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Headteacher's Update

Dear Cardinham Families,

I wanted to extend my thanks to those who attended our recent Family Forum. I'm pleased to announce that an update regarding the matters discussed during the forum will be sent out later this week. Your input is vital and we truly appreciate your involvement.

In addition, I'd like to take this opportunity to point out that there is a short Sports Day update in this newsletter. We hope that it's another memorable morning, filled with excitement and team spirit. We hope to see you there, cheering on our pupils and making this day as special as previous years.

Lastly, to all our Year 6 pupils, we want to wish you the best of luck this week! Remember, these tests are only a small part of what you can do. Your hard work and dedication speak volumes and we are immensely proud of each and every one of you.

Best wishes,

Dave Jones
Headteacher

School Attendance

Our school's average attendance is currently 93%, below the national average of 94.3%. However, we're seeing a positive trend with week-on-week improvement. Last week, our attendance reached 96.2%, up from 94.5% the previous week and 92.1% the week before that. We encourage parents to continue prioritising education and collaborate with us to further improve attendance.



Family Challenge Morning

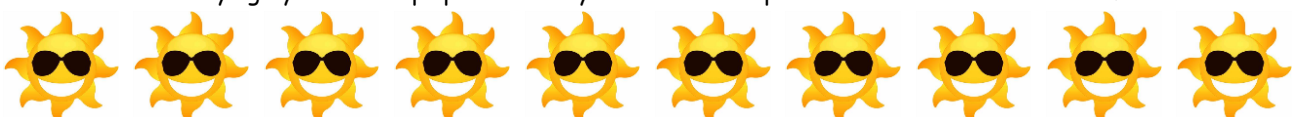
We have asked you to save the date and time for our Family Challenge morning (Friday 24th May, 9am) since the beginning of term. A letter with further information will be sent out over the next couple of days. Please look out for this.



Sun Awareness Reminder for Parents

It seems silly to send this reminder today but, as the sun has been shining, it's time to revisit the importance of sun safety. Please remember to apply sunscreen to your child before they come to school, especially on sunny days. Choose a sunscreen with an SPF of 30 or higher. Encourage your child to wear lightweight clothing and bring to school a wide brimmed hat. Remind your child to drink plenty of water throughout the day, especially when they're playing outdoors.

Staying hydrated helps prevent dehydration and keeps their bodies cool in the heat.



Sports Day Information

Sports day will again take place in the morning this year. We anticipate the first race to begin at around 9:20pm. Some chairs will be provided but please bring your own to avoid missing out. All pupils are to come to school in PE kit and wear a t-shirt of their house colours (red, yellow or blue). See class teachers if you have any questions.



Cardinham Sports Club - Tennis Court Membership

Cardinham School are members of the Cardinham Sports Club. Pupils at Cardinham School can join for a reduced rate of £5 per pupil! With this membership, you will be able to use the tennis court. Membership forms can be collected from the school office.



PE for Summer 2

There will be a few changes to the PE arrangements after half term. Please see below for an updated timetable for what pupils need to be wearing on certain days. See class teachers if you have any questions.



Fire Alarm

A reminder to all parents and visitors, if the fire alarm sounds whilst you are on the school site, please gather at the bottom of the playground. This is the same if you are at the main school or at Woodside. Thank you.



Key Stage 2

Residential

A quick message to say that the next letter about our Fox Class and Deer Class residential trips will be with you at the beginning of this week. Please let us know if you haven't received them.



More Information!

A reminder that there is always a great deal of information in the form of posters at the very end of our newsletters (after the school dates). Please read until the end so you don't miss anything.



Summer Term 2 (after May half term)

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hedgehog Class Nursery & Reception	Come to School wearing PE kit. REAL PE with Mrs Purser on the playground				Come to School wearing outdoor PE kit. Games on the School Field with P.A.F.C coach.
Squirrel Class Year 1 & 2				Come to School wearing PE kit. REAL PE with Mr Jones on the playground	Come to School wearing outdoor learning clothes. Forest Friday at Woodside with Mrs Tucker.
Fox Class Year 3 & 4			Come to School wearing PE kit. REAL PE with Miss Mackenzie on the playground		Come to School wearing PE kit. Tennis with P.A.F.C coach
Deer Class Year 5 & 6			Swimming at Bodmin Leisure Centre. Drop off at Swimming Pool in Morning.		Come to School wearing outdoor learning clothes. Forest Friday with Mr Jones in Cardinham Woods.

