



## School Bulletin Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023

We have had another very busy week of learning with all classes now firmly feeling like they are settled into their routines and timetables. With clubs having started and a variety of trips and sporting events in the diary it really feels like the school year has fully begun. We have been working hard to complete our residential trip offers for Years 2 to 6 as the staff recognise how important these events are as a compliment to pupils in-school learning. I can still remember my Year 6 PGL residential, and yes it was a long time ago! Full details of our residential offers are included below. An unfortunate theme of this week has been illness and we have seen a variety of bugs affecting our pupils and staff. A big thank you for your understanding in following the health guidance supplied by the NHS.

### Photographs

The individual and sibling photos went very smoothly this morning and Miss Allison deserves huge credit for ensuring it caused minimal disruption to learning. Your child should be bringing home a leaflet with a QR code containing links to previews of the photos taken today and details of how to order.

### Illness

As mentioned we have had a variety of sickness, rashes and coughs this week. Just a reminder that for sickness bugs you are asked to stay away from school for 48 hours **AFTER** the last episode of sickness. The reason for this is to reduce the likelihood of the illness spreading. I have supplied a link to the NHS guidance for common illnesses on the main Dojo page.

### Residential Trips

We now have final bookings and confirmation in place for 3 different residential trips next summer. I am very aware of the need to budget and plan payments and we think very carefully about the financial impact of catering for multiple children in school. As with all trips there will be a discount for pupil premium children.

**Year 5 & 6 – London** – June 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> 2024 – We have had **20 positive responses** to initial interest which is an amazing achievement and highlights the support you give to these events which in turn allows us to continue to offer them. We are aware that the price is the most expensive residential we offer (around £400) but still represents great value for money. We should be able to reclaim around £80 in travel costs pp. We will hold a parent/carers meeting soon.

**Year 3 & 4 – Porthpean** – June 19<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup> – After investigating a city break option for this year group we took the decision to move to an activity residential to provide better value. This will be a 2 night and 3-day activity based trip to Porthpean which is of course local. The projected price is £195 pp.

**Year 2 – Canna Farm Campsite** – June 27<sup>th</sup> – We are very pleased to be able to extend our offer to include year 2 with a 1-night camping trip to a local site, Canna Farm. The projected price is £15 pp.

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## Parent pay prebooking – Sunrise, Treetops and Lunches - REMINDER

In order to make the booking process easier for the school to manage and to ensure that parents and carers can organise school bookings we will be switching to a prebooking system for school lunches and our wraparound care. **Please note that lunch bookings only affect KS2 as EYFS and KS1 have funded lunches so there's no need to book.** We have thought very carefully about how to plan this process and we hope you will find it more efficient and effective.

## Harvest Assembly

A reminder that we are collecting food items for our harvest assembly on **3<sup>rd</sup> October**. We will then donate these items to Foodbank. Please see Dojo for the flyer with full details. Items can be sent into school with your child or left with the school office. Thanks in advance for your support.

## Reading

At Luxulyan school we value the benefits that reading at home and at school can offer children and adults. The importance placed upon reading in school has contributed to a shared love of reading for pleasure and some excellent assessment outcomes across all age ranges. With that in mind, Miss T acts as our Accelerated Reader lead and has produced some interesting snapshots of the reading currently taking place in school.

# Luxulyan School Reads!



In September 2023, students have read...

**93** Books

**1,066,022** Words

for **15** minutes/day!  
(individual student average)

RENAISSANCE

**Accelerated Reader®**

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## Attendance 25<sup>th</sup> September – 29<sup>th</sup> September 2023 Whole School 94.4%

For all CELT schools this attendance threshold is set at 96% in line with national attendance data.

Ash	Beech	Sycamore	Oak
96.9%	94.3%	92.4 %	95.4%

Thank you so much for your support in ensuring your children are in school regularly and therefore making the most of their educational opportunities. As mentioned earlier illness has really had an impact upon attendance this week. Congratulations to **ASH** class.

Just 2 weeks to go until half term. Have a great weekend.

