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# NEWSLETTER

## 17th March 2023

Lunch Menu - w/b Monday 20th March 2023: *Week 3*



### Message from Mrs Craig

#### **British Science Week**

As it was British Science week this week, it was great to see all the lovely photos of the different experiments the children had tried out at home. The invisible ink experiment seemed to be the most popular, with all sorts of funny messages being written. The children also linked up to some live Science lessons online and enjoyed exploring the many 'Connections' there are in the world! Thank you to everyone who took part at home, still some time left closing date Tuesday 21st March.

#### **Comic Relief 2023**

The school was awash with the colour red today, as we celebrated Red Nose Day 2023! There certainly were some crazy and colourful hair styles and plenty of red outfits and noses. We are still adding up how much has been raised and will let you know next week. Thank you to everyone for taking part and helping to raise money for such a valuable cause.

#### **Easter Bingo**

Easter Egg donations are continuing to come in ready for our Easter Bingo on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March. If you have yet to make a donation and would like to, please drop an egg or some Easter chocolate into the office next week. I am really looking forward to my first Easter Bingo at Weeth and I've already got my Bingo dabbling pens ready!

#### **Safeguarding**

Safeguarding children is obviously our number one priority here at Weeth. With this in mind, the decision has been made to close both the pedestrian and vehicle gates at the front of school each morning at 8.40am. They will not be locked but parents do need to be aware, particularly those who drive into the school car park to drop off in the morning.

Please be aware that the school is being regularly patrolled by traffic wardens who are checking that parents are not stopping anywhere on the zig zag lines. The rules of the road state, that vehicles cannot park or wait on the yellow lines. This includes stopping to let children jump out of the car. The traffic patrol wardens will also be coming into school to talk to the children about road safety. Thank you in advance for your support with this.



# WHOLE SCHOOL

# NEWS

## Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel Event

Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel is the UK's largest walking, wheeling, scooting and cycling challenge. It inspires pupils to make active journeys to school, improve air quality in the neighbourhood and discover how these changes benefit their world. It's more important now than ever to travel actively. Active travel is a great way to build physical activity into children's daily routine. It helps them arrive to school more relaxed and alert, and is great for their mental wellbeing too. This year the challenge will run from 20th-31st March 2023 and we are taking part.

On each day of the challenge schools compete to see who can record the greatest number of pupils walking, using a wheelchair, scooting or cycling to school. A school's best five days will determine their final position and schools at the top of their leaderboards will receive an exclusive Sustrans Big Walk and Wheel certificate and prizes. If you live too far away and have no option but to drive, you might like to park a bit further away from school than you usually do and then walk in. This will still count 😊 Let's hope for a dry couple of weeks!

That just leaves me to wish you a wonderful, busy weekend. Happy Red Nose Day, Happy St Patricks Day and Happy Mother's Day for Sunday!  
Mrs Craig.



## SCIENCE WEEK SUPER CHALLENGE 2023

Complete all of the challenges below to be in with a chance of winning the class science prize. There is one prize for each class. If you complete at least one you will get a super science certificate. Please send photos to class teachers on class dojo. Deadline for entries: Tuesday 21st March.

**Can you fill the beaker by completing them all?**

**Challenge 1:** Set up an egg drop experiment. Decorate some eggs and add them to zippi bags filled with different materials like cotton wool, paper, fabric, newspaper and then drop them from the same height. Which material protects the eggs the best? Try out some of your own ideas also.

**Challenge 2:** Can you blow up a balloon with ALKA SELTZER? Put some water into a small plastic bottle, put an ALKA SELTZER inside and pop the balloon on top. Does it blow up? You could experiment also with vinegar. What happens if you use warm water?

**Challenge 3:** Invisible Ink. Mix a little lemon or lime juice with some water and write on paper. Ask an adult to put your paper in the oven does your message appear?

