning.

Please comment or like on Tapestry your child's observations. We work really hard to provide you with these and would love to share dialogue with you. Thank you to everyone who has been posting special moments from home.

#### Census Day

We have a census day coming up – **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October.**

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Census Day Menu@ Bude Primaries  
Thursday 7th October

**Build your own Beef Burger!**  
or  
**Quorn Hotdog**

**with a selection of toppings  
and potato wedges  
sweetcorn or BBQ beans**

**Jacket Potato with BBQ beans & Melted Cheese**

Desserts

**Jelly & Ice-cream**  
or  
**Fresh Fruit/Yogurt**

Census days are really important days as information collected on these specific dates gets sent to the Government and determines our funding for the next academic year.

Please can I ask that all pupils try our special census day menu (pictured). You are welcome to provide a packed lunch as well, just in case your child may not like it, but it is important that we can record them having a school meal.

#### Events Coming Up!

#### **Theatre Visit – Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October**

We welcome M&M productions back to school for a performance of The Wizard of Oz!

#### **Bude Primary Memory Garden – From Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October to Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> October**

North Cornwall Marie Curie Fundraising Group is a very worthwhile cause, helping many reflect on dealing with loss.

In support we will be creating a 'field of hope' outside the school and by offering children and family members to plant a bulb in memory of a loved one in return for a donation via the just giving page: [www.justgiving.com/campaign/MCNorthCornwall](http://www.justgiving.com/campaign/MCNorthCornwall).

**Marie Curie  
Cancer Care**



We hope this area will be cherished by the community and offer a quiet space of reflection and remembrance to all who wish to enjoy it. Any help would be greatly appreciated! Please speak to Michelle in the kitchen. Thank you

#### **Explorer Dome – Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October to Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October**

The Explorer dome are visiting on 12<sup>th</sup> – 14 October, and both the Juniors and Infants will be having an immersive climate experience in their inflatable planetarium. We are asking all parents for a voluntary contribution to cover the cost of this amazing experience.

On Wednesday after school, we will be holding a community climate event. There will be drop in story telling sessions, science workshops and as well as this we will be offering three, thirty-minute dome shows for families. Each show can accommodate 35 people and you will need a ticket for this part of the event. This will be first come first serve with very limited numbers you can get your tickets from Nikki at the Juniors and Leonie at the Infants.

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#### Website Updates

We have added a new page to our website – '**Local Community Events**'. Here we will advertise events taking place in and around Bude. Please take a look!

[https://www.budeinfants.org.uk/web/local\\_community\\_events/574721](https://www.budeinfants.org.uk/web/local_community_events/574721)

#### Parent Support Group

We are delighted to be opening our doors to parents again – particularly for Emma Thomas's Parent Support Group.

#### Holnicot Road Crossing

The crossing patrol will be back at Holnicote Road from Tuesday next week.

#### School Menu & Packed Lunches

Next week is **Menu week 2** – From next week – sandwiches will no longer be available.

For those who provide their child with a packed lunch – please can we remind you that we are a strictly no nut school. Some chocolate spreads contain traces of nut, so we urge you to check before you spread! Many thanks.

#### Children starting school and Year 2's moving to Year 3 in September 2022

The deadline to apply for school places is **15<sup>th</sup> January 2023**. Reminder – Year 2's must apply for a Year 3 place (even if planning to attend the Junior School) as they are still moving schools. The quickest way is to apply online via the Cornwall Council website.

[www.cornwall.gov.uk/schools-and-education/schools-and-colleges/school-admissions/apply-to-start-school-or-transfer-to-junior-secondary-or-ks4-school-in-september-2022](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/schools-and-education/schools-and-colleges/school-admissions/apply-to-start-school-or-transfer-to-junior-secondary-or-ks4-school-in-september-2022)

#### Office hours:

The office is open from 8.30am-3.30pm. If you phone outside of these hours, please leave a message and a member of staff will respond the next working day.

#### Important dates:

Inset Day – No school for pupils	Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October 2021
Half Term	25 <sup>th</sup> October – 29 <sup>th</sup> October



## Bude Primary Academy

### Parent's Support Group

*A weekly group to support the health and well being of all our parents/carers.*

**Everyone is welcome**

*Refreshments, activities and a safe space provided.*

**Every Friday 9-10.30 (term time)**

**Starting 8<sup>th</sup> of October**

Sessions will include: relaxation, arts and craft, parenting support, access to services, signposting, hygiene bank, parents library, uniform swap and most importantly lots of fun!

**"FRIENDSHIP LIGHTENS EVERY BURDEN  
AND MAKES THE SUN SHINE BRIGHTER."**

*"You were born  
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not to be  
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