



Newlyn News

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Spring 2022

A Happy New Year to you all! I hope you all had an enjoyable and healthy Christmas break. I would like to thank you on behalf of the staff for all the lovely cards, gifts and well wishes we received in the run up to Christmas. The children have returned very positively once again and have settled quickly. Unfortunately, due to Covid, restrictions are tight once again and are impacting on our ability to come together as a whole school. However, we are hoping that as spring approaches things will improve! Let's keep everything crossed.

Christmas Show



A huge thank you to all the teachers and especially Miss Fitzgerald once again, for putting together a Christmas show to share with you all. We hope we were able to share some of the Christmas spirit and joy of Christmas with you!

Attendance

Attendance was unfortunately really impacted by Covid last term but we still had a number of children who achieved 100% attendance.



Lateness

Just a reminder that children should be in school by 8.50am. There are still a significant number of children arriving at school late which is both stressful for the children and impacts on the rest of the class. If we can help in any way please do let us know.

Thank you.

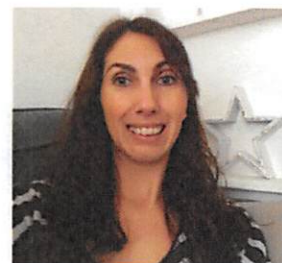
Year 4 Trip

The Year 4 children will be going to **the Barbara Hepworth Sculpture Gardens on Tuesday 18th January.**

They will be leaving school promptly at 9:15am and returning to school in time for lunch so children can still have a school dinner. Please make sure that your child has appropriate footwear and a water-proof coat.

Staff Updates:

We are delighted to announce that Mrs Buckingham has joined us as our Foundation Class teacher, alongside Miss Tonkin. The children are looking after her beautifully!



Celebration Assembly

After our first week back from the Christmas break, Pupils of Class 1/2 had a special assembly to reward children who had achieved in maths, reading and received a Headteacher Award.



Latest DfE Covid guidance

Temporary suspension of confirmatory PCR tests in education and childcare settings

Confirmatory PCR testing following a positive result on a lateral flow device (LFD) will be temporarily suspended from today, Tuesday 11 January. This means that for all education and childcare settings, staff and students who have tested (either at home or through ATS) and reported a positive LFD result will no longer be advised to get a confirmatory PCR test.

This change is informed by public health advice. With high COVID-19 rates, the risk of a positive LFD result being false is very small. We therefore don't need to ask people to do a confirmatory PCR unless they:

- have symptoms (in which case they need to follow the stay at home guidance, self-isolate and order a PCR test)
- wish to claim the Test and Trace Support Payment
- have been advised to take a PCR test because they are in a clinically vulnerable group
- have been advised to do so as part of a research or surveillance programme

Clarification on the changes to the self-isolation period for individuals who test positive for COVID-19

Since Wednesday 22 December, the 10 day self-isolation period for people who record a positive PCR test result for COVID-19 has been reduced to 7 days in most circumstances, unless you cannot test for any reason.

Individuals may now take LFD tests on day 6 and day 7 of their self-isolation period. Those who receive two negative test results are no longer required to complete 10 full days of self-isolation. The first test must be taken no earlier than day 6 of the self-isolation period and tests must be taken 24 hours apart.

This also applies to children under 5, with LFD testing at parental or guardian discretion. If both these test results are negative, and you do not have a high temperature, you may end your self-isolation after the second negative test result and return to your education or childcare setting from day 7.

Primary School Places

If your child was born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018 you will need to apply for a school place for September 2022. **The deadline for applications is 15 January 2022.**

www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

Term dates:

Last day of term: Friday 18th February

First day back: Monday 28th February

Last day of summer term: Friday 22nd July

Clubs

Please ensure you have signed your child up to any clubs available to them if required by Friday 14th January.

Please do not send your child to any club if they are not on the list as registers will have been produced for safeguarding. Please remember to call the office if your child cannot attend any day so we can mark them as absent.

We do not take cancelling clubs lightly but if it is bad weather or the teacher is absent we do have to cancel occasionally. We will let you know with as much warning as possible.

Sports News



Year 5 and Year 1/2 will be swimming every Thursday morning this half term. Please ensure they have their swimming kit on this day.

- 31st January - Cross Country League starting, more information to follow
- Key stage Sports Festival starting in February, again more information to follow
- Winter Olympics televised from the 4th February for inspiration.

Our Virtue



This term we are focussing on perseverance. The children will think about the importance of not giving up when things get difficult and saying, "I can't do that, YET." They will be learning about the fact that doing something challenging helps their brain grow.

Attendance Matters!

Congratulations to Year 2/3

who achieved 98.7 %.

attendance for last week.



Academic Year 2021/2022

Start of Term 2
01.11.21 INSET day—school will be closed
02.11.21 Beginning of term
23.11.21 Class 2/3 trip
17.12.21 End of Term 2 **1pm finish**

Start of Term 3
04.1.22 INSET day—school will be closed
05.1.22 Beginning of term
18.1.22 Y4 trip
18.2.22 End of term 3

Start of Term 4
28.2.22 Beginning of term
8.04.22 End of term 4 **1pm finish**

Start of Term 5
25.4.22 Beginning of term
2.05.22 Bank Holiday
27.5.22 End of term 5

Start of Term 6
6.06.22 Beginning of term
22.7.22 End of term 6 **1pm finish**

Change of contact details

Name of child/children:

Name:

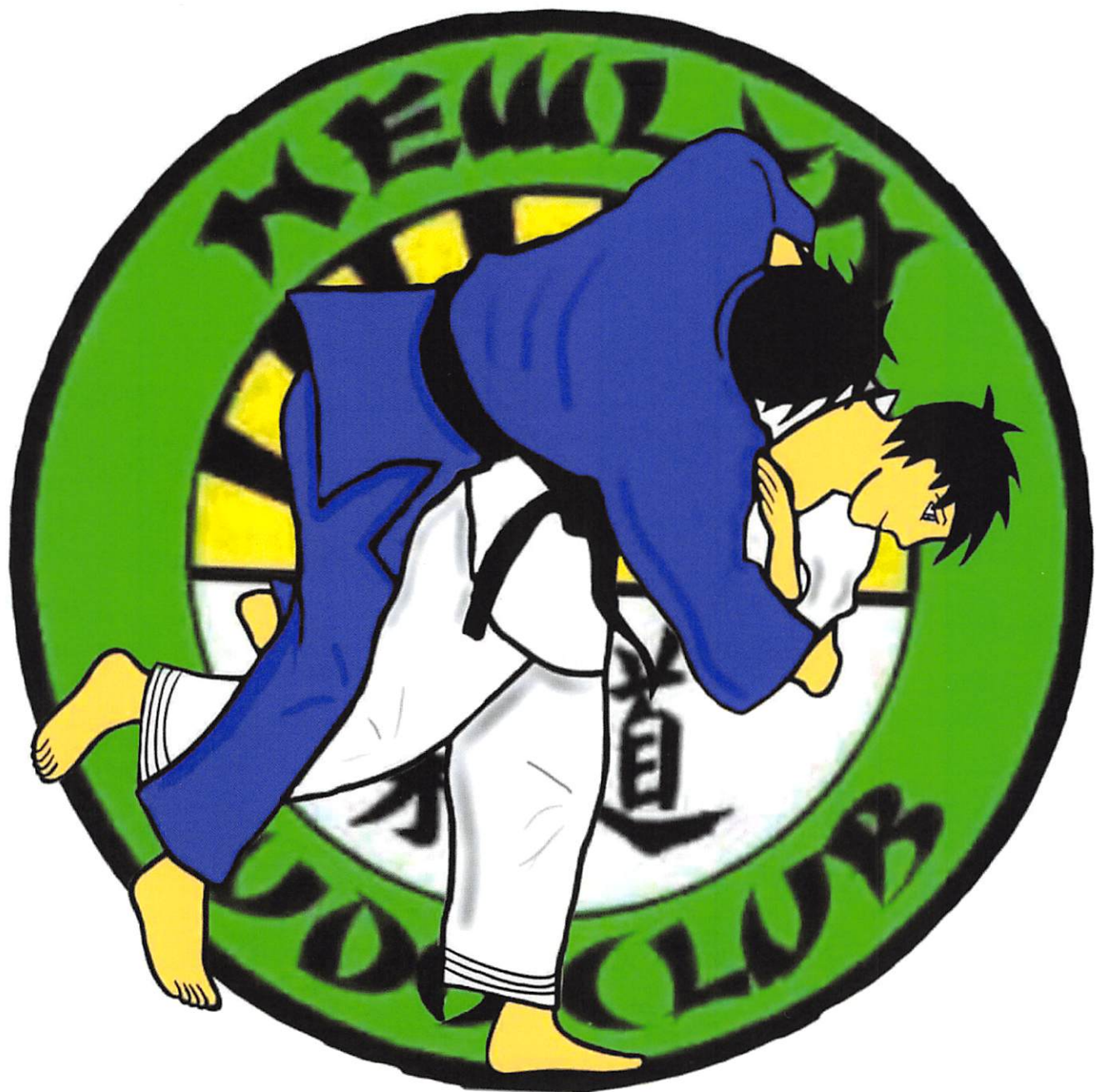
Email address:

Contact phone number:

Second contact details including name and phone number:

Please return to secretary@newlyn.cornwall.sch.uk. Thank you

GAME OF THROWS



Judo at Newlyn Judo club
Every Tuesday 6pm at the Sea Cadets Hall
Jennings Street Penzance

Instructor Sensei Ian Nicholls 2nd dan fpj 1/2 bjc coach and dbs checked
Please contact on 07825 516256

LOCALLY LED LEARNING

DROP IN SESSION

Reconnect Refresh Reskill

The Lescudjack Centre

Penmere CI, Penzance TR18 3PE

every
Thursday 13.00-14.30

We create **learner-led** sessions that meet individual interests and aim to support you into further education and/or work. If you would like to learn more about our project and the opportunities we offer please pop in any Thursday afternoon and say hi

WE WOULD LOVE TO SEE YOU!

Locally Led Learning is a new ESF-funded project aimed at encouraging, supporting and enthusing individuals back into learning or work by improving self-esteem, confidence & skills.

Find out more:



If you are interested in joining the Locally Led Learning project, please text your **name** and **postcode** to 07837 311 681, or go to the enquiry form at www.cornwall.gov.uk/locallearning

LOCALLY LED LEARNING

Taster Sessions

Come along and try a session. No sign up. Decide if you like it first.

Tuesdays 1.30-2.30 PM

Motivation Kickstart 11th January

Learn what motivation is, how to get it and keep it.

Goal Setting for 2022 19th January

Make this year the year to put your plans into action.

Budgeting for the Year Ahead 26th January

Tips on managing and saving your money to make it go further.

Online Job Searching 2nd February

How to start exploring local opportunities online.

All sessions provide opportunity to learn and practise ICT skills using laptops and tablets OR bring your own device. We support the complete beginner.

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Helpful contact information

NHS

Cornwall Partnership NHS Foundation Trust

The Trust has its own Out of Hours telephone support provided by Support Matters Cornwall. This service operates from 5pm to 9am on weekdays and 24 hours a day at weekends and bank holidays. The service is open to all patients (aged 16+) under the care of the Trust's mental health services. Support can be delivered over the telephone, via text, email or web chat. Call free on 0800 001 4330.

**ON YOUR SIDE
NO MATTER WHAT**

0800 58 58 58 THECALMZONE.NET/WEBCHAT

SPM-MIDNIGHT FREE CONFIDENTIAL ANONYMOUS

CAMPAIGN AGAINST LIVING MISERABLY CALM



0344 411 1444

COVID-19 isolation may cause tensions to rise and domestic abuse to increase. Help is available.

YOU ARE NOT ALONE

**NATIONAL DOMESTIC
VIOLENCE HELPLINE**
0808 2000 247
24/7 CONFIDENTIAL
FREEPHONE

WCWAid
West Cornwall Women's Aid
01736 367539
<https://www.wcwald.co.uk/helpline>

**AT HOME
SHOULDN'T
MEAN AT RISK**

#YOUARENOTALONE FIND SUPPORT AT: youarenotalone.org.uk

**family
action** | **Family
Line**
0808 802 6666

mind
for better mental health

Download this image onto your phone for when you might need help

Cornwall's 24/7 NHS mental health support

Call for free, any time day or night if you are worried about your own or someone else's mental health. The team behind the 24/7 open access telephone service will listen to you and determine how best to help

0800 038 5300

Valued Lives:
Supports people who are experiencing mental or emotional distress in Cornwall. Every day, 5.30pm - midnight.

01209 901438

If you, or someone else, is in immediate danger call 999

Samaritans:
Emotional support to anyone in distress, struggling to cope, or at risk of suicide.
116 123

Shout:
Text service, free on all major networks, for anyone in crisis anytime, anywhere.
• If you're over 18, text the word SHOUT
• Under 18s, text YM
Text: 85258

www.cornwall.gov.uk/mentalhealth