**Challenge 4:** Plant and grow something of your choice.

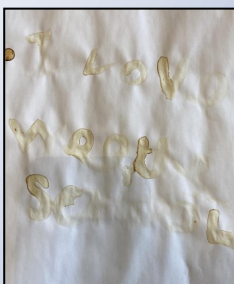
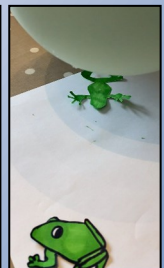
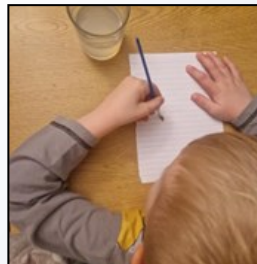
**Challenge 5:** Make some jumping frogs. Draw and cut some frog shapes onto paper. Rub a balloon on your hair or jumper and hold over the frogs to watch them jump.

**Challenge 6:** Can you make a bridge strong enough to hold the weight of a spoon from newspaper or spaghetti and marshmallows.



## British Science Week

Some great photos being sent in for the Science Week Super Challenge, still time to submit your entries.



In Year 2 we have been investigating the perfect conditions for seed growth or as us Year 2 scientists call it 'germination' We predict that a healthy seed that receives warmth, moisture and air will thrive and survive.





# SUPERSTARS

## Superstars

This week's class superstars are:

Name	Class	Reason
Kayden	FS2	For always trying hard at school and home. We all really enjoy seeing his homework appear on the class dojo.
Oakley H	Year 1	For such wonderful independent maths work, partitioning number. Great work!
Bryher	Year 2	For listening intently and taking on top tips and advice from her teachers to make a real impact on her learning.
Charlie M	Year 3	Your resilience has had a big impact in all your work this week.
Isaac	Year 4	For always trying his hardest throughout all subjects. This week I have seen you supporting your peers and having an incredible impact with their learning. Thank you for being a star!
Sienna	Year 5	For listening to feedback about your handwriting and thinking carefully about the size of your writing - it has had a fantastic impact on your presentation.
Ayden	Year 6	For incredible effort, focus and determination in English lessons. Very well done!

## Rainbow Award Winners

Class	Name
FS2	Regan
Year 1	Ollie
Year 2	Dominic
Year 3	Harley W
Year 4	Leala
Year 5	Poppy
Year 6	Polly

## Attendance Award

Class attendance for week beginning Monday 13th March is as follows :

FS2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
97.5%	98.8%	95.2%	97.8%	94.3%	97.5%	92.3%

This week's attendance cup goes to **Year One**





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**Resilient Rick**

Our most resilient class this week is  
**Year 6**



**Responsive Rita**

Our most responsive class this week is  
**Year 3**



**Resourceful Roz**

Our most resourceful class this week is  
**Year 3**



**Reflective Rob**

Our most reflective class this week is  
**Year 6**



Each week our PE Instructor, Mr Fearn from Saints South West, Miss Kitchin and Mrs Bailey select an award winner per class.

This week's award winners are shown on the right.

Class	Name	Skill Area
FS2	Presley & Regan	Engagement
Year 1	Bodhi	Engagement
Year 2	No PE this week	
Year 3	Malachi & Teddy	Engagement & Skills
Year 4	Ailla	Engagement
Year 5	Kye	Engagement
Year 6	Ayden & Alayah	Engagement & Teamwork

**PE days: Week beginning Monday 20th March**

FS2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Monday and Friday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Friday (Swimming)	Monday	Wednesday	Thursday

Polite reminder : Please can children take earrings out for PE days (especially if swimming) many thanks.



SCHOOL

EVENTS

**sustrans**  
**BIG WALK AND WHEEL**  
20-31 March 2023

Headline sponsor **SCHWALBE**

The Friends of Weeth School  
invite you to:

## Family Easter Bingo!

Wednesday 29th March  
3.15pm start (doors open at 3pm)  
in the School Hall

Everyone Welcome

**We will be playing 4 games  
with 3 chances to win per game, each game 50p.  
Lots of Easter Egg prizes to be won.**

## Dr Bike at Weeth School

**Cycle or Scoot into School...**

...Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> March for a Free  
Cycle/Scooter service

Dave from Sustrans will be here from 8.15.

