



# INDIAN QUEENS COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

AUTUMN TERM 2017

NEWSLETTER NO. 6

13 October 2017

## Half Term Break

A reminder that school will be closed for the half term break (23 - 27 October)

## DON'T FORGET THE BINGO THIS SATURDAY EVENING AT FRADDON VILLAGE HALL EYES DOWN AT 6.30PM – FUNDS RAISED ARE FOR THE SCHOOL

### Bongwe

Thank you to everyone who supported the cake sale and non-uniform day. Costumes were amazing and we all had lots of fun, so well done for all the help given. We managed to raise a fantastic £430.00 which will make a huge difference to the children at Bongwe who work so hard in their school to succeed. They really deserve our help and support and will be very grateful for your generosity. Thank you again.

### Photographs



A reminder that the photographers from Tempest will be in school on Tuesday 17 October. **PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO THE ORGANISATION OF THE PHOTOGRAPHS, NO ADDITIONAL REQUESTS MAY NOW BE TAKEN.**

### Open Learning Sessions – Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 and Minpins

Thank you to all the parents / carers who joined their children for the open learning sessions this week. We hope everyone found the sessions interesting and enjoyable.

**Re: Miss Norris' and Miss Fox' classes** -- Unfortunately due to illness the Open Learning Sessions for Miss Norris and Miss Fox had to be postponed. We will inform parents / carers of the new dates for these sessions as soon as possible (sorry, not until after half term). We apologise again for the unavoidable inconvenience caused.

### Book Fair

The Book Fair has, once again, been very popular. We are delighted that the school will receive books to the value of £350.00 as our commission. Many thanks to everyone who supported us and all the staff who gave their time voluntarily to organise and staff this event.



### Yr 6 Netball Tournament

The Year 6 netball team participated in a tournament involving 9 other schools this week. Our success in each game varied, but we beat the eventual winners (the highlight!), and the children performed well in all their games, at times facing fierce opposition. They should be very proud of themselves and of their sportsmanship skills, and they were a credit to the school. Well done to everyone.

### KS2 Sports Tournaments

The Yr3 & Yr4 sports tournaments took place this week. Mixed teams completed basketball, tennis and football challenges, earning precious points for their team and all the children worked very hard. Congratulations to the yellow team who won the Year 3 tournament and the red team who won the Year 4 tournament. Unfortunately, due to the weather, the Yr5 and Yr6 sports tournaments had to be postponed but will be rearranged when the weather is good and no other specific events are planned for that day.

### Visits

#### Truro Cathedral and Museum

On Tuesday the Yr4 children visited Truro Museum and Cathedral. The children had a wonderful day exploring the museum and were fascinated to see a real Egyptian Mummy. When visiting the cathedral, the children had the opportunity to play the roles of important church dignitaries, explore this beautiful building including the building works and watched the christening of Teddy Tim at the font. The children's behaviour was exemplary and much was learned over the day.

#### Davidstow Creamery

On Wednesday the Yr5 children had an interesting and inspiring visit to Davidstow Creamery. Everyone took part in producing cheddar cheese including watching every step of the process whilst touring the creamery. The highlight for many was, understandably, the opportunity to taste the delicious cheese produced there!

#### Pendennis Castle

At the time of writing this newsletter, Year 6 are hopefully enjoying a visit to Pendennis Castle. We are looking forward to hearing about their experiences next week.

### Application for a Secondary School Place – Year 6 only

If you have a child in Year 6, it is important that you make an application for your preferred choice of secondary school starting in September 2018. Your child will not be allocated a place unless you make an application and are offered a place. Please register your preference online at [www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions) or **complete a paper form which was sent home to those yet to complete the application**. If you have any concerns about this or would like assistance please pop into the office and we will arrange to help you complete the application. **The deadline for applications is 31 October 2017.**

#### **Emergency School Closure?**

Please check our school website: [www.indianqueensschool.org](http://www.indianqueensschool.org)

If you would like any further information or to feed back any comments, please do not hesitate to contact us at

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Diary for week beginning 16 October 2017	
Monday	
Tuesday	Year 1 visit to Tesco and Nine Ashes Guitar lessons
Wednesday	Year 2 Visit to Mawgan Porth Beach
Thursday	Swimming - selected Yrs 4 / 5
Friday	Reception, Yr 1 and Yr 2 Health & Hygiene Day

Information sent home this week
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Basketball letter – <i>selected Year 5 and 6 children only</i></li> <li>- Blackbird Pie magazine</li> </ul>

### Vacancy

A vacancy has arisen to help in the kitchen preparing the lunches for the children, for a couple of hours each day. If this would be of interest, please pop into the school office for further details. Thank you.