Best Wishes,

### Congratulations to our Celebration Award Winners

<b>Ash</b>	<b>Star of the week – Isaac R</b> <b>GLEE - Ronnie</b> <b>Maths - Ruby</b>
<b>Beech</b>	<b>Star of the week – Elsie</b> <b>GLEE – Isla</b> <b>Maths – Ruben</b>
<b>Sycamore</b>	<b>Star of the week – Ellis</b> <b>GLEE – Lucy</b> <b>Maths – Ed</b>
<b>Oak</b>	<b>Star of the week – Kaida</b> <b>GLEE – Esme</b> <b>Maths – Alfie B.</b>

Headteacher

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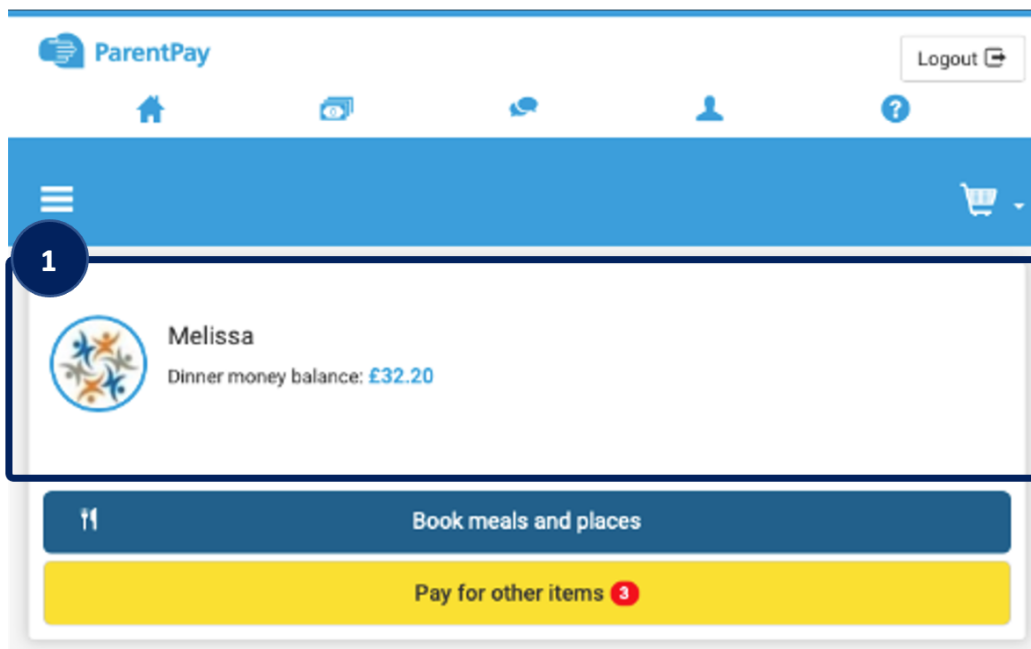
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## Making bookings on Parent Pay

