

Sandy Hill Academy

News

15th April 2016

Important Dates for your diary

16th April– Beach Clean

20th April– Year 6 Camp Meeting 3pm

5th May– Polling Day School & Nursery Closed

9th May– Year 6 SATs Week

13th June– Year 4 camp

17th June– School Sports Day (24th June Back up date)

20th June– Year 6 camp

23rd June–Polling Day School & Nursery Closed

4th – 5th July–Penrice Transition Days

4th July–Penrice Welcome Evening

11th – 12th July–Polttair Transition Days

20th July–Last Day of Term

Welcome back - it's great to see all the children back in their uniforms and enjoying their lessons. The summer term is always a good one with some sunshine (hopefully!) and lots of activities going on e.g. camps, sports day, athletics, school play etc etc!

We also wanted to let you know some potentially exciting news. Due to an increasing demand on school places in St Austell and Sandy Hill being so over-subscribed for many years, the school has been undergoing a Local-

Authority feasibility study to see whether an expansion would be possible.

We have now passed through the first element of this process and plans are now being drawn up which would enable us to take more pupils and also have some fantastic new facilities. Very exciting times - very interesting plans!

We are, however, a long way from this being given the final go-ahead and it may still never happen. We will, of course, keep you posted and you will be invited to take part in all discussions if the plans should progress.

We hope you all have a great summer term.





Stars of the Week

YR -	Alfie Ratty
YR/I -	Lily Humphrey
YI/2 -	Molly Cook
Y2 -	Matthew White
Y3 -	Riley Martin
Y4 -	Kerra Rundle & Jessica Turner
Y5 -	Curtis Tregunna
Y6 -	Jake Nancarrow



Lunch Time Stars



YEAR 4



phonics word of the week



This weeks word of the week is “donkey” and the pseudo word is “bulm”.

Safety Notice- Nursery

Please do not allow children to climb on the nursery door.

Car Park

Sandy Hill car park is for staff and blue badge holders only. Parking for school and nursery parents is not permitted at ANY time.



Sandy Hill design a crown competition
celebrating the Queen's 90th Birthday!



Design, make and wear a crown to school on
Thursday 21st April.

Prizes for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

We will celebrate the winners in our assembly.

Good luck everyone!



Vegetable Patch

We would love some help next Wednesday at 1pm.

We will be starting work on our vegetable patches
so the children can enjoy learning, watching and growing their own
vegetables. Please do come along to help if you can spare some
time.



WEDNESDAY 20TH APRIL 1PM

School Dinners

Week beginning
Monday 18th April

School Dinners are
£2.20 a day, these can
be paid in advance or
on the day.

Packed Lunch



We ask that nuts including peanuts are not brought into school due to children & staff suffering with nut allergies. Thank you.

Week two

18/04 09/05 06/06 27/06 18/07

Vegetable Supreme Pizza v
Sweetcorn, Pepper, Cheese and
Tomato Pizza with Wedges and
Crunchy Salad

Penne Pasta Bake v
Vegetable and Penne Pasta in a
Creamy Sauce with Crunchy
Salad

Pasta Pack's Amazing Beef Bolognese
Organic Mince Beef in a Tomato
and Herb Sauce with Pasta, Peas
and a Cauliflower

Vegetable Lasagne v
Vegetable Lasagne with Peas and
Cauliflower

Roast Gammon and Bud's Crispy Spuds
with Roasted Vegetables and
Gravy

Super Quorn Roast and Bud's Crispy Spuds v
with Roasted Vegetables and
Gravy

Chocolate Mandarin
Sponge

Fresh Fruit

Yoghurt

Cheese and Cracker
Snack

Fresh Fruit

Yoghurt

Peachy Crumble Crunch
with Custard

Fresh Fruit

Yoghurt

Pasta Pack's Beef Meatballs
Organic Beef Meatballs in a
Tomato and Basil Sauce with
Wholemeal Pasta, Sweetcorn and
Broccoli

Brilliant Chinese Veggie Noodles v
Vegetable Chow Mein with
Broccoli and Sweetcorn

Crispy Fish & Chips
Crispy Battered MSC Pollock with
Chips, Baked Beans and Peas

Barry's BBQ Bean Wrap v
Tortilla Wrap filled with Mixed
Beans, Courgettes and Peppers
in a BBQ Sauce with Chips and
Crunchy Salad

Fruity Ginger Cake Plate

Fresh Fruit

Yoghurt

Super Vanilla Milkshake
and Oatie Cookie

Fresh Fruit

Yoghurt

If you don't fancy
dessert, you can
always enjoy fresh
fruit or yoghurt.

