

Children in Need Change Collection

Another massive thank you for all of the very kind donations of spare change for last week's Children in Need Day. If you remember, we asked for donations of coins and in return we would give children an additional minute of playtime for every metre of change raised. Mr Johnson and several willing volunteers had the tricky job of lining all of the coins up for measuring. We were quite simply blown away by the generosity of our Perranporth families as we quite literally had bags upon bags of coins to handle. It took a long time and lots of dexterous finger work but as you can see from the pictures, every single coin was lined up and measured.



Being completely honest, when setting this challenge we were not anticipating the incredible response we received. And, we were more than a little worried that in sticking to our promise, we might have to give the children an entire week off! After the careful measuring was complete we calculated a staggering 130 metres of coins laid out across the hall with an astonishing grand total of £546.25. This obviously translates to 130 minutes of extra playtime which we are giving the children in additional 5 minute slots every day over the coming weeks and a wonderful donation to Children in Need.

A huge well done to everyone and again, thank you so much for your kind and generous donations.



Christmas Dates for your Diary

At this time of year there's always lots happening, so here's a helpful list of the dates and events coming up in the next month:



- Tuesday 6th December - Y5 and Y6 Carolaire now in the School Hall 6pm
- Friday 9th December - Own clothes day, bring in chocolate for Christmas Fayre
- Friday 9th December - Choir perform at Perran Bay Nursing Home
- Saturday 10th December - Christmas Fayre in Memorial Hall and Adult Nativity at St Michaels Church
- Sunday 11th December - KS2 Carol Concert at St Piran's Church for School Choir
- Monday 12th December - Choir perform at Memory Cafe
- Monday 12th December - Y2, Y3 & Y4 Christmas Production in School Hall 6pm
- Tuesday 13th December - Christmas Lunch day
- Wednesday 14th December - Rec and Y1 Christmas Nativity in School Hall 2pm
- Friday 16th December - Christmas Jumper Day £1 for Save the Children (last day of term)



~ This week's attendance ~

Trevithick YR	St Piran Y1	Penhaligon Y2	Boscawen Y3	Trengrouse Y4	Trelawny Y5	Davy Y6
95.0%	96.3%	95.0%	95.3%	93.4%	94.8%	97.9%

Perranporth Community Primary School

FOPS Messages

Bags 2 School — Wed 7th Dec 9.00am

Our first bag2school collection is Wednesday 7th Dec at 9.00am. Special collection sacks have already been handed out but they will accept items in bin bags if necessary. The rules for acceptable items are listed below. Bags can be brought to school and left in the parent waiting shelter. Bags will need to be at school for 9am on the day. Remember we are paid by weight.



Yes Please - clothes, shoes (tied together), handbags, ties, belts, hats, bags, jewellery, bedding, linen, curtains, towels, and soft toys!

No Thank You— duvets, blankets, mats, carpets, school uniform, corporate clothing, material offcuts, soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing

FOPS Meeting

Our next FOPS meeting will be on Monday 28th Nov straight after school in Trelawny Class (Year 5). All parents are most welcome to attend. It is always nice to see new members; you can commit as much or as little time to help or just come along to find out what it's all about. Don't forget that if you want to keep up to date with FOPS news and events, please check out the Friends of Perranporth School Facebook group.

Adult Nativity

Calling all staff and parents, old and new... keep this date free!

Would you like to be in this year's staff and parent Nativity play? No need to be a great actor or a fab singer, or even to still have a child in school; just be willing to dress up as an angel or a shepherd and have some fun. It will be held in St Michael's Church on Saturday 10th December (after the school Xmas Fayre) will last approx half an hour and all proceeds raised will go to FOPS funds. Further details to follow but if you are interested please let me know asap. Thanks, Bec



Pre Christmas Shopping Opportunity

Take a trip to the seaside for a pre Christmas sale event with some of Perranporth's finest online businesses! Join Green and Blue, Atlantic Blankets, Really Big Bubbles, Going Loopy Crochet, Gilbert and Stone, Poppy Treffry and more, for some mulled wine, mince pies and a super sale by the sea. Coinciding with the super sales weekend of Black Friday and Cyber Monday, this will be Perranporth's very own Seaside Saturday, with lots of bargains to be had! Free Event with Car Parking Available, held at Unit 1, New Road, Perranporth, TR6 0DL (In the same yard as the West Coast Kitchen Studio). Or search 'Seaside Saturday' on Facebook.



What's coming Up?

Mon 28th Nov - FOPS Meeting in Year 5 at 3.30pm

Tue 29th - Indoor Athletics

Wed 30th Nov - Mixed Netball

Thurs 1st Dec - Flu Immunisations Y1, Y2 & Y3

Sporting News

This week children from Perranporth have taken part in two sporting events. On Tuesday children from Y3 and 4 took part in a brilliant indoor athletics event and on Thursday children from KS2 took part in a Sportability Festival. Both of the events were great opportunities for our children to challenge themselves in sport and represent our school against others. All of the children did very well indeed and showed wonderful sporting behavior throughout. A huge well done to them all!



Perranporth Community Primary School