




# Weekly Newsletter

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## This week's focus: The Penponds Church Easter Experience



On Tuesday Godolphin class walked to Penponds Church to learn all about the Easter story. We went into the church and sat on the pews and got into small groups of 7. There were 5 stations that had been created by the helpers in the church. The first station was all about the story of when Jesus was in his thirties. He washed people's feet and what we did was dip our finger in a bowl of water and drew a cross on our hands. After that we learnt about the Last Supper. We ate bread and grapes and talked about what the food represented. We made models out of plasticine to make people happy who are lonely. Another station was all about all the resurrection - that was great as we could have chocolate. Instead of having Easter eggs we had celebrations to celebrate Easter! The last station was all about Jesus on the cross and how everyone lied about him. We learnt about the Roman soldiers putting him on the cross and why the soldiers had to wait for him to die - did you know the Roman soldiers played a game of dice while they waited? Overall it was a really good workshop and we'd like to thank Olive and everyone at the church who ran the stations. Every class visited the church this week. **By Ellie, Ava, Freya B, Issie, Laurie and Maisie.**

## Football Match – Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April



## Dates for your diary:

**Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> April** – Last Day for children

**Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April** – INSET day – no children in school

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April** – First day back for children

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April** – First Sports 4 Tots after school

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April** – Beach Safety talk in the Hall in Assembly

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April** – First Surfing Club after school

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April** – First Dance Club after school

**Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April** – Pasty Day – pasties for school lunch to celebrate Trevithick Day

**Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> April** – Trevithick Day, Camborne. Dance starts at 10.15am

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April** NEXUS Maths Masterclass 8.55am

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April** – Class 3 swimming (morning session) replacing lesson on 21<sup>st</sup> January.

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May** – Bank Holiday

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May** NEXUS Maths Masterclass 8.55am

**13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> May** – SATs week for Year 6

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May** – School Photographs - Class groups, Sports Groups and Year 6



On Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April Penponds School Football Team faced Weeth School. They were much taller than us but Jake had a few tricks up his sleeve. At kick off Jake gave a quick pass to Ben. Ben ran with the ball all the way up to the Weeth goal but the Weeth players ganged up on him and they kicked it out so it was a corner. Ben shot the ball and it nearly went in. The ball was near the goal. Without thinking Jake ran for the ball, shot.....and SCORED! The gathering crowd gave great applause as Jake returned to his position in centre-mid. For the next 25 minutes Jake was on a roll! He scored a hat-trick. In the last 5 minutes the Weeth team got the ball near Alex (the Penponds School goalkeeper). He saved the shot with one hand over the bar but there was another player coming for the corner and he hand-balled it in. Luckily, it didn't count! For the last few minutes Penponds had the ball and had shots but they all missed and Alex had a clean sheet. **By Thomas and Ben**

### Bling your Bike!



**Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May** – Half-term holiday

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**3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> June** – Camp at Eden Project - Trecrom Class -

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**2<sup>nd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> July** – RMat London Trip – Tregonning Class

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**Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July** – Penponds Family Festival

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**15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> July** – Work Experience Students in school

**15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> July** – Transition Days for Year 6 at CSIA

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**First day back for children:**

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2019**

**INSET DAYS 2019/2010**

Wed 4<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Fri 12<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> June 2020

Thu 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2020

A huge thank you to everyone who helped the children Bling their Bike for our efforts in The Big Pedal this year. On Wednesday afternoon Dave from Sustrans came into assembly and handed out prizes to everyone who has entered. We'd like to give a special mention to all those children who brought their bikes into school yesterday, especially when the hail storm came in!

### The Writers Block



Yesterday Amanda came into school from The Writers' Block. The Writer's block is a special building in Cornwall College campus which is dedicated to helping improve children's

writing. We have used the facilities of the Writers block in the past and it has a brilliant impact on giving children ideas for magical and descriptive stories. This year they have been shortlisted for a People's project funding award of £50K to improve the provision. You can watch a short video and vote for the project here:

<https://www.thepeoplesprojects.org.uk/projects/view/the-writers-block>

Please vote to support the bid here:

### Clubs after Easter

**Surfing club** will start on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April for those children that have signed up.

**Dance club** will start on Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April for those children that have signed up.

**Sports for Tots** will start on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April.

All other clubs will start week beginning 29<sup>th</sup> April. Club letter will follow.

### Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar help

Handy links for parents to help prepare children for the Year 6 SPAG test, reading and general literacy support.

