

Summercourt Academy News



Wednesday 28th March 2018

Happy Easter



We would like to wish you all a very happy and safe Easter and look forward to starting the Summer term, new term starts Monday 16th April.

Clubs

We will have no clubs other than Allsorts on the first week back after the Easter holidays, letters will be sent home with details about the new clubs at the start of the new term.

Also there will be no Allsorts or After School Clubs on **Thursday 19th April** due to staff training.



Batteries

Thank you to everyone for the massive response to our battery hunt. We really have got some battery recycling champions. All of the batteries need to back into school by **Thursday 19th April**, lets see if Summercourt can win some prizes!!

Staffing Changes - New Teacher Welcome

We are delighted to announce that Miss Devonport will be joining us next term as the new Class 3 Teacher. We are confident that she will be a great addition to our team here at Summercourt. Miss Devonport is excited to be joining us and we are very much looking forward to welcoming her to our Summercourt family.

There will be a meet and greet session with Miss Devonport at the start of the Summer term



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Skol Nansledan

The official 'unveiling of the name' ceremony took place on Thursday 22nd March at the site of the new Aspire free school, *Skol Nansledan*, on the Nansledan urban development, Newquay. The school is due to open in September 2019 with two Reception classes and will eventually be a two-form entry school catering for 420 pupils. We were immensely honoured to have HRH The Duke of Cornwall in attendance, together with representatives from The Duchy, various contractors, Aspire members and pupils from nearby Mawgan-in-Pydar Primary School and Summercourt Academy. We will keep you posted on the Aspire Facebook page and website as the build progresses.



Bugle Serenades Royalty

Thursday 22nd March also saw the Y6 class from Bugle School sing for HRH The Duke of Cornwall at the Bicentenary celebrations of the Royal Cornwall Museum. The children joined forces with Treloweth School, Redruth, and had just one rehearsal before singing for the royal visitor. The children looked impeccable in full uniform and were beautifully behaved all morning, singing with a distinct professionalism. In the main foyer of the museum Prince Charles spoke to a number of the pupils from both schools and took a real interest in the song that was performed. Well done Y6, outstanding effort!



Workplace Health Awards 2018

There was more Aspire success at this year's Workplace Health Awards, held at the Cornwall Showground in Wadebridge. Biscovey, Bugle, Shortlanesend, Sandy Hill, St Minver and Whitemoor academies scooped Gold with Mount Hawke, St Breock, St Stephen Churchtown and TLA taking Silver. Director of Wellbeing, Roger Green, received the 'Outstanding Service' award, Steph Russell of Whitemoor Academy and Aspire HR & Wellbeing Officer Lucy Wright were both nominated for 'Wellbeing Champion of the Year' and Sandy Hill Academy was awarded the prestigious Mentor Award. What a bonus!

Focus on ... Dan Smith

Dan Smith is an IT Technician who joined Aspire three years ago as an apprentice. Dan is part of the IT & Communications Team within Aspire Core Services, which provides a wide range of expert support and advice to all schools within the Trust. He is primarily based at Penryn Academy, but also covers schools in the West Hub, Truro Hub and Mid Hub. The IT Team provide crucial support for all of the staff and pupils within Aspire, ranging from Helpdesk support to maintaining school infrastructure. With the use of technology becoming more prominent in the classroom, part of Dan's role is to ensure that children safely access this technology. This includes the sourcing and setting up of iPads and apps, Chromebooks and interactive C-Touch screens. Dan finds his role very rewarding and is passionate about ensuring staff and pupils get the best out of the technology and systems they use. Not only does he deal with all things IT, he has also stepped into the role of Father Christmas at TLA!



Aspire Charter of Excellence Update

This term saw more of our academies gaining their Pupil Premium and SEND marques, as part of the *Aspire Charter of Excellence*, a framework designed to transform outcomes for children and redefine what is truly outstanding across a breadth of subjects and focus areas. There are too many schools to mention here but more details can be found at <https://bit.ly/2GwrXN4>

Aspire Academy Websites

The first two new Aspire eSchools' websites went live this term, with Cusgarne Primary (www.cusgarne.org), together with Warbstow CP School (www.warbstow.org.uk), our special digital guinea pigs! Websites play an increasingly important role in our schools, providing an effective communication hub for the community and a 'quality assurance' platform for OFSTED. Creating a vibrant, professional yet simple website design for the Trust, and one which still allows individual academy identity, is the aim of our website overhaul programme and we're delighted with the results to date. Delabole, Tintagel, TLA and Probus upgrades coming very soon!



School Dinner Menu w/b 16th April

NEW MENU

Week one	
	16/04 07/05 04/06 25/06 16/07 03/09 24/09 15/10
Monday	<p>Choose a main meal...</p> <p>Mozzarella & Tomato Pizza with Pasta Salad ✓ Mediterranean Summer Beans with Rice ✓</p> <p>on the side...</p> <p>Crunchy Salad Peas</p> <p>for dessert...</p> <p>Wedges of Melons and Orange</p>
Tuesday	<p>Choose a main meal...</p> <p>Chicken Mayo Burger with Jacket Wedges Vegetable Biryani ✓</p> <p>on the side...</p> <p>House Coleslaw Sweetcorn</p> <p>for dessert...</p> <p>Mini Chocolate Brownie with Banana & Custard</p>
Wednesday	<p>Choose a main meal...</p> <p>Roast Pork with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes & Gravy ✓</p> <p>on the side...</p> <p>Seasonal Cabbage Carrots</p> <p>for dessert...</p> <p>Blueberry Fro Yoghurt</p>
Thursday	<p>Choose a main meal...</p> <p>Beef Chilli with Rice Macaroni, Sweetcorn & Cheese Bake ✓</p> <p>on the side...</p> <p>Broccoli Cauliflower</p> <p>for dessert...</p> <p>Berry Flapjack</p>
Friday	<p>Choose a main meal...</p> <p>Crispy Fish & Chips Veggie Hot Dog with Chips ✓</p> <p>on the side...</p> <p>Baked Beans Peas</p> <p>for dessert...</p> <p>Orange Shortbread with Yoghurt Dipper</p>

Please note:
We have had to swap the Tuesday lunch to Thursday and Thursday's menu will now be on Tuesday.

DIARY DATES

WED 28th MAR - No Allsorts

WED 28th MAR - Last day of Term - 2pm Finish

THURS 29th MAR - INSET Day - School Closed

MON 16th APR - Summer Term Starts

MON 16th APR - KS2 RNLI Beach Safety Talk - PM

FRI 11th MAY - Bag 2 School Collection

MON 14th MAY - YR6 SATS Week

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LEARNING FOR LIFE

CLASS 1:

CLASS 2:

CLASS 3:

CLASS 4:

HANDWRITING

CLASS 1:

CLASS 2:

CLASS 3:

CLASS 4:

STAR AWARD

CLASS 1:

CLASS 2:

CLASS 3:

CLASS 4:

ATTENDANCE

CLASS 1: 95.5%

CLASS 2: 96.9%

CLASS 3: 95.2%

CLASS 4: 93.1%



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