Outdoor Learning and PE Clothes

Proper attire is essential for safety, comfort and participation in these activities. Here's a friendly reminder about the correct attire.

PE Kit: trainers with non-marking soles for indoor activities; comfortable, breathable clothing suitable for movement; no jewellery or accessories that may pose a safety hazard. All in school colours - black shorts and a white, green or black t-shirt [Cardinham School - WOVINA](#)

Outdoor Learning Clothes: please check the forecast for each week and come prepared for changing weather. Each week, clothing must cover all legs and arms, be suitable to be dirtied or muddied during outdoor activities and footwear must be closed-toe shoes suitable for outdoor terrain.



Sun Cream in School

If sun cream is brought into school, please can it be labelled and handed to the class teacher at the start of the school day. Pupils will then be able to access this throughout the school day if needed.



Extra-Curricular Club Update

Maths Club for selected children in Fox Class will finish at the end of this half term meaning that there are two more sessions. SATs Club for selected Year 6 pupils has now come to an end and will not be on from this week.



Diary Dates: Cardinham School 2023/2024	
w/b 13th May	Key Stage 2 SATs Week
Weds 22nd May	Deer Class Start Swimming
Fri 24th May	Family Challenge Morning from 9am. Save the Date.
Fri 24th May	No Football Club This Week.
<i>Summer Half Term - 27th May to 31st May</i>	
Mon 3rd June	Pupils Return after Summer Half Term
Mon 3rd June	Tempest Whole School Photograph - look smart! ☺
Tues 4th June	Key Stage 2 Residential Meetings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fox Class (Year 3/4) at 2:45pm - Deer Class (Year 5/6) at 3:15pm
Fri 7th June	INSET DAY
Mon 24th June	Sports Day
Weds 26th June	Squirrel Class School Trip to Museum 42 - more information to follow
Thurs 27th June	Sports Day Back Up
Thurs 4th July	Year 3/4 Residential
Fri 5th July	Friends of Cardinham School Quiz. 7pm Start. Save the Date.
Mon 8th July	Year 5/6 Residential
Thurs 18th July	Year 6 Leavers Treat
Mon 22nd July	No Extra-Curricular Clubs this week
Tues 23rd July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly @ 9:15am
Weds 24th July	End of Summer Term. Pupils collected at 2pm. No After School Club.
INSET Days 2024/25 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Monday 4th November 2024 - Friday 6th June 2025 - Monday 21st July 2025 - Tues 22nd July 2025 - Wednesday 23rd July 2025 	
* Term Dates for next academic year can be found on the next page.	

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PROPOSED 2024/2025 School Term Dates for Community and Voluntary-Controlled Schools



September 2024						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tue		3	10	17	24	
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
Sat		7	14	21	28	
Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

October 2024						
Mon		7	14	21	28	
Tue	1	8	15	22	29	
Wed	2	9	16	23	30	
Thurs	3	10	17	24	31	
Fri	4	11	18	25		
Sat	5	12	19	26		
Sun	6	13	20	27		

November 2024						
Mon		4	11	18	25	
Tue		5	12	19	26	
Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24		

December 2024						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
Tue		3	10	17	24	31
Wed		4	11	18	25	
Thurs		5	12	19	26	
Fri		6	13	20	27	
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Sun	1	8	15	22	29	

January 2025						
Mon		6	13	20	27	
Tue		7	14	21	28	
Wed	1	8	15	22	29	
Thurs	2	9	16	23	30	
Fri	3	10	17	24	31	
Sat	4	11	18	25		
Sun	5	12	19	26		

February 2025						
Mon		3	10	17	24	
Tue		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22		
Sun	2	9	16	23		

March 2025						
Mon		3	10	17	24	31
Tue		4	11	18	25	
Wed		5	12	19	26	
Thurs		6	13	20	27	
Fri		7	14	21	28	
Sat	1	8	15	22	29	
Sun	2	9	16	23	30	

April 2025						
Mon		7	14	21	28	
Tue	1	8	15	22	29	
Wed	2	9	16	23	30	
Thurs	3	10	17	24		
Fri	4	11	18	25		
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Sun	6	13	20	27		