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/for-home/reading-owl/expert-help/grammar-punctuation-and-spelling-made-easy>



Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling made easy What is the English grammar, punctuation and spelling test at the end of Year 6? Watch the video Grammar: the basics

### Easter Bonnet Award Winners



### Attendance and Awards for this week:

#### Attendance:

**Carn Brea:** 96.99%

**Godolphin:**

**Y1** – 90.76%

**Y2** – 100%

**Trencrom** – 92.24%

**Tregonning** – 92.86%

#### Attendance Trophy

Godolphin Classs – Year 2

#### Awards:

**Top Table:** Orla, Morley, Eloise, Jasper

**Carn Brea:** Ia, Holly, Elffin

#### Godolphin:

**Y1** – Grace, Mia, Emily Q

**Y2** – Erin, Leon, Laurie

**Trencrom** – Chloe, Evie, Charlotte

**Tregonning** – Ellena, Thomas, Ruby

**Maths** – Ava, Ryan, Hermione, Emelia, Toby

**Headteacher** – Ryan, Trystan, Harvey, Jayden, Maisy C, Sebastian, Charlie

#### Bonnet parade awards:

Isobel, Elijah J-D, Indie-Rae, Kaiden, Mylo, Ellena and Lilly

#### Quote of the week:

The great gift of Easter is hope. By Basil Hume



## Lunch Menu

Please see new lunch menu for the Summer Term.

### Week one

29/04 30/04 01/05 02/05 03/05 04/05 05/05 06/05

Monday

Choose a main meal...  
Cheese & Tomato Pasta v  
Texan Beef Meatballs with  
Rice

on the side...  
Peas  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Yoghurt & Granola

Tuesday

Choose a main meal...  
Chicken Korma with Rice  
Quorn Sausage Casserole  
v

on the side...  
Green Beans  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Muesli Flapjack

Wednesday

Choose a main meal...  
Roast Ham in Gravy with  
Roast Potatoes  
Cauliflower & Sweetcorn  
Bake with Roast Potato v

on the side...  
Spring Vegetables  
for dessert...  
Apricot Shortbread

Thursday

Choose a main meal...  
Beef Pasta Bolognese  
Mild Bean Chili with Rice v

on the side...  
Rainbow Vegetables  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Apple & Mango Drizzle  
Cake

Friday

Choose a main meal...  
Fish with Chips  
Quorn Burger in a Bun with  
Chips

on the side...  
Sweetcorn  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Fruit Yoghurt with Apple &  
Melon Slices

### Week two

06/05 17/05 08/07 09/09 30/09

Choose a main meal...  
Macaroni Cheese v  
Salmon Paella

on the side...  
Rainbow Vegetables  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Muesli Flapjack

Choose a main meal...  
Cheese & Tomato Pizza v  
Mild Beef Chili with Rice

on the side...  
Peas & Sweetcorn  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Yoghurt with Apple Slices

Choose a main meal...  
Roast Chicken in Gravy  
with Roast Potatoes  
Quorn Sausage in Gravy  
with Roast Potatoes v

on the side...  
Spring Vegetables  
for dessert...  
Toffee Apple Muffin

Choose a main meal...  
Beef Burger in a Bun with  
Diced Potatoes  
Bean & Potato Hotpot v

on the side...  
Sweetcorn  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Yoghurt & Granola

Choose a main meal...  
Fish & Chips  
Quorn Bites in BBQ  
Tomato Sauce with Chips  
v

on the side...  
Peas  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Cranberry Shortbread

### Week three

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22/04 13/05 03/06 24/06 15/07 16/09 07/10

Choose a main meal...  
Chicken Jambalaya v  
Veggie Pasta Bolognese v

on the side...  
Green Beans  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Yoghurt & Granola with  
Apple Slices

Choose a main meal...  
Sausage & Mash with  
Gravy  
Butternut Squash &  
Chickpea Curry with Rice v

on the side...  
Peas  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Apricot Shortbread

Choose a main meal...  
Roast Beef in Gravy with  
Roast Potatoes  
Quorn Bites in Gravy with  
Roast Potatoes v

on the side...  
Spring Vegetables  
for dessert...  
Yoghurt & Granola

Choose a main meal...  
Cheese & Tomato Pizza  
Mediterranean Rice &  
Beans v

on the side...  
Sweetcorn & Peas  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Chocolate & Pear Marbled  
Sponge with Custard

Choose a main meal...  
Fish & Chips  
Veggie Burger in a Bun with  
Chips v

on the side...  
Baked Beans  
Salad  
for dessert...  
Toffee Apple Muffin

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milk is Red  
Tractor  
approved

