



Spring Term- Newsletter 16

Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been a challenging Spring Term for everyone, thank you for your unwavering support though both lockdown and the return to school. It is wonderful to have all the children back, the school feels like a buzzing hive of learning activity again. We hope to see a gradual return to some sort of normality or a more manageable new normal in the coming months. We will continue to champion the mental and physical wellbeing of the whole school community as well as focusing on progress in learning. We are delighted to welcome back Mrs Hewins from her maternity leave on 4th May. Mrs Hewins will be teaching and supporting learning throughout the school during Summer term and Mr Cooper will continue as Oak Class teacher.

Clubs

There will a clubs list out in the first week of Summer term. Mrs Mileham and Mrs Grubb are organising this ready for sign up in the first week back. Clubs will begin in the week commencing 26th April, unless you have signed up for Plymouth Argyle which begins on Wednesday 21st April.

School charter

We are reviewing our current Behaviour Policy with the whole school and I have spoken to the children today in assembly about a developing a School Charter. You can find the PowerPoint on Class Dojo. We want to elaborate upon our GLEE statement with some promises that incorporate rights and responsibilities for all members of our school community. I have set them all some homework over the Easter Holiday; I have asked them to think about what promises they would add to the School Charter and we will discuss this when we are back in Summer term. It is really important for the whole school community to have ownership of what it means to be a member of Luxulyan School. If you have a chance to talk it through at home that would be wonderful.

PALS Easter Fun

Thank you for your generous donations for the Easter raffles on the Friday's Non-School Uniform Day, the PALS team have prepared 4 hampers and raffle tickets are on sale now via Class Dojo.

I hope you all have an enjoyable Easter Holiday,

Best Wishes,

Emma Williams
Acting Head of School



Early Finish - Last Day of Spring Term

Just a reminder that we finish at 1.30pm on Thursday 1st April.
We will see you all on Monday 19th April for the start of the Summer term.

Jigsaw Healthy Me: We are very proud of the Stars of the Week. Last week we celebrated children who: ...knew how to be a good friend and enjoy healthy relationships



Ofsted Parent View

We would like to draw your attention to Parent View. This is a survey which gives you the chance to tell OFSTED what you think about your child's school. The survey can be completed at any time, you don't have to wait until the school is being inspected, and the link to it is always available on our website under the School Performance tab. We currently have 7 responses for this academic year, thank you very much to those parents who have completed it already. We have such supportive and engaged parents and pupils and we value your opinions.

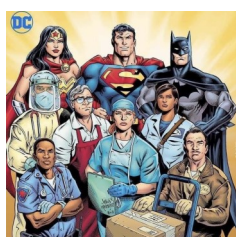
OFSTED use the information provided by parents when making decisions about which schools to inspect and when, so they are always keen that we regularly share this information with you.

If you wish to express your views, go to <http://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/> and click 'Gives us your views' to give Ofsted your views on our school.

If you have any concerns which you would like to share, we would really appreciate you telling us directly as the survey is anonymous and we will not be able to act upon any issues raised.

RED NOSE DAY—NOT ALL SUPERHEROES WEAR CAPES!

We raised a fantastic £ 91.50 for Red Nose Day!! Thank you to everyone who participated and donated.



RED NOSE DAY
NOT ALL SUPERHEROES WEAR CAPES
FRIDAY 19TH MARCH FANCY DRESS
SUGGESTED DONATION £1 - PAY ON PARENTPAY



Royal Cornwall Hospitals
NHS Trust

Year 1 Hearing Screen -

Friday 7th May 2021

The Year 1 Hearing Screen will take place on Friday 7th May.

If you would rather not have your child's hearing tested, please email me on by Monday 26th April 2021:

secretary@luxulyansch.org

Admin/Attendance/Absence/Whole School Unauthorised Leave of Absence

Dear Parent/Carer,

Whole School Warning Letter regarding unauthorised leave of absence (holidays)

Here at Luxulyan School we recognise that there are occasions when it is appropriate to authorise an absence, such as when a pupil is genuinely too ill to attend school, has a medical appointment that cannot be taken outside of school hours or a request for leave has been agreed in exceptional circumstances.