May 2025						
Mon		5	12	19	26	
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Thurs	1	8	15	22	29	
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June 2025						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30
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July 2025						
Mon		7	14	21	28	
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Wed	2	9	16	23	30	
Thurs	3	10	17	24	31	
Fri	4	11	18	25		
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Sun	6	13	20	27		

August 2025						
Mon		4	11	18	25	
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Wed		6	13	20	27	
Thurs		7	14	21	28	
Fri	1	8	15	22	29	
Sat	2	9	16	23	30	
Sun	3	10	17	24		

School holidays

Bank holidays

Christmas Day	25 December 2024
Boxing Day	26 December 2024
New Years Day	01 January 2025
Good Friday	18 April 2025
Easter Monday	21 April 2025
May Bank Holiday	05 May 2025
Spring Bank Holiday	26 May 2025
Summer Bank Holiday	25 August 2025

AUTUMN TERM (74 days)

3 September - 20 December 2024
(HALF TERM 28 October - 1 November 2024)

SPRING TERM (60 days)

6 January - 4 April 2025
(HALF TERM 17-21 February 2025)

SUMMER TERM (61 days)

22 April - 23 July 2025
(HALF TERM 26-30 May 2025)

195 days are included on the school calendar. Schools will be open to pupils for 190 days. The five additional days are allotted for In-Service Training (INSET). Schools allocate their own INSET days.



Date: April 2024

TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE

Dear Sir or Madam,

Please be aware that Oakway Ltd have been instructed to work on behalf of **Wildanet** at the following locations:

Cardinham, Millpool, Mount, & Immediate surrounding area.

UNDERTAKING THE FOLLOWING WORKS:

EXCAVATIONS IN THE CARRIAGEWAY AND FOOTWAY TO INSTALL UNDERGROUND DUCT AND NETWORK FOR HIGH-SPEED FIBRE BROADBAND SERVICES.

Due to the width of the roads and for the safety of the general public, as well as our operatives carrying out the work, it will be necessary for temporary road closures to be put in place. We will endeavor, as much as possible, to reduce the impact on the area and local residents.

The works will take place from **07/05/2024 to 02/08/2022.**

There will be restricted access for vehicles while our operatives undertake these works. Access to properties will be maintained throughout. We will look to reopen the road when our operatives are not on site, where possible. There may be times where we have open excavations in the carriageway meaning the road will need to remain closed overnight. Please speak with the foreman on site during these works if you have any concerns.

Please be advised that signs detailing the diversion route will be in place for the duration of each road closure. We have also enclosed an overview map of the works area, highlighted in red.

If you would like further information or require a digital plan for any of our phased diversion routes, please do not hesitate to contact us on **01566 777835** or by emailing **georgedennis@oakwayltd.co.uk**, quoting job reference **G8021BOD5264BUOKD** and one of our team will be more than happy to help.

