

### www.dangerousdads.org.uk/dadfest2022

## September 16th, 17th & 18th DadFest2022<sup>™</sup>

Location: via Ferrata, Penryn, Cornwall. TR10 9BX

Awarded '<u>Best Small Event in the UK</u>' & the only festival just for dads/ male carers and their children

- campfire stories
  archery
  water rockets
  bat walk
- bushcraft & Forest School
  star-gazing
  kids entertainers
  - live music tattoos huge zip-line kayaking •

mobile art-space • rafts • slip 'n' slide • adventure trail • local food & beers • & more...

Official 2022 World Dad Dancing Championship

### starts Fri. 16th Sept - ends Sun. 18th Sept

DadFest2022 tickets must be bought in advance Children under 6 £20 Children aged 6 & over £40 Dads/ male carers: £85

DadFest Ticket = all weekend activities included & camping - no other costs food tickets for the whole weekend also available Concessions available - please contact the organisers

> Book early: Book on-line or phone 07756 880106 or email bookings@dangerousdads.org.uk





Summer Reading Challenge 2022



Delivered in partnership with libraries.

The Summer Reading Challenge run by The Reading Agency will start from Saturday July 9<sup>th</sup> so please do send everyone down to Truro Community Library to register. We love to see as many young people in here as possible and it is a fantastic way to keep reading over the summer holidays.

The format is the same as previous years – the challenge is to read six books from the Library over the summer holidays. Any books can be read – fiction, non-fiction, graphic novels, comic books, audio books – whatever takes your fancy!

The theme this year is The Gadgeteers with a fold-out, fill-in, colourful sticker folder designed by author and illustrator Julian Beresford. There are stickers and stuff to collect along the way at each stage of the Challenge as in the previous years.

This year's Summer Reading Challenge theme is Gadgeteers, created in partnership with Science Museum so at the end of the Challenge we are excited to be partnering with The Royal Cornwall Museum in Truro. Anyone finishing the Challenge and reading six books will be entered into a prize draw to win two annual passes to the Museum – children go free anyway but this means that two adults can go free with them for the whole year.

The Museum was founded by The Royal Institution of Cornwall in 1818 to promote excellence in science and art and to forward the world-leading industries that Cornwall was known for and it continues to be a hub of discovery.

The theme of Gadgeteers was chosen to spark children's curiosity about the world around them and to inspire them to see the science and innovation behind everyday objects such as fashion and technology, cooking and music. The fold out sticker folder has a fun narrative and six characters to follow. There is also a great website at <u>www.summerreadingchallenge.org.uk</u> with illustrations by Julian Beresford. There are competitions, mini challenges, a book sorter and all sorts of fun things to do to get ready for the Challenge.

But of course, we like to see everyone in the library and reading books, so come and sign up anytime from Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July!

We would love to see every child in and around Truro joining up and using the Library and to feel ownership of our lovely building as part of their city.

Thank you for all your continued support of the Library over the year; we greatly appreciate it!

Best wishes Becks Hazzard

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### Dear Parents & Guardians, The UK's best parenting magazine is here, and it's FREE!

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### Parents and carers urged to protect children against COVID

As COVID-19 cases continue to rise, parents and carers in Cornwall are being urged to get their children vaccinated ahead of the summer holidays.

Jabs are now available for all children over the age of 5 and child-friendly clinics are being set up at sites across the county.

The virus poses a risk to young people, both during the initial infection period and with longer-term health issues such as long COVID.

Vaccinating children can:

- Prevent further disruption to their education and social activity from initial infection as well as from long COVID which affects over 8% of children.
- Save lives by reducing the risk of infection to your child and to those around them, especially vulnerable and elderly family members.
- Reduce symptoms if infected and reduce the likelihood of developing severe disease and lasting health issues proven by over 15 studies.
- Enhance future protection if a child has already had COVID-19.

All COVID-19 vaccines in the UK have passed all clinical safety trials to be approved by the UK's Medicines and Healthcare Products Regulatory Agency. This means they are safe.

Parents and guardians can <u>book a vaccination appointment for their children online</u>, or just walk in at their nearest walk-in clinic. To find out the details of their nearest walk-in site <u>visit the Grab a Jab website</u>.

# NEED A BABYSITTER? NEED A BABYSITTER? I am Finn Costa (15), older brother of 3, so very good with children. Can travel from Devoran to Feock. Please call or text/Whatsapp: Meisha on 07890 995681



# **Volunteer Beaver and Scout**

# Leaders wanted

Might you be able to help out a local Beaver Scout group by becoming an Adult Leader? Might you feel you can help this busy and active group of 6-8 year olds keep going? Might you be able to commit to attending a weekly hour on a Wednesday evening during term time? If you think you can, or would just like to know more, please contact <u>clarebidgood@me.com</u>

So what are the basics? The group is 17th Truro Devoran scouts and the Beavers meet at various locations weekly on