However, the Government does not support parents taking children out of school unless the school agrees this is appropriate under 'exceptional circumstances'. Any request for leave should be made in writing to the Headteacher using the school's request form.

If your child is absent from school without authorisation, you will be committing an offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £60 if paid within 21 days or £120 if paid after this but within 28 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice may result in legal action. Absence not authorised by the school may result in a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court under Section 444(1) or Section 444(1A) of the Education Act 1996, leading to a fine of up to £2,500 and/or a custodial sentence. Cornwall Council

'Parent' as set out in Section 576 of the Education Act 1996, defines parent to include: natural parents, whether they are married or not; any person or body who has parental responsibility for a child (as defined by the Children Act 1989) and; any person who, although not a natural parent, has care of a child. Having care of a child means a person with whom a child lives and who looks after a child, irrespective of what their relationship is with said child.

You are welcome to contact the school to discuss any concerns you may have regarding this or if you feel you would like advice or support in helping your child attend more regularly. Luxulyan School is committed to maximising the education of all its pupils and aims to work with parents to ensure this can be achieved.

Yours sincerely

Mr S Gynn
Executive Headteacher



Our PE providers would like us to advertise their Easter holiday PE club so please see below (this club is not affiliated with Luxulyan School):

We are so excited to tell you all that our Easter Roadshows are now live on our website & available to book, there are many different venues, themes & activities for the children of our community to enjoy. Please see below our list of venues where we will be visiting once, twice or even up to three times per week:

- St Joseph's School, Launceston.
- Lanivet Community Hub.
- Bude Football Club. (£5)
- Wadebridge Football Club - TBC.
- Saltmill 3G Pitch, Saltash.
- St Teath Football Club.
- Dobwalls Football Club.



Please see below our list of provisions & themes across the area:

- Argyle Football Roadshow.
- Match Day Special.
- Girls Only Football Roadshow. (£8)
- Mini Pilgrims. 09:00 - 12:30 option for ages 4-6. (£6.50)
- Saturday Soccer Special.
- Easter Special.

To secure your child's place on one of these fantastic days please follow the link below, spaces are limited so act fast, we cannot wait to see you all again!!!

<https://argylecommunitytrust.co.uk/soccer-roadshows/in-north-devon-east-cornwall/>

argylecommunitytrust.co.uk

ANNUAL SPRING REPORTS

We will be sending home the children's Annuals Reports via bookbag today.

Attendance from 15/03/2021 to 19/03/2021

Ash	100%
Beech	99.3%
Sycamore	97.9%
Oak	100%
Overall	99.1%

PALS Easter raffle

We have 4 glorious hampers up for grabs and all yours for just £1 per number.

Please see Class Dojo for more information.

Numbers will be allocated per raffle request. Simply comment on how many tickets you require and I'll add your name to the next available number. So who is up for some cracking prizes?!

To play:

First comment on how many numbers.

Second pay via BACS

Parents association at Luxulyan School.

Sort code 30 97 28

Account number 01063802

Finally wait for the draw this Thursday on Dojo and collect your prize at the end of the day.

* any numbers that haven't been paid in full before 9am on Thursday 1st April will NOT be entered into the raffle.



Unaccompanied children before the start of the school day

Please could we ask that children are not left in the school grounds before 8.30am in the morning as we do not have staff available to supervise before this time. We are running Sunrise Club from 8am—8.30am so please contact Mrs Grubb if you would like to book a place.

It will cost £2.50 per session and please pay a month in advance via Parentpay. Please could you let us know 48 hours prior to your booking if you have to cancel.

Uncancelled bookings will still be charged as we will have to organise our staffing in advance.

The club will be an additional bubble within the school, all other COVID measure will be in place with regards to ventilation, enhanced cleaning and handwashing.

Diary Dates

Monday 29th March	Annual School Reports for Year 1 to Year 6 will be sent home
Wednesday 31st March	Plymouth Argyle PE session—
Thursday 1st April	Last day at school— Early Finish at 1:30pm
Friday 1st April—Friday 16th April	Easter Holidays
Monday 19th April	Return to school