Yours faithfully

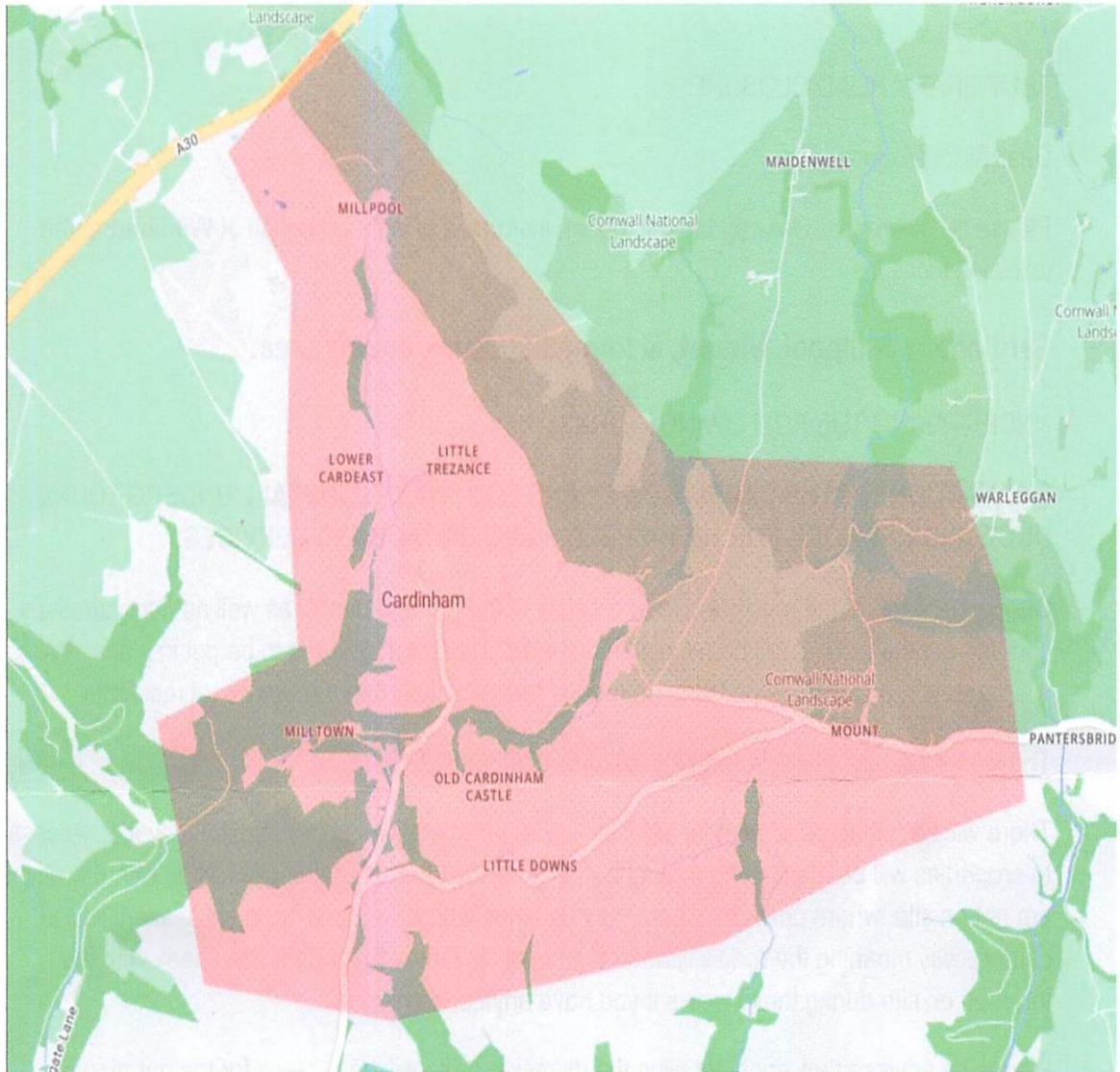
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EAST CORNWALL/NORTH DEVON MAY 2024 | 9.30AM-3.30PM (UNLESS STATED)
BOYS & GIRLS ALL ABILITIES AGED 5-15

(Football Roadshow unless stated)

TUESDAY 28TH

Dobwalls Football Club
Holsworthy Youth Football Club
St Joseph School, Launceston
Chulmleigh Primary School

WEDNESDAY 29TH

St Teath Football Club
Saltmill 3G - Saltash (Football Roadshow - 2 Day Special)
East Worlington Primary School (Multi Sports Day)

THURSDAY 30TH

Bude Football Club
Saltmill 3G - Saltash (Football Roadshow - 2 Day Special)
Lapford Primary School (Basketball Roadshow)

FRIDAY 31ST

St Joseph School, Launceston (Match Day Special)
Polperro Football Club (Match Day Special)
Lapford Primary School (Match Day Special)
Lanivet Community Hub (Match Day Special)



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FOOTBALL ROADSHOW

Our Soccer Roadshows are age and football specific with the emphasis on fun, enjoyment and development. Sessions include skills, techniques, competitions and small sided games.

GIRLS ONLY ROADSHOW

Girls of all abilities have the chance to learn new skills, make new friends and really feel part of the football community. These sessions are in place to shatter any lingering pre-conceptions about women's and girls' football and boost participation whilst learning skills and techniques and playing small sided games.

MINI PILGRIMS 10AM - 11PM

Mini Pilgrim football sessions are aimed at three – six year olds, who are experiencing their first taste of a structured coaching session. The sessions are staffed at a ratio of 1 coach to 12 children. The emphasis is to improve the children's listening and concentration skills whilst working on balance and co ordination. The children can develop in a safe and fun environment over the duration of the sessions.

STRIKERS & GOALKEEPERS

This specific day will cover a variety of shooting activities and goalkeeper training. With opportunities for defenders and attackers to showcase their skills.

