
Newsletter 13th December 2018

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
10 th - 14 th December	Christmas Jumper Week - Save the Children day Friday 14 th December - see below
20 th December No Normal sessions this day	Break up for Christmas Holidays/Christmas Parties
7 th January	School re open for Spring Term
12 th March	Time to talk day - School closed for normal sessions

Parking

We have been contacted by St Mary's School politely asking our parents and carers not to park in their car park at any time. As it is now dark when a lot of children leave school, this is even more vital as reversing out of spaces makes it very difficult to spot small children. Also, inconsiderate parking can lead to emergency vehicles being blocked when access may be needed. We understand that parking can be difficult but please allow more time and park and walk if necessary as the safety of all the children should be paramount.

Christmas Fayre

There are obviously a lot of people to thank for their involvement in the Christmas Fayre. We would like to make a special mention to Costa Coffee, Trebah Gardens, Southwest Bars & Events Team, Old Dairy Pyday Store, Members of the Knitting and Crochet Guild Truro and Starbucks for their donations. The event raised over £550.00 which is fantastic! This would not have been possible without the generous donations and help on the day from parent volunteers and those families which attended. Also, the newly formed PTA group who did a great job organising it.

Spare Clothes

Please return any spare nursery clothes that are loaned out as we are running very low. Also, if anyone has any trousers or leggings they can donate (no tops or jumpers) we would be very grateful.

Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day

The children have looked fantastic so far in their Christmas Jumpers, not to mention the staff! It's the last day tomorrow so please come dressed in your best wollies – the Save the Children donation box is located in Reception.



Battery Safety – Christmas Toys

Please take a moment to look at the attached link which contains important information about the risks of certain types of batteries in toys.

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Green Group

There will be some slight changes to Green Groups teachers from Spring Term onwards. Miss Stephens will now be teaching on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesday and Fridays. Mrs Chamberlain will now cover Thursdays.

Invoices

As we are approaching the end of term, we ask that all outstanding invoices are settled. Our last invoice of the term will be sent out tomorrow. The half-termly charge for nappies/pull ups will be included on that invoice if applicable.

Christmas Parties – Thursday 20th December

You will have received your child's invitation and times for their party day. Please remember there are no normal sessions, breakfast or afterschool club running on that day. There will be no charges for this day.

Baby Gym/Playmats

If anybody has any good condition, unwanted baby gyms or playmats that they are happy to donate to Nursery, please bring them in as we can make use of them. Thanks



Baking

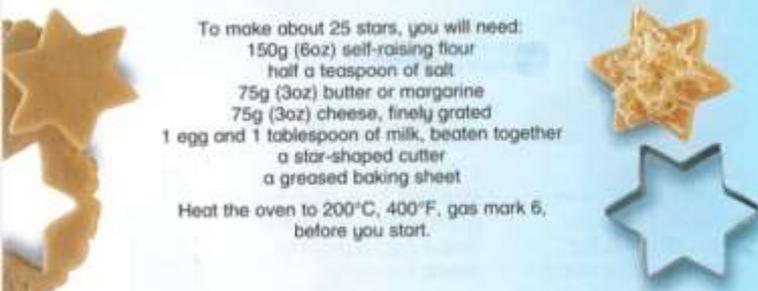
We have been doing some baking with the children this week as you can see from our Gallery pictures.

We have included the recipe for these biscuits below in case you would like to make them at home with your children!

Cheesy Christmas stars

To make about 25 stars, you will need:
150g (6oz) self-raising flour
half a teaspoon of salt
75g (3oz) butter or margarine
75g (3oz) cheese, finely grated
1 egg and 1 tablespoon of milk, beaten together
a star-shaped cutter
a greased baking sheet

Heat the oven to 200°C, 400°F, gas mark 6, before you start.



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Sift the flour and salt through a sieve. Add the butter or margarine and beat it with your fingers to make fine crumbs.
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2. Leave a tablespoon of the grated cheese on a saucer. Add the rest of the cheese to the bowl and stir it in.
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3. Put a tablespoon of the beaten egg and milk mixture into a cup. Mix the rest into the flour to make a dough.
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4. Sprinkle flour onto a clean work surface. Roll out the dough, until it is slightly thinner than your finger.
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5. Use the cutter to cut out star shapes. Cut them close together. Make the scraps into a ball, and roll them out.
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6. Cut out more stars. Brush the stars with the rest of the egg mixture, then sprinkle them with the rest of the cheese.

Children's Quotes of the Week

"I can't do quiet"

"What's Jesus' Mum's name? -Larry"



Challenge

We have been talking about Christmas at school. Christmas is a time to think about ways we can be kind and helpful to others. Can your child find a way to be kind and helpful at home?



Baby Massage Classes

6 weeks to
approximately 6
months (pre-crawling)

make your baby feel loved!

- Small group classes
- Helps sleep patterns
- Improve digestion (constipation and colic)
- Boosts baby's immune system
- Eases congestion (mucus from coughs/colds)
- Understand non-verbal cues from your baby
- Quality time with your baby to enjoy the warming and pleasurable experience

Book a class today!

4 week course beginning Thursday 17th January 2019 – Thursday 14th February 2019, 1.45pm -2.45pm.
(Please note there will no session on Thursday 31st January)

£30 to include course notes and organic oils

Truro Nursery School, Higher Trehaverne, Truro TR1 3RJ

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Gallery





Parish of Kenwyn with St Allen

Rectangular Slip

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Monday 24th December

Kenwyn Church, 4.30pm

Everyone Welcome