Please support of PTA  
With this fundraising opportunity  
Collection day 9am, 30th March

Dear Parent / Guardian

We are pleased to announce that Weeth CP School has organised a clothes & shoe collection with Bag2School in order to raise funds for PTA funds.

**Bag2School is the UK's leading textile recycler and fundraiser working with schools and since its inception in 2001 it has now paid out over £36 million.**

As well as raising vitally needed funds for Weeth CP School, it also helps the environment by helping to divert unwanted textiles away from landfill. A recent DEFRA report has shown that textile collection schemes are helping to reduce the volume of textiles discarded as municipal solid waste. However it is a fact that as a nation we still send 350,000 tonnes of textiles to landfill every year.

By getting involved in our **Bag2School** collection, you have an opportunity to sort through your cupboards and wardrobes and donate unwanted textiles in a black bin bag – this can include adults' and children's clothes, shoes (tied together please), hats, belts, handbags and soft toys, (please refer to <http://uk.bag2school.com/> for full details). In addition to raising much needed funds it will also raise awareness amongst the children of the benefits of recycling and reuse.

You can use as many black bin bags as you wish to donate your items and don't forget to ask grandparents, friends and neighbours to have a sort out as well! The more you donate, the more money we get as a school.



# MENU



## Lunch Menu



Week beginning : Monday 20th March ~ Week Three

WEEK 3				
W/C: 14/11 05/12 16/01 06/02 27/02 20/03				
	HOT SPECIALS...	DAILY FAVES...	PICK A PUD!	
MONDAY	<b>Pesto Pasta Bake</b> ● Served with Two Vegetables	<b>Cheese and Tomato Pizza</b> ● ● Served with Potato Wedges	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> ♡ ● with a choice of hot and cold fillings <b>Tomato Pasta</b> ● ● Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	<b>Strawberry Ice Cream</b>
TUESDAY	<b>Sweet and Sour Chicken</b> ● Served with Wholegrain Rice	<b>West African Vegetable Rice</b> ● ● Served with Two Vegetables	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> ♡ ● with a choice of hot and cold fillings <b>Tomato Pasta</b> ● ● Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	<b>Fruity Flapjack Bar</b> ●
WEDNESDAY	<b>Roast Gammon</b> Served with Roast Potatoes, Two Vegetables and Gravy	<b>Vegetable Pastry Roll</b> ● Served with Roast Potatoes, Two Vegetables and Gravy	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> ♡ ● with a choice of hot and cold fillings <b>Tomato Pasta</b> ● ● Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	<b>Fruit Jelly and Custard</b> ●
THURSDAY	<b>Cottage Pie</b> ♡ Served with Two Vegetables	<b>Vegetarian Cottage Pie</b> ● ● Served with Two Vegetables and Gravy	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> ♡ ● with a choice of hot and cold fillings <b>Tomato Pasta</b> ● ● Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	<b>Chocolate Milkshake served with Chocolate Biscuit</b>
FRIDAY	<b>Southern Fried Chicken</b> Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	<b>Vegan Meatballs in Tomato Sauce</b> ● ● Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> ♡ ● with a choice of hot and cold fillings <b>Tomato Pasta</b> ● ● Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	<b>Chocolate Slice</b>

There will be a new lunch menu being launched after the Easter Break.

Please note can lunch accounts be paid promptly. Lunches are supposed to be paid for in advance or on the day. Many thanks.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Beans	Cheese (every week) or Salmon mayonnaise (week 1 only)	Beans	Cheese	Beans



# DIARY DATES

## Diary Dates 2022/23

\* New Dates Added

### March 2023

Monday 13th - Friday 17th March : Science Week

Wednesday 22nd March : FS2 Wednesday walk to Camborne Church

Thursday 23rd March : Year 2 trip to Camborne Church

Monday 27th March : Open Entry KS2 Cross Country races at CSIA field - no pre sign up, just race & go  
(Year 3/4 start at 4pm, Year 5/6 start at 4.30pm (no after school cross country club on this day))

Wednesday 29th March : Dr. Bike at Weeth (Sustrans - Free Bike/Scooter MOT during the school day)

Wednesday 29th March : PTA Easter Bingo! In the school hall at 3.15pm

Thursday 30th March : Next Bags2School Collection

Friday 31st March : End of term, normal school finish.