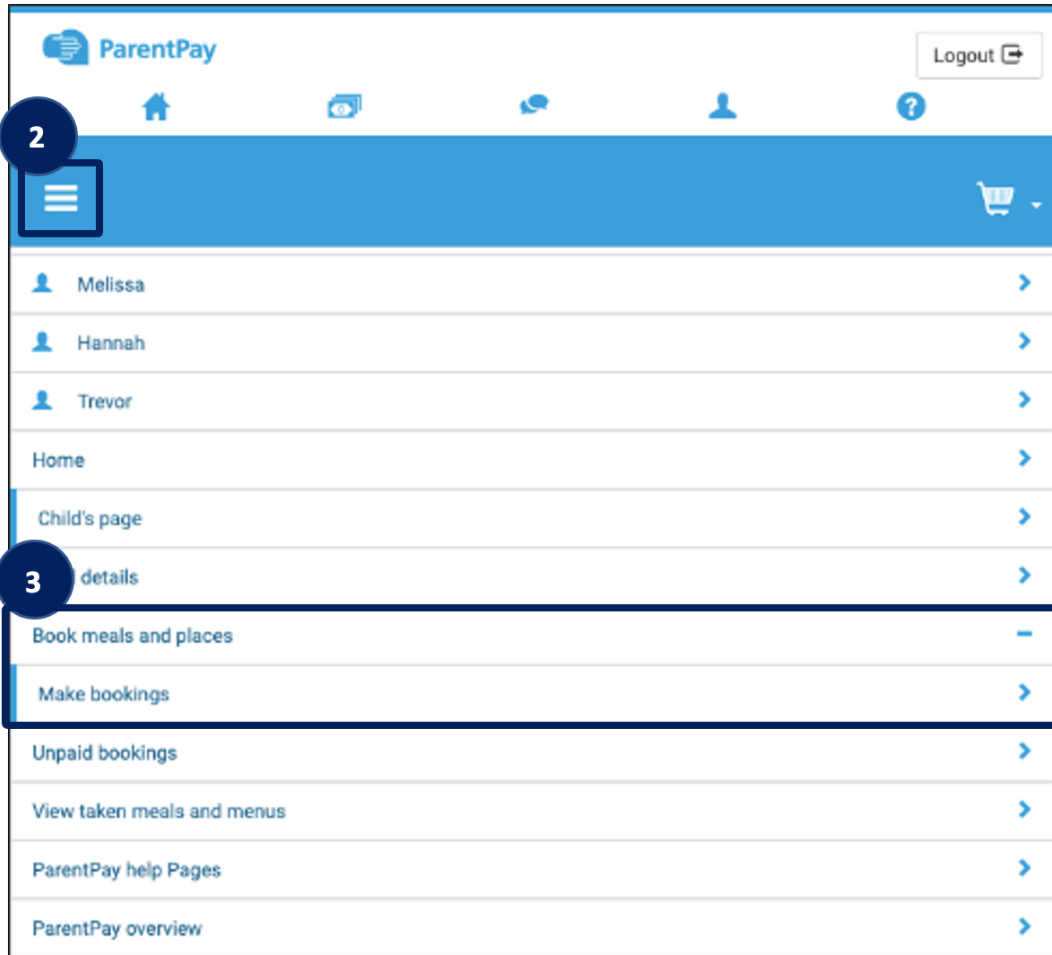
**Luxulyan School would really appreciate your support in pre-booking your child's Sunrise and Treetops sessions, and also school lunches. We kindly ask that Sunrise clubs are booked for the week ahead, by 12pm each Thursday; Treetops Sessions are booked by 12pm on the day; and school meals are booked by 7.30am daily. You can book a week, month or half term in advance.**

1. Go to [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com) and log in.
2. Select the child to make bookings for [1].