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BUY 95%  
of our seasonal  
vegetables  
direct from  
British growers

FRESH SALAD  
IS AVAILABLE ON  
A DAILY BASIS

REDUCING OUR  
CARBON  
FOOTPRINT  
OVER 30%  
of our products are  
transported by vehicles  
that run on biodiesel

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82 BRITISH  
DAIRY  
FARMS



We only use  
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British Eggs

FARM TO FORK  
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cut of meat back to  
the farms of origin

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BREAD IS  
FRESHLY BAKED  
EVERY DAY

All our  
bananas are  
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Our special diets menu can be provided following documentation from medical professional.  
Jacket potatoes with assorted toppings, fruit and yoghurts available daily



# The Writers' Block

The writing centre for Cornwall

Help us win **£50K**

for your community! Vote for The  
Writers' Block in The People's Projects!

**Vote between 1-15 April at  
[www.thepeoplesprojects.org.uk](http://www.thepeoplesprojects.org.uk)**

(Click on the Projects tab, we're under West Country West)



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# Emma's Little Book Nook Story Time

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## What?

Emma's Little Book Nook is hosting a **FREE** story time session, sharing some of the award winning Usborne children's books. Have a coffee and a slice of cake, chat with new friends and listen to some stories.



## When?

Sunday 7th April - 11 am - 12 pm

Saturday 11th May - 11 am - 12 pm

Thursday 6th June - 9.30 am - 10.30 am

## Where?

Costa Coffee, Trelowarren St, Camborne







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# EASTER EGG HUNT

Portreath Beach  
Sunday 21st April 2019

*Dig in the sand for red and gold Easter Eggs  
to win Easter Prizes*

Registration on the beach from 1.00pm  
Digging will start at 2.00pm

**ENTRY FEES: - £1 per child**

Please note that this Easter Egg hunt is for children under 5 years  
and for children 5 to 12 years  
Only plastic or wooden spades are allowed to be used during the search

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# Big Moments

All Stars Cricket gives children the chance to play, learn great skills and meet new friends!

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## Big moments start with All Stars Cricket

An 8 week, fun and active programme for girls and boys aged 5-8!

With All Stars Cricket, your little All Stars will receive their very own personalised kit, including a personalised t-shirt, bat, ball, cap, All Stars Cricket Activity Book and backpack.

They will also learn great skills like throwing, catching, hitting a moving ball, and teamwork - all in a fun and safe environment!



**Play at your local All Stars Cricket centre**

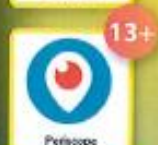
Starting from May 2019 - Register at [allstarscricket.co.uk](http://allstarscricket.co.uk)





Live streaming is the term used to describe the broadcast of a real time video from a mobile device, tablet or games console. Many live streaming apps have functionality for interactions from viewers, such as commenting, live chats and sending reactions during the broadcast. Live streaming opens up a world of excitement for children, where they can watch live concerts, their favourite celebrities and bloggers/vloggers, connect with their friends, watch live gaming and much, much more. Whilst there are many positives with live streaming, it creates a worldwide platform for unsuitable content to be streamed and creates a host of dangers for children.

**98%**  
of child sex abuse  
live streaming victims  
are 13 or under



# What parents need to know about LIVE STREAMING

## SIGN UP PROCESS & AGE RESTRICTIONS

Most live streaming apps have an age restriction of 13 and above. It is important to note that some platforms do not require proof of age when signing up to the app, meaning that anyone can register for an account. This also opens up the opportunity for people to lie about their age to seem older or younger.

## WHO IS WATCHING YOUR CHILD?

If your child's privacy settings are not set up effectively, anybody can be watching their live streams. One of the main characteristics of live streaming is its ability for videos to be instantly shared all over the world, but this creates the opportunity for more people to watch anybody regardless of whether they know them.

## LIVE CONTENT

As the streams are live, children can instantly be exposed to anything inappropriate. Most live streaming apps will have filters, rules and guidelines in place to ensure their services are monitored. They will also have report buttons where inappropriate content will be sent for review. Bear in mind that a report may not be dealt with instantly, which means your child may be further exposed to inappropriate content during a live stream.

## RECORDINGS OF YOUR CHILD

Each streaming app and website that allows live streaming has different rules about how they store their live videos once completed. For example, a live stream on Periscope will be automatically deleted after 24 hours, but apps such as Facebook and YouTube allow the video to be posted on the app and will only be deleted once the creator decides. It is important to realise that deleting a video will not stop it from being shared. A live stream can be recorded (for screenshots can be taken) by other viewers using certain software and then shared on other platforms. Research conducted by the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF) discovered that apparently recorded illegal videos of live streams were redistributed on other sites.

