



School Bulletin Friday 14th February 2025

Happy half-term! We are now officially halfway through the school year. I am sure we are all wondering where the time has gone. From my office I can see daffodils coming out, more wildlife appearing and we are starting to notice the evenings are lighter as we leave school each day. The coming spring is a fantastic time to live in Cornwall.

Your children are an absolute pleasure to be with everyday and they help us all through some challenging times such as the unprecedented levels of sickness we experienced this half term. We realise that this is their one chance at primary school education and take that responsibility seriously.

Our commitment to you is to treat your children with as much care and attention as we treat our own and with that in mind enjoy a well-deserved break together!

Have a great holiday.

Nathan Cooper – Headteacher

Attendance: 10th February – 14th February - Whole School 97.8%

For all CELT schools this attendance threshold is set at 96% in line with national attendance data.			
Ash	Beech	Sycamore	Oak
98.8%	100%	98.8%	94.2%
Thank you so much for your support in ensuring your children are in school regularly and therefore making the most of their educational opportunities. Congratulations to the winners- Beech			

Congratulations to our Celebration Award Winners	
Ash	Star of the week – Hugo Superstar Learner – Ronnie & Roan
Beech	Star of the week – Jack Superstar Learner – Tommy
Sycamore	Star of the week – Edward Superstar Learner – Adaline
Oak	Star of the week – Ethan Superstar Learner – Matilda



Go Cornish

Dydh da/hello

This week our words/phrases have been:

Ash and Beech	Oak and Sycamore
naw, deg	Ple'ma ...?
(pronounced now, deg)	(pronounced pleh mah)
9, 10	Where...?

Our February phrase of the month is 'dyskans marthys', pronounced (dis-kans mar-this), which means great learning.

Oll an gwella/All the best

Kryw Kernewek

Wraparound Clubs

A reminder to please book wraparound clubs by the **THURSDAY for the following week.**

Easter Holiday Club

We are very excited to share the news that we are looking into introducing a new experience for the local community and our pupils.

We are aware that the opportunities for our pupils to take part in activities during the school holidays are limited within our locality.

At Luxulyan School we realise that we are a community hub and can play a part in increasing opportunities for our children.

Working with DT coaching we are assessing interest levels in an activity club for year 1 to 6 during the first week of the Easter holidays.

Further details including pricing and times will follow but, as an indication, timings would be around 9-3pm and a daily cost aim would be no more than £20.

If you could take a moment to fill out the form on class dojo so that we can decide upon interest levels and next steps.

If you have any questions please message or comment.

Best regards...Team Lux



Cross Country Champions!

What an amazing group of athletes we have here in key stage 1. Hot on the heels of their County Championship win for multi-sports a team of cross-country runners have stolen the show at Poltair School winning 2 of the 4 titles available and coming 2nd and 4th in the other two races. We look forward to the Olympics in 2040!





Early adopters free breakfast Club – summer term

Breakfast Club – Expression of interest

Dear Parents / carers,

We are excited to let you know that Luxulyan School has been invited by the Department of Education to become an Early Adopter for their free breakfast club offer.

The government is committed to offering a free breakfast club in every state-funded school with primary aged pupils in England (the new breakfast club offer). Breakfast clubs are designed to break down barriers to opportunity, as well as tackle the impact of child poverty.

Free universal breakfast clubs give children a supportive start to the school day, ensuring they are ready to learn and make the most of the opportunity's schools offer. Schools that offer breakfast clubs report improvements in behaviour, attendance and academic attainment. These are benefits that support children to achieve and thrive, while supporting teachers and school staff in their work. Breakfast clubs also support families financially by reducing the costs of living.

Luxulyan plan to provide a free breakfast club offer at our usual time of 8am – 8:40am from the start of the summer term – Tuesday 22nd April. The children will be able to enjoy a healthy breakfast and take part in activities such as games, colouring, reading, and exercise. The Government's aim is for all interested families to be offered a place. However, whilst we arrange the start-up of the initiative, we may need to limit the number of spaces provided depending on the number of staff we have available.

To aid our planning we would be grateful if you could complete the google form using the link on Class Dojo by Wednesday 26th February 2025 to allow us to gauge interest levels and ensure that we can allocate adequate space, staffing and food.

We will provide further information once we have received initial expressions of interest but if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the school.

London Marathon Fund Raising

If you have been out and about in the St Austell area over the past few months you may have passed Miss Soper training for the London Marathon.

This will be her first marathon and being the lovely person she is it is all in aid of charity.

She has already raised over £2000 for Children's Hospice South West but if you felt you wanted to add to her funds then please follow the link below to her fund raising page.

Amazing work for the community Miss Soper!

<https://2025tcslondonmarathon.enthuse.com/pf/georgie-soper>





Luxulyan School

Embracing Community, Shaping Futures

Support Organisations



**In an emergency,
call 999**

ChildLine

0800 1111



Worried about a child?

Multi-agency Referral Unit (MARU)

0300 123 1116

Out-of-hours number 01208 251300

multiagencyreferralunit@cornwall.gov.uk



Support for children and young people is available from

Cornwall's Early Help Hub

(01872) 322 277

earlyhelp@cornwall.gov.uk

NSPCC

0808 800 5000

**citizens
advice**

Cornwall

foodbank

Citizens Advice Cornwall who will be able to issue you with a food bank voucher - call 0800 144 8848

Financial support or advice on care and support services for families

0808 208 2138

www.supportincornwall.org.uk



YOUNG MINDS

Support young people with the tools to look after their mental health

Parents helpline -

0808 802 5544

Young person -

Text SHOUT to 85258



free, safe & anonymous advice at kooth.com

"It's alright to ask for help"

SAMARITANS

116 123

**shout
85258**

SAFER FUTURES

Ending Abuse in Cornwall & Isles of Scilly

0300 777 4777

Mon-Fri 9am-9pm

Sat- 9am-5pm



0800 58 58 58
Helpline for men
www.thecalmzone.net

HOPELINE247

0800 068 4141

TEXT: 07860 039 967



Support for young people aged 11 to 25

youngpeoplecornwall.org



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Dates for your Calendar Spring and Summer Term 2025	
17 th - 21 st February	HALF TERM
24 th February - 28 th February	Oak Class Tennis and Swimming lessons at Bodmin Leisure Centre
3 rd March - 7 th March	Sycamore Class Tennis and Swimming lessons at Bodmin Leisure Centre
3 rd March	Beech & Oak Cornish singing event at HFC
6 th March	World Book Day
21 st March	Red Nose Day
31 st March	Class Photos & Year 1 to 6 reports go out
4 th April	Easter service at Luxulyan church
7 th April - 21 st April	EASTER HOLIDAY
26 th May - 30 th May	HALF TERM
11 th June - 13 th June	Year 5 & 6 residential to Barton Hall
20 th June and 23 rd June	INSET days - school closed
7 th July - 9 th July	Year 3 & 4 residential to Camp Kernow
25 th July	Last Day of Term