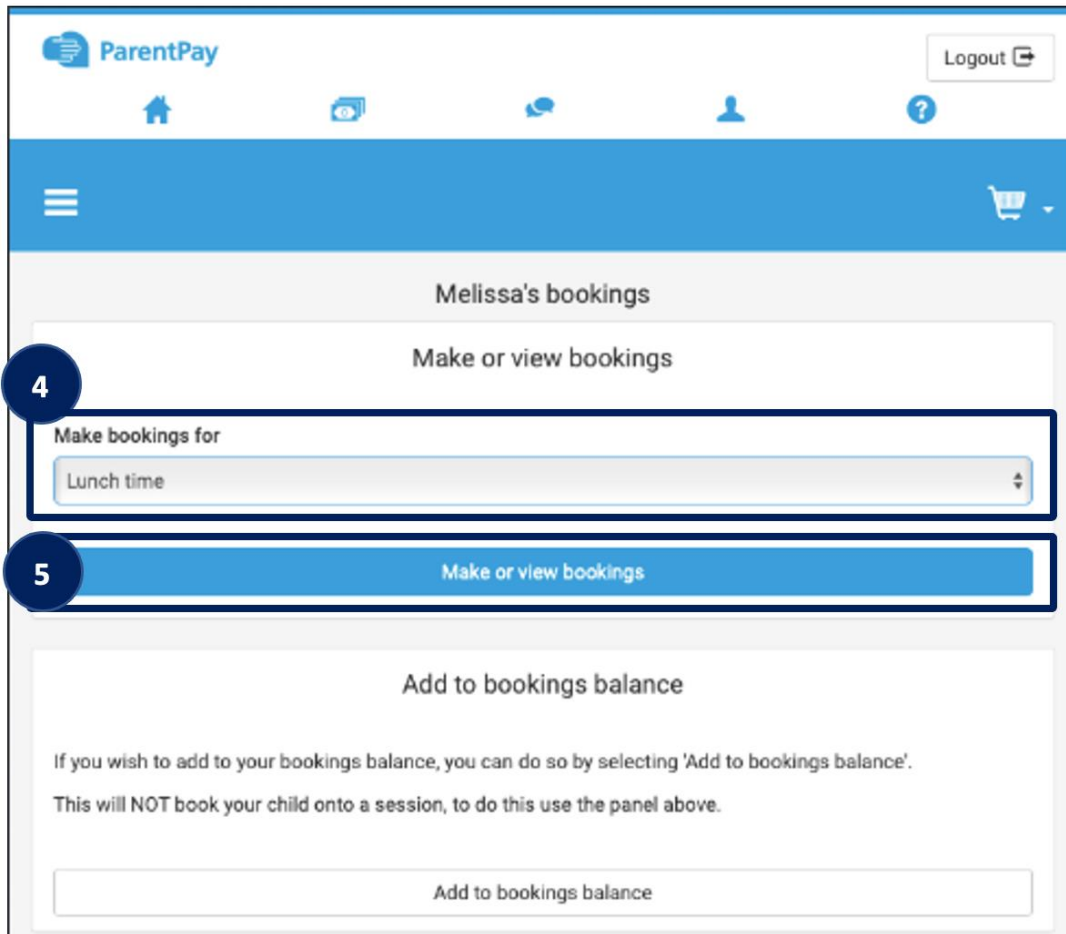




- From the menu [2] select **Book meals and places** > **Make bookings** [3].



- Select the **Event (Lunchtime/Sunrise Club/Treetops Club)** that you wish to make a booking for [4] and if required choose a week. Then select **Make or view bookings** [5].



5. A booking screen will be presented: Book a meal or event by clicking the day of the week it is required for. Use the **Next week** button to make further bookings.



6. Make all desired bookings.



7. A summary will be displayed at the bottom of the page with any previous unpaid bookings shown in

Booking summary	
<a href="#">Show symbols</a>   <a href="#">Help</a>   <a href="#">Hide info</a>	
Adam Aplha's Lunch time	
Bookings added	3
Bookings cancelled	0
Cost of new bookings	£6.90
Unpaid bookings	£2.30
Payment due	£9.20
<a href="#">Cancel</a>	<a href="#">Confirm bookings</a>

red.

**WARNING:** Any bookings must be confirmed and (if required) paid for within 2 hours of selecting them. Failure to do so will result in the bookings being automatically cancelled.

8. Review the booking summary and select confirm booking.
9. Any credit in your Parent Account will be used to pay for the meals. Any remaining cost can be paid by Bank Transfer (if enabled), Visa Checkout or Other payment method.

Basket		Order summary	
Item	Total cost	Items:	£9.20
Adam - Bookable school meal	£9.20	Total:	£9.20
		Pay by Parent Account credit:	-£0.00
		Amount to pay:	£9.20
		Pay by	
		<a href="#">Bank Transfer</a>	
		<a href="#">VISA Checkout</a>	Tell Me More
		<a href="#">Other payment method</a>	
		<a href="#">Continue shopping</a>	



## Dates For Your Diary

13 <sup>th</sup> September	Parent/carer Forum – 3:30pm
18 <sup>th</sup> September	Clubs start
29 <sup>th</sup> September	Individual & sibling photos
3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Harvest assembly
4 <sup>th</sup> October	Oak Class trip to White River Cinema – author talk
6 <sup>th</sup> October	School council announced
10 <sup>th</sup> October	Ash class trip to Heligan
16 <sup>th</sup> October	Half term
30 <sup>th</sup> October	Autumn Term 2 begins
1 <sup>st</sup> November	Parent forum – childcare provided
8 <sup>th</sup> November	Flu immunisation programme
13 <sup>th</sup> November	Parent/carer consultations
27 <sup>th</sup> November	KS2 assessment week
7 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Fayre
12 <sup>th</sup> December	Ash class Nativity
13 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol service
14 <sup>th</sup> December	Whole school Pantomime @ HFC
15 <sup>th</sup> December	Last day of term – Christmas sing-a-long