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Tintagel Primary School End of Term Round Up

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I cannot believe we are approaching the last week of another busy half term and that we will be breaking up next Friday. I just wanted to write with a termly round up and some key dates for your diaries.



The children have loved the Enquiry this half term around Creativity and there has been lots of learning both inside and out to help bring their learning experiences to life. There are more opportunities coming up next half term, including Class 3 and 4 surfing, Residentials and Healthy Active Living Week. The summer term is always packed full of exciting plans. There will be letters sent to relevant classes next term.

On Friday we will sadly be saying goodbye to Miss Manley who has done a wonderful job in Class 1 whilst Miss Wheldon has been off on maternity leave. I know you will join me in thanking her and wishing Miss Manley well on her next teaching adventure and know she will be greatly missed by the children in Class 1.

Y6 SATs:

We are so proud of these magnificent children. We are proud everyday of your achievements but this last week whilst completing your SATs we could not have been prouder! You have shown resilience and focus, and we hope you have a fabulous, fun Friday today!



Y6 Residential:

When we return after the half term break, many of our Y6 children will be representing our Tribe on a residential trip to London. We know they will make some wonderful memories and we are looking forward to hearing all about it. For Year 6 parents, just a reminder that there is a meeting to share the itinerary etc for you on Thursday 23rd May in the hall. We hope to see you there.

Uniform:

If you have any items of uniform in good condition that your child has grown out of, we would be happy to take these off your hands for our second-hand uniform shop each half term. Please note we can only accept items that are washed and in good condition. Please give any donations to the office. If you are in need of any items, please come and see what we have on offer. Our school does have a school uniform policy and children are expected to wear this every day. Black shoes are required and not colourful trainers or sandals/crocs please.

Sex and Relationships Education:

Sex and Relationships Education (SRE) is a compulsory aspect of the curriculum and will be taught next half term. There are very specific objectives taught to particular age groups so children are taught this subject by year group, and not class, to ensure the learning is age appropriate. Your child's class teacher will be sending a letter out soon that outlines the objectives that we are required to deliver. Any questions or queries, please speak to your child's teacher in the first instance.

PTFA's Colour Burst Run:

We are overwhelmed with the support for our Colour Run which will be taking place next Friday from 3:15pm. Please remember to wear clothes and trainers that you do not mind getting stained. It is essential that runners, especially under 16s, wear some kind of eye protection, either sunglasses or goggles, to protect their eyes from the powder paint. You may also want to bring a bin bag or something that the children can sit on for the way home. Please collect your child as normal at the end of the school day and make your way to the back playground. Don't forget we will also be selling Krispy Kremes before and after the event too.



Deli Farm Run:

The annual Deli Farm Run is taking place on Saturday 25th May at 9:30am. As a school we try to encourage as many children to attend as possible. This is a cross country event around a course approx. 2.5 miles long. It is open for KS1 and KS2 children as well as secondary age children and adults. If you would like more details or your child wishes to join in, please can you let the office know so we can confirm numbers.

Household Support Funding:

The entitlement criteria for automatic payments from the Household Support Fund is changing. If you have any questions regarding the changes, please DO NOT contact the school. You will need to contact Cornwall Council direct.

In order to be entitled to a payment from the Household Support Fund scheme in 2024, you must be responsible for at least one child and on 3rd June 2024 either:

- be entitled to Council Tax Support or
- have been placed in emergency accommodation by the Council

You will receive £80 per child. If you are already in receipt of Council Tax Support, then you don't have to do anything else – you will receive your payment automatically.

To find out if you are eligible for Council Tax Support, please check the information here <https://www.gov.uk/benefits-calculators>.

You can make a claim for Council Tax Support by using this link <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/council-tax-support/apply-for-council-tax-support/>

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It is important that you submit your application by 31st May 2024.

You may also be entitled to help from the Household Support Fund via one of the Household Support Fund partners. Their details can be found here <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/household-support-fund/>



We wish all our families a restful half term and hope the sun shines. We look forward to welcoming you back into school on Monday 3rd June.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lou Kirkman'.

Lou Kirkman and the team

Diary dates:

Summer Term 1 & 2 2024	
Monday 20 th May	Sir James Smith's School visit – parents meeting 3-4pm
Tuesday 21 st May	Class 3 trip to Polzeath
Thursday 23 rd May	Year 6 residential meeting – 2:30pm
Friday 24 th May	Primary Schools Swimming Gala – Camelford Leisure Centre
Friday 24 th May	PTFA Colour Run – 3:15pm
Friday 24 th May	Last Day Summer Term 1
Saturday 25 th May	Deli Farm Run
Monday 3 rd June	First Day Summer Term 2
Tuesday 4 th – Friday 7 th June	Year 6 London Residential
Monday 10 th June	Class and Year Group Photos
Friday 14 th June	Class 4 Endelienta Music Workshop
w/c Monday 17 th June	Healthy Active Living Week
Wednesday 19 th June	Class 3 & 4 Surf Lessons @ Polzeath
Thursday 20 th June	Sports Day
w/c Monday 1 st July	Year 6 SJS Transitions Week
Tues 2 nd – Thurs 4 th July	Year 5/6 Bikeability
Mon 8 th – Tues 9 th July	Year 6 Bikeability
Monday 8 th – Weds 10 th July	Year 4/5 Bristol Residential
w/c Monday 8 th July	Last week after school clubs
Thursday 18 th July	PTFA Summer Fete
Friday 19 th July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly
Friday 19 th July	Last Day Summer Term 2