

*Prendergast C. P. School*

# Newsletter

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Dear Parent/Carer,

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It has been a particularly busy term with many teaching and learning activities supporting our curriculum for our pupils and to name just a few: a SuperHero Training Camp; a Medieval Banquet; a Changemaker Market, a Careers Fair; Urdd Eisteddfods; visits to Llys-y-fran and the River Cleddau.

Next term starts for Prendergast and all Haverfordwest Schools on:

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> April

and Year 6 teacher, Miss Beth Oliver will continue to teach Dosbarth Druidston whilst Mr Dave Lewis returns from his Welsh Sabbatical Course to teach in Dosbarth Marloes (on Mondays) with Ms Sarah Worgan, and he will support the teaching of Welsh across the school.

Please make every effort to support the school's practices with

- reporting absences daily by phoning 01437 771580 and leaving a message and/or emailing at [admin.prendergast@prendergast.gov.uk](mailto:admin.prendergast@prendergast.gov.uk). Please do not use Class Dojo to report absences.
- appropriate clothing and footwear for school - we have a distinctive school uniform which is available from school uniform suppliers and our school foyer and children are encouraged to wear this daily, whilst non-school uniform is encouraged on birthdays and specific non-school uniform days. All pupils need to have a change of clothes for their P.E. days and class teachers will advise of any changes to their timetables and dates of practices for sports days/competitions/festivals.
- the safe use of technology - please set up parental controls to ensure that all children are safeguarded from inappropriate content



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We have a full calendar of dates for the next few months and further information will be shared on Class Dojo.

Wishing everyone a Happy Easter Holiday,

Ms John  
Headteacher

Calendar Dates for Autumn Term 2024:

Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> September	INSET – School Closed
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> September	Bronze Ambassador Conference
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	INSET – School Closed
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	Individual Pupil Photographs 3:30pm to 4:30pm Meet the Teacher Event
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	Vet to visit Year 1 Bring your pet to school day for Year 1 Year 6 to visit Haverfordwest County Football Ground/Players
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> September	Prendergardd F@CE Event with volunteers
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> September	Banner Making Workshop for Year 2
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> September	Macmillan Coffee Morning between 8am and 9.30am and 12.30pm to 1.30pm
Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	Car Boot Sale
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> October	Springboard Activity
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> October	Year 6 Eco Warriors to visit Pennar School
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> October	Friends of Prendergast Annual General Meeting
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> October	Springboard Activity
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> October	Meeting for Parents/Carers of Year 4 -Llangrannog Visit – 3:30pm
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Springboard Activity
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> October	Diwrnod Shwmae Day – children are invited to wear red/white/green to school on this day
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> October	PTA Friends of Prendergast Meeting - 2pm to 2:45pm
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Lantern Making Workshop
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Urdd Rugby Tournament
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> October	Reception to visit Scolton Manor Woods
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> October to Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Parent/Teacher Meetings
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October	Springboard Activity
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Urdd Tag Rugby Mixed and Girls' Tournament @ Crymych RFC
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Open Evening @ Haverfordwest High VC School for Years 5 & 6 – 4:30pm to 6:00pm



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Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> October	Lantern Parade
Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> October to 1 <sup>st</sup> November	Half Term - School closed
Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 6 Druidston Darwin Science Trip
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 6 Broad Haven Darwin Project
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Anti-Bullying Week – Theme ‘Choose Respect’
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	Remembrance Service for Year 5 parents and MoD Service Families @ 2pm
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	Children in Need
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> November	PTA - Friends of Prendergast Meeting – All welcome @ 2pm
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> November	INSET – School Closed
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 6 First Aid Training
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Year 1 visit to Haverfordwest Library
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> November	Birds of Prey in Reception Classes
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> November	Christmas Fayre
Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> November	Haverfordwest Banner Parade
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Year 2 Christmas Show – 6pm
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Year 6 Eco Warriors to Bluestone
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Nursery Performance – 9:30am to 10:30am
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> December	Year 2 Christmas Show – 1:30pm to 2:30pm
Wednesday 4 <sup>th</sup> December	School Christmas Dinner & Sparkle Day
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Nursery Playdate for January 2025 Intake
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> December	Choir Singing at Haverfordwest Tesco Store - 1pm
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> December to 11 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 5 visit to Urdd Cardiff
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup> December	INSET – School Closed (Instead of 28/04/2025)
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol Concert for Acorns – 10am to 11am at St Davids Church Prendergast
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol Concert for Years 1 and 2 – 10am to 11am at St Davids Church Prendergast
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Disco
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Years 3 & 4 Carol Concert at St David’s Church 10am to 11am
Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> December	Year 1 to 6 Visit to Palace Cinema
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Years 5 & 6 Carol Concert at St David’s Church 10am to 11am
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> December	Choir singing at Tesco Haverfordwest
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Day. Last day of term
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> December to Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> January 2025	Christmas break – School Closed
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> January 2025	All pupils return to school
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> January to Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	Kerbcraft for Year 1
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> January	EFL Football Competition
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> January	Cookery Session Demonstration with Healthaspire
Wednesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> January	Friends of Prendergast PTA Meeting @ 2pm. All welcome.
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> January	Whole School Non-Uniform Day/Cake Sale – Raising funds to develop our Acorns’ Outdoor Area
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> January	EFL Football Competition in Swansea