For lunch box idea's go to :

<http://www.nhs.uk/Livewell/childhealth6-15/Pages/Lighterlunchboxes.aspx>

Health & Wellbeing

To stay healthy or to improve health, young people need to do three types of physical activity each week: aerobic exercise and exercises to strengthen bones and muscles.

The amount of physical activity you need to do each week is determined by your age.

To maintain a basic level of health, children and young people aged 5 to 18 need to do:

at least 60 minutes of physical activity every day – this should range from [moderate activity](#), such as cycling and playground activities, to [vigorous activity](#), such as running and tennis

What counts as moderate activity?

- walking to school
- playing in the playground
- riding a scooter
- skateboarding
- rollerblading
- walking the dog
- [cycling](#) on level ground or ground with few hills



What counts as vigorous activity?

- playing chase
- energetic [dancing](#)
- swimming
- [running](#)
- gymnastics
- football
- rugby
- martial arts, such as karate
- [cycling](#) fast or on hilly terrain



Most importantly children should enjoy the activity they are doing, they are very often inspired by the adults around them.



Sandy Hill Beach Clean Saturday 10:00 – 12:30



We are looking forward to joining the 'Big Beach Clean' on Saturday at Par Sands, there are over 220 beach cleans taking place this year.

Please meet us at 10 am to sign the register at the entrance to the beach from the car park, meet at the friends of Par gazebo. The car park is free until 1pm for everyone helping with the beach clean.

Children must be supervised and accompanied by an adult.

Please wear appropriate clothing to protect from the sunshine and bring a drink so you can stay hydrated.

Please wear suitable footwear – no open toe shoes.

Please do not climb or walk across surfaces that could be slippery.

The beach clean will take place at beach or fore dune level.

Please ensure that you do not disturb wildlife.

All volunteers will be asked to wear gloves provided at all times.

Volunteers must not pick up hazardous materials and (including animal waste and needles) under any circumstances – please notify a beach rep / volunteer / beach clean organiser.

All children will be awarded 100 house points for their participation.



Parent Support Advisor

Running every Wednesday morning at Sandy Hill school between 8:20am and 12:00pm, there will be an open door drop in session with the Parent Support Advisor. I will be happy to help you with any concerns you may have such as:

- Changes in behaviour with your child
- Child sleep issues
- Debt management
- Housing concerns
- Help with any forms that need completing.

Or if you would like to stop by for a cuppa and a chat, you would be more than welcome.

I look forward to seeing you.



Attendance

Whole School : Week ending 24/03/2016 - 96.89%

Government satisfactory Attendance for a pupil is 95%.

YR - 95.67%

Y3 - 97.55%

YR/1 - 95.94%

Y4 - 96.64%

Y1/2 - 96.66%

Y5 - 97.47%

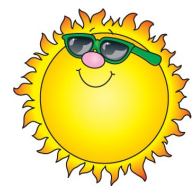
Y2 - 97.72% ★

Y6 - 97.52%

Well Done to Year 2 with 97.72% attendance.

Thank you for your support in helping to reach our attendance target. Attendance is very important to every child's learning and we look forward to continuing to improve our attendance figures.

FOSHA NEWS



Saturday 9th July
11am - 2pm

Our annual summer fayre is fast approaching and we are looking for lots of help and donations please.

If you could spare some time to help with the setting up / running of a stall please do let us know as soon as possible. The fayre is always such a fun event with lots of happy children!

We would love donations towards the fayre please :-

Teddy bears

Chocolates

Biscuits

Toys

Books



All donations can be handed into the office.

THANK YOU

