St Levan Primary School where all children SHINE... for life

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Dear Families

It has been great to see all the clubs starting this week and the children's enthusiasm for them. Despite the weather, we've managed to be outside during PE sessions and the outdoor clubs have been able to run normally. Next week's PE with me will be on Tuesday afternoon, rather than the normal Wednesday. As I mentioned last week, I would be grateful if the children are either wearing clothing and footwear suitable for movement/sport or that they bring some with them. We will be outside unless the weather is horrendous!

I wanted to take a moment to celebrate the high quality of our school meals at St. Levan. In all the schools that I've ever worked in, this is the best food I've eaten. I've had a school dinner every day I've been here this term and my wife is now keen to come in and try one herself! Many thanks to Steve for his skill, passion and care. At St. Levan, we can offer a range of dishes each week that are prepared and cooked on site. Steve is able to incorporate local produce where possible. Thank you also to Becky for bringing in some locally grown veg and to Rhia for the abundance of apples – hugely appreciated. It is wonderful to see our school community eating together at lunch times.

If you'd like to try Steve's food for yourself please come along to the wonderful Friends event next Friday 26th September at Community House, St Buryan (see more details overleaf).

At this time of year, parents are considering options for places at secondary and primary schools for next September. It has been lovely to have lots of interest in our school, with plenty of tours either completed or planned.

Do remember that it's school photographs next Thursday!

Ben Chalwin

Headteacher

Attendance 2025/26 98%

Choughs = 98%

Puffins = 99%

Stars of the Week

Choughs: Isaac for making such a wonderful start at St Levan and for being such a kind and thoughtful friend!

Puffins: Ayana and Céleste for excellent map work in Geography including labelling key dates - well done!

Welcome Supper

Friday 26th September
At St. Buryan Community House (TR19 6DU)

- Begins at 4pm with general play and chat there will be biscuits
 - Dinner will be served at 5.30-6.00pm
 - Ends when children are sleepy / overtired or you are

Welcome to the Autumn term at St. Levan School!

It is the delicious heart-warming community event that is our annual Welcome Supper next Friday and you are all invited! Just bring yourselves, your families and a smile for the evening. Steve will be cooking up an amazing meal including main course and dessert for everyone (plus soft drinks), so we need to know how many will be coming and your dietary requirements. Please return the slip below or let Cassandra know in the office. There will be fun and games to finish the night and maybe a spot of dancing (if you've made use of the bar which will be open). There is no charge for the evening, it's all on us - you're welcome! The bar is the only thing you will need to bring your money for. If you wish to make a donation it would be very gratefully received, as this year we are raising funds for the outdoor areas including replacing the sandpit, climbing frame and growing beds.

We look forward to seeing all of you there!

Friends of St. Levan School

Name of Child/ren	
Number of people attending	_
Dietary Requirements (please include how many)	-
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Making Fruit Kebabs

We used a rainbow of fruit to make our kebabs. We were very careful with the knives and skewers and lots of us tried new types of fruit for the first time. Well done Choughs!



Drama in the Garden!

As part of their WWII topic, Puffins have been learning about air raids. Imagine their shock when an unexploded bomb was spotted in the garden, wedged in the compost bin and smoking away! They had just been finding out about a real WWII bomb that landed in a field close to school. Their own newspaper reports on the event are nearly ready to share... look out for them next week!





All prepared and cooked on the premises by Steve! Menu for week commencing 22nd September

Monday	Pasta Carbonara	Shortbread
	Cheese and vegetable bake (v)	
	with vegetables	
Tuesday	Chicken curry (mild) with rice and	Lemon
	vegetables	sponge cake
	Potato and vegetable samosas with	
	rice (v)	
Wednesday	Italian meatballs	Oat cookie
	Lentil bolognaise (v)	
	with pasta and vegetables	
Thursday	Chypraze sausage with mashed	Pineapple
	potatoes	cake
	Vegetable cottage pie (v)	
	with vegetables	
Friday	Jacket potato with cheese and	Banana split
	beans (v)	
	with carrot and cucumber sticks	

Please talk to us if you have a food allergy, intolerance or coeliac disease.

We want to cater safely for everyone.