SEND ROADSHOW 10AM-3PM

Our Special Education Needs and Disability (SEND) Roadshows are inclusive sessions for children with a disability. This can be physical disabilities such as visual and hearing impairments and cerebral palsy, or children with learning needs such as autism and ADHD.

MULTI SPORTS/SKILLS

Chance for participants to undertake a wide range of sports throughout the day. Sports will vary from football, handball, tag rugby plus many more. Each venue and area will offer different sports.

SHORT BREAKS 10AM-1PM

Fun and inclusive football and multi-sport activities for children aged 7-15 with a disability and educational health & care plan (EHCP).



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I EARN PLAY SUCCEED

The entitlement criteria for automatic payments from the Household Support Fund is changing.

In order to be entitled to a payment from the Household Support Fund scheme in 2024, you must be responsible for at least one child and on 3rd June 2024 either:

- be entitled to Council Tax Support or
- have been placed in emergency accommodation by the Council

You will receive £80 per child. If you are already in receipt of Council Tax Support, then you don't have to do anything else – you will receive your payment automatically.

To find out if you are eligible for Council Tax Support, please check the information here <https://www.gov.uk/benefits-calculators> .

You can make a claim for Council Tax Support by using this link <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/council-tax-support/apply-for-council-tax-support/>

It is important that you submit your application by 31st May 2024.

You may also be entitled to help from the Household Support Fund via one of the Household Support Fund partners. Their details can be found here <https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/benefits-and-support/household-support-fund/>

Why have we made this change?

Because entitlement to Free school meals has been protected since 2018, parents of children who are entitled to free school meals aren't always still on a low income. By using our Council Tax Support data, we can ensure that the Household Support Fund awards are going to parents who currently have a low income and are struggling with the increased costs of running their home. By better targeting the awards, we are able to help families with children of any age, rather than just school age children.

Families of children in receipt of free school meals can still access help through the Time2Move holiday programme. This scheme offers fun physical activities, games and wider activities plus a meal for all children during the main school holiday periods.

EMAIL: JOSHUA.CHALK@PAFC.CO.UK FOR MORE INFORMATION

ADVANCED DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

2024-2025 SEASON

UNDER 10 | UNDER 11 | UNDER 12 | UNDER 13



Be part of it.

PAFC Girls Advanced Development Centre Open Trials:

Wednesday 7th August - Under 10's & Under 12's.

Launceston College 3G Pitch, PL15 9HH.

Thursday 8th August - Under 11's & Under 13's.

Launceston College 3G Pitch, PL15 9HH.

KEUR ARWODHA KEMENETH

Community Signing Choir

We are an inclusive choir made up of friends, family members, teachers, mums, dads, carers, grandparents, children, professionals and support workers of Makaton users.

No previous singing or
Makaton experience needed.

Open to everyone!

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WHEN: Thursdays at 6.30pm-7.30pm. Term time only.

WHERE: Seventh-Day Adventist Church, St Austell, PL25 3JN

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Live singing and signing shows

“Let’s Get Cornwall Signing”

Everyone is welcome

SPECIAL GUESTS...

Suzanne (MBE) from Singing Hands and a patron of the Makaton Charity is coming to Cornwall to perform with our very own Saskia Dady from TalkmoreCornwall CIC.



Friday 14th June

10:30-11:30 (age 3-11) £6

1:30-2:30 (age 11-16) £6

Evening show “POP PARTY”

6-8pm (11yrs +) £15

Saturday 15th June

11-12 Community Family show £6

LIVE at The Keay Theatre,
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The Mental Health Support Team invites you to book your place on our Transition Workshop

Transitioning between year groups, or into a new school, can be a daunting experience. These are single hour long workshops that aim to help children develop coping strategies to move smoothly through their academic career. They emphasise that as well as being potentially stressful, transition is normal and can be exciting and fun

Upcoming Session Online for Mid Cornwall Schools

Monday 20th May 10am & 4pm

Tuesday 21st May 10am & 4pm

Wednesday 22nd May 10am

Thursday 23rd May 10am & 5pm

Please note: This group is open to parents of Year 6 children
Further transition workshops will run w/c 15/07/2024

To request a place, complete the online form or scan the QR code provided:

<https://forms.office.com/e/7xUaXHkdXL>



Sign up will close on Wednesday 15th May