## WHAT IS YOUR CHILD WATCHING?

Live streaming apps don't just allow children to stream their own videos, they can also watch other people's streams. Anything can be streamed at any time and any place, including violence, graphic imagery, nudity, illegal behaviour, drug use, profanities etc. Most live streaming apps claim to monitor live streams and will take action to stop any that do not adhere to their guidelines. However, with millions of live streams each day, it is extremely difficult to monitor them all.

## GROOMING

There have been recent reports of paedophiles coercing children as young as three on live streaming apps. Due to the anonymous nature and lack of identification needed to sign up to some apps, almost anyone is able to sign up and use the service. Users can use fake identities to sign up to the apps and watch/stream videos. Recent research by the IWF revealed that children may be asked to do things and perform 'suggestive acts' during their live stream by strangers.

# Top Tips for Parents

## BE PRESENT

In a recent three month study by the Internet Watch Foundation (IWF), 96% of streams showed a child on their own, often in their bedroom or bathroom. If your child is going to conduct a live stream, ask them if you could be present for it. This will give you a greater knowledge of what your child is doing during their live streams and who they are streaming to.

## PROTECT THEIR PERSONAL INFORMATION

Your child may unknowingly give away personal information during a live stream, including their location. Talk to them about what constitutes 'personal information' and make sure they do not disclose anything to anyone during a live stream, even to their friends. Advise them to remove any items in their live stream (school uniforms, street name, posters etc.) that could potentially expose their location or personal information.

## TALK REGULARLY WITH YOUR CHILD

Ask your child which live streaming apps they are using and how they are using them. Are they watching live streams or making their own? What types of live streams do they like watching? If they are under 13, it is strongly advised that they are not using any live streaming apps due to the dangers involved, but you may feel that they should not be using the apps even if they are over the age limit. With live streaming being such a popular feature on apps, it is important that you are aware of the dangers associated with it in order to protect your child effectively.

## PRIVACY SETTINGS

Each live streaming app will have its own privacy settings with options varying from platform to platform. Generally, we advise that your child's account is set to private. This will ensure that only their friends/followers will see their live stream. It is important to check each app to ensure that the privacy settings are in place to protect your child from strangers viewing their streams and engaging in conversation with them. The settings on most apps will allow you to turn off the live chat feature during a live stream, restricting conversations, but live chat is part of the 'fun' when it comes to live streaming.

## PROTECTING THEIR ONLINE REPUTATION

What your child does now may affect their future opportunities, and it is important that they have a good understanding of this. As the videos are live, it may lead to the misconception that whatever happens in the video will disappear once the live stream ends. This is incorrect. Tell your child that their live streams cannot be undone and this has the potential to affect their online reputation.

## REMOVE LINKS TO OTHER APPS

Some live streaming apps/websites give users the ability to link and share the content through other social media platforms to share their video further. For example, a live stream on Periscope, can be shared on Twitter and Facebook during the stream if the accounts are connected. While it may seem like a good idea to show the video to more people, the privacy settings may differ on each app, opening up the potential for unwanted viewers to join the stream. We suggest checking the privacy settings on each app and where possible, only streaming on one app at a time in order to have greater control over who sees the live stream.

<https://www.iwf.org.uk/> <https://www.pup.tv/content> <https://www.channel4.com/news/children-bombarded-with-sexually-explicit-chat-on-musical-and-live-ly>



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## **2019 dates for your diary**

**Easter Egg Hunt**

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> April**

**10am – Barripper Village Hall and Field**

**St Michaels Mount to St Michaels Inn Sponsored Walk**

**• 12<sup>th</sup> or 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019 (weather depending)**

**Village Bingo**

**21<sup>st</sup> June 2019 – Barripper Village Hall**

**Barripper Harbour Day**

**4<sup>th</sup> August 2019 – Barripper Village Hall and Field**

**12pm onwards**

**Murder Mystery Night**

**13<sup>th</sup> September 2019 – Barripper Village Hall**

**7pm onwards**

**Barripper Village Association Harvest Festival**

**12<sup>th</sup> October 2019 – St Michaels Mount Inn**

**7pm onwards**

**Festive Craft and Toy Table Top Sale**

**9<sup>th</sup> November 2019 – Barripper Village Hall**

**10am onwards**

**Santa's Grotto**

**14<sup>th</sup> December 2019 – Barripper Village Hall**

**2pm to 4pm**