### April 2023

Monday 17th April : Summer term starts

Week beginning Monday 17th April : Summer term after-school clubs start

Friday 21st April : Swimming starts for Year 5, continues for 6 weeks

Thursday 20th April : Chance to Shine Cricket sessions for Year 3 and Year 5 start (runs for 6 weeks)

Thursday 27th April : Tempest class group photos

Saturday 29th April : Trevithick Day

### May 2023

Monday 1st May : National Bank Holiday

Wednesday 3rd May : FS2 trip to Newquay Zoo

Thursday 4th May : RNLI whole school beach safety assembly

Monday 8th May : National Bank Holiday for King's Coronation

**Tuesday 9th May : Friday 12th May : Year 6 SATS**

Tuesday 16th May : Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 Healthy Schools workshop

Wednesday 17th May : FS2, Year 1 and 2 Healthy Schools workshop

Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June : Half term holiday

### June / July 2023

Wednesday 21st June - Friday 23rd June : Year 5-6 Residential at PGL Adventure, Beam House, Devon.

Tuesday 27th June : Year 4 trip to the Eden Project

Monday 3rd - Wednesday 5th July : Year 3-4 Residential at Porthpean Outdoor Education Centre.

Friday 21st July : Last day of term, normal school finish



# COMMUNITY NEWS

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**Next Open Entry CSIA Cross-Country event at CSIA Field Monday 27th March. No pre sign up, just race & go There is no after school cross country club on this date.**

### KS2 Cross-country League 2022/23



**6 races over the academic year**

- Opportunities for children to work towards their endurance medal by attending all 6 races.
- Medals for the top runners from each year group at the end of the session.
- Points awarded for every runner to find the winning school at the end of the year. (Points calculated for size of school)
- 4pm-5pm
- Qualifiers within these races.
- Boys and girls races

**Run your race... Record your result... And off you go.**




### TIME MOVE Holiday Programme

**Easter 2023**

Yoga, circus skills, rock pooling, multi-sports, forest schools and SO much more!

Every session includes a healthy meal for all children.

Activities are taking place across Cornwall during the Easter holidays  
April 3rd - 14th

Visit our website to register now  
• Activities available for children aged 5 - 16 •  
• Funded places for ALL children eligible for benefits related free school meals •

For more information:  
<https://www.activecornwall.org/T2MHolidayProgramme>  
[Time2Move.HolidayProgramme@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:Time2Move.HolidayProgramme@cornwall.gov.uk)  
 01872 323335

  
 @2mholidayprog



## 'HAVE A GO DAYS'

FREE TO ATTEND. A FUN AND FRIENDLY ACTIVITY FOR CHILDREN WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS OR DISABILITY AND THEIR SIBLINGS OR FRIENDS, AGES 6-17




**EASTER BREAK!**  
 Wednesday 5th April & Thursday 13th April at:  
 10am-12pm at Bodmin Leisure Centre  
 2-4pm at Cornwall College



Booking is essential. For more information and to book your free place(s) contact Sharon on:  
 01736 759500 or email [sharonw@disabilitycornwall.org.uk](mailto:sharonw@disabilitycornwall.org.uk)  
 Find us on Facebook by searching 'Have a Go Days Cornwall'.



## Coast ACTIVITY PROGRAMME

**Ofsted Registered**  
See website for details

**TIME MOVE Holiday Programme**

**April 3rd - 6th and 11th - 14th**  
See website for venue specific dates

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ST IVES SECONDARY SCHOOL  
ST IVES LEISURE CENTRE  
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**£25 for Full Day**  
Tax-Free Childcare Vouchers accepted

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**ACTIVITIES**  
Swimming  
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Golf  
and so much more

**AGES 5-16**

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