



School Bulletin Friday 26th May 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you and your family are looking forward to the May half term break, another successful term has flown by and we find ourselves looking ahead towards the end of the year.

I am, however, writing to you to share with you the news that I will be leaving Luxulyan at the end of the school year on a secondment. I have accepted the position of Headteacher at Port Isaac School in September.

The children, staff, parents and carers at Luxulyan School are really very special and it has been a complete privilege to serve as your Headteacher. Although I will be sad to leave Luxulyan, I am pleased to inform you that Nathan Cooper will be Acting Headteacher. Nathan and I work closely as the school's Senior Leadership Team, he knows the school, children, staff and community well. I have every confidence that Luxulyan will continue to thrive under his leadership.

I have spoken to all of the children today, they may wish to talk about this with you at home, I likened the term secondment to the idea of 'borrowing' me to work in a school new to our CELT family.

These changes have implications for the staffing structure of the school and I have outlined the class teachers for next academic year in the table below. Tim Kellow will move to Year 5/6 to be the Oak Class teacher and we have a new member of the team in Dale Hanns-Drake who will be teaching in Sycamore.

After just over 6 years at Luxulyan School, Gemma Illsley has decided not to return following her maternity leave. We wish her all the best in her future ventures.

Have an enjoyable May half term holiday,

Kind Regards,

Emma Williams

Class Structure 2023-24		
Acting Headteacher	Nathan Cooper	
Acting Senior Teacher Ash Class	Rachel Allison	Reception
Beech Class	Jennifer Young	Year 1 & 2
Sycamore Class	Dale Hanns-Drake	Year 3 & 4
Oak Class	Tim Kellow	Year 5&6




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Go Cornish

We are continuing to work towards our Bronze Award for the Go Cornish for Primary Schools project. We have now completed 4 of the 9 sections (signage, communications, activities and community) and are very close to completing the other 5 sections.






This half term we have been learning how to ask and answer the question 'how are you'. The classrooms all now have a prompt poster to support this. Why not try some of these at home.



Lowen-o-meter



Fatla genes? - How are you?

	bryntin	brilliant
	splann	splendid
	pur dha	very good
	da lowr	good enough
	drog	bad



CELT Spelling Day Friday 9th June

 **CELT SPELLING DAY**
Friday 9th June

COMPETITIONS

Y2 - 6 - take part all week (5th - 9th June) in the online CELT Spelling Shed competition.

PRIZES

For the class in each year in Years 2-6 with the highest average number of games played across the trust and individually for the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd child in each age group.

Vouchers, books and ice-cream to be won!



 **FANCY DRESS**

Everyone from Reception to Y6 to come dressed as a word, a letter or a literacy technique on FRIDAY 9th.

After the May half term our whole school, in fact our whole trust focus, is raising the profile of spelling.

It's time to warm up for our CELT Spelling day competition. In the first week back after the half term break. We will be competing against other schools in CELT using Spelling Shed. Which school will come out on top?!

Please check that your child knows their login, (this is brand new for Ash class) and practice playing throughout the half term so they are familiar with the games.

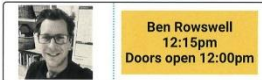
Friday 9th June is a fancy dress day, children are asked to come dressed as a letter, word or literary device! What will you choose? Metaphor, simile, onomatopoeia, an adjective, an idiom...?



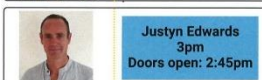
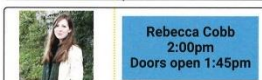
St Austell Festival of Children's Literature

Saturday 17th June 2023

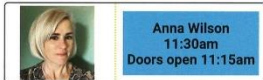
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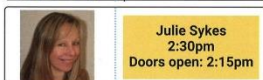
Unit 4



St Austell Library



Pop up venue



St Austell Festival of Children's Literature

Saturday 17th June

You should have received a flyer this week with the information about how to purchase tickets for the festival. It looks like an exciting line up! Let us know if you are going.

Parking

A polite reminder about being thoughtful to our neighbours when parking at the beginning or end of the school day, we have had some concerned residents explaining that their driveways are being blocked.

Parent/Governor post

The Luxulyan Local Governing Body are looking for a parent governor to join our governing body. As a governor you will be a volunteer who makes a vital contribution to the success of the school. If you are interested in the vacancy and would like to discuss the role further please contact either Mrs Williams luxulyanhead@lux.celtrust.org or our Chair of Governors Sandra Beardsmore sbeardsmore@gov.celtrust.org



Attendance 22nd May - 26th May

Whole School 96.9 %

The whole school attendance has been excellent again this week. For all CELT schools this attendance threshold is set at 96% in line with national attendance data.

The class to host Kowan for the week is Beech!

Ash	Beech	Sycamore	Oak
98.2%	100%	92.1%	97.9%

Celebration Assembly

This week we are celebrating children who uphold the Luxulyan School Charter.

Ash	Star of the Week	Jude
	Maths Award	Evie
	GLEE	Marlie
Beech	Star of the Week	Harper
	Maths Award	Charlotte
	GLEE	Edward
Sycamore	Star of the Week	Isaac
	Maths Award	Rupert
	GLEE	Amelia
Oak	Star of the Week	Lucas
	Maths Award	Cerise
	GLEE	Aiden



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Important Diary Dates for the Academic Year

Monday 29 th May – Friday 2 nd June	May Half Term – School Closed
Wednesday 14 th June – Friday 16 th June	Sycamore and Oak Class – Barton Hall Residential Trip
Saturday 17 th June	St Austell Festival of Children's Literature
Monday 26 th June 2023	Feast Week Community Cohesion Day – School Closed
Tuesday 18 th July	Sports Day- Parents/Carers invited to join us for the afternoon time tbc.
Friday 21 st July	Whole School Beach Day- Harlyn Bay
Monday 24 th July	Year 6 Leavers Day & BBQ in the evening
Tuesday 25 th July	Leavers Assembly in the morning, time tbc.
Tuesday 25 th July	Last Day of Summer Term 1:30pm finish



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