### Menu for week commencing Monday 16 October 2017

	Main	On the side	Dessert	
Monday	Mild Chicken Korma with naan bread.	Peas	Summer fruits crumble with custard	Water is freely available to all children. Milk is also now freely available to Reception, Y1 and Y2 children. All other drinks are available at an additional cost of 50p. Thank you.
Tuesday	Meatballs in Homemade Tomato sauce with Pasta Twists	Diced peppers	Carrot cake	
Wednesday	West Country roast pork and apple sauce with roast potatoes and gravy	Carrots and cabbage	Banana Angel Delight	
Thursday	Minced beef and onion pie with little jackets	Green beans and broccoli	Lemon Drizzle Cake	
Friday	Salmon nuggets (rich in omega 3) with homemade chips	Beans and sweetcorn	Giant cookies	

The school will work with children who require a modification to the school meals as jacket potatoes/bread rolls / ham, cheese, tuna or salad, can be prepared. Please talk to the class teacher if there are any queries regarding lunches. On rare occasions, due to circumstances beyond our control (e.g. non-delivery or equipment problems), it may be necessary to vary the menu. However, a hot meal will *always* be available!

### Friends of the School

The Annual General Meeting of Friends of the School will take place on Thursday 19 October in the school hall at 3.45pm. Further information can be found on the school website.

## COMMUNITY NEWS

<p align="center"><b>BINGO</b> Saturday, 14 October 2017 Fraddon Village Hall Doors open 6.30pm All proceeds in aid of School funds</p>					
<p align="center"><b><u>Cornwall Cricket Centre</u></b>  <b>Half Term Cricket Camps</b>  23 – 27 October 2017 Please book your place in advance. For more details and to book your place on one of our camps go to: <a href="http://www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps">www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps</a> or contact <a href="mailto:m.kent@cornwallcricket.co.uk">m.kent@cornwallcricket.co.uk</a></p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Softball Camps</td> <td>Hardball Camps</td> </tr> <tr> <td>£10.00 per day Ages 5 – 10 10am – 4pm Mon 23, Wed 25, Fri 27 October</td> <td>£15.00 per day Ages 9 – 13 10am – 4pm Tues 24 and Thurs 26 October <i>(children must have played club hardball cricket to take part)</i></td> </tr> </table>	Softball Camps	Hardball Camps	£10.00 per day Ages 5 – 10 10am – 4pm Mon 23, Wed 25, Fri 27 October	£15.00 per day Ages 9 – 13 10am – 4pm Tues 24 and Thurs 26 October <i>(children must have played club hardball cricket to take part)</i>	<p align="center"><b><u>Truro School</u></b> <b>Swim Camp</b>  <b>Monday 23 – Thursday 26 October</b> <b>8.30am – 12.30pm</b> <b>£25 per day or £80 for all 4 days</b></p> <p>This 4 day camp run by ASA coach Lee Stansbury from the Cornwall Swim academy provide an exciting opportunity for 7 – 14 years of all club swimming levels to improve the fine points of swimming. For more information see our website or</p> <p align="center"><b>Multi Sports Activity Camp</b>  Monday 23 – Friday 27 October Aged 6 – 14 years 8.30am – 5.30pm £25.00 per day (Hot lunch included)</p> <p>For further information about either camp please contact Email:sport@truroschool.com or call 01872 246050</p>
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<p align="center">Indian Queens Band Halloween Family Disco <b>Saturday 28 October</b> Indian Queens Working Mens Club 6.00pm – 9.00pm  Games 6.00pm – 7.00pm and Disco 7.00pm – 9.00pm Entry 16+ - £2.00, under 16s - £1.00 Under 2s free  All children must be accompanied by an adult</p>	<p align="center">Indian Queens Band Bonfire Big Breakfast <b>Sunday 5 November</b>  9.00am – noon  Indian Queens Band Room  £5.00 Breakfast £3.00 Child Breakfast (under 10) £2.50 Bacon Roll Free cup of tea with a breakfast</p>				

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