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Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> January	Sandy Haven (Year 2 Mrs Davies) visit to Carew Castle
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> January	Bags2School donations bags to be returned to school
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> January	Cookery Session Demonstration by Healthaspire
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> January	Curriculum Event for Parents and Carers & Languages Connect Us Event 3.30pm to 5pm
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> January	Barafundle (Year 2 Mr Jenkins) visit to Carew Castle
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> January	Inter-House Cross Country Competition for Years 3 to 6
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> February	Springboard – Cooking Together Year 1 & 2. Booking required
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> February	Cookery Session Demonstration by Healthaspire
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> February	Urdd Football – Year 5 & 6 Girls Urdd Football – Year 5 & 6 Mixed
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Cluster Primaries' Cross Country Competition Years 3 to 6
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	Safer Internet Day
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	Springboard – Cooking Together Year 3 & 4. Booking required
Tuesday 11 <sup>th</sup> February	Cookery Session Demonstration by Healthaspire
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	Springboard – Cooking Together Year 5 & 6. Booking required
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	Springboard – Superstar Snackers Nursery & Reception. Booking required
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	Cookery Session Demonstration by Healthaspire
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> February to Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> February	Year 4 Llangrannog Visit
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> February to Friday 28 <sup>th</sup> February	Half Term – School Closed
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March	School Eisteddfod
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> March	Food Story at Withybush Showground for Year 5
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day & Bedtime Stories Event
Monday 17 <sup>th</sup> March to Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Parent/Teacher Meetings
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	Year 1 visit Withybush Woods
Thursday 20 <sup>th</sup> March	Prendergast's Got Talent 2025
Monday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Reception visit Llys Y Fran
Tuesday 25 <sup>th</sup> March	Dwr Cymru Workshop for Year 5
Wednesday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Netball & Football Friendly Tournament @ Prendergast tbc
Thursday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Eisteddfod
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Pembrokeshire National Park River Trip Dosbarth Amroth
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	Friends of Prendergast PTA Meeting. All welcome!
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April	Pembrokeshire National Park River Trip Dosbarth Dale
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Pond Dipping for PS3 Children
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Dragons' Den – Year 6
Thursday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	Urdd Football Tournament – Year 3 & 4



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Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> April	Inter House Football
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> April	Careers Fair –Year 6
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Super Hero Training Day – Reception Classes
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Bingo 6pm to 8pm
Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> April to Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> April	Easter Break – School Closed
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Urdd 50/50 Cricket Match for Year 3 & 4 @ Neyland Cricket Club
Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April	Purple Up Day for Military Families
Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> April	Year 5 Campfire 6pm to 7.30pm
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup> May	Eco Warriors visit to St Brides
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> May	Haverfoodwest Bocs Bwyd Stall
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> May	Reception visit to Dinosaur Park
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	Bat Watch Survey – Eco Warriors
Thursday 8 <sup>th</sup> May	VE Day – 80 <sup>th</sup> Commemorative Day – Afternoon Tea
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 5/6 Practice for Swimming Gala
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> May	Sports Day – PS3 in morning & PS2 in afternoon
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> May	Sports Day – PS1 in morning
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> May	Bat Watch Community Event
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 5/6 Swimming Gala
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Year 3 & 4 Practice for Swimming Gala
Monday 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Darwin Science Pond Dipping – Year 5 & 6
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Darwin Science Pond Dipping - Infants
Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> June	School Choir performing at Sandy Bear Event
Monday 9 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 3 & 4 Swimming Gala
Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	Darwin Science Pond Dipping – Years 1 & 2
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> May to Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> May	Half Term
Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June	INSET – School Closed
Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> June and Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 Transition Days to Haverfordwest High VC School
Tuesday 1 <sup>st</sup> July to Friday 4 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Visit to Celtic Camping
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> July	Prenderbury Festival
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Last day of academic year
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> July	INSET Day - School Closed – Summer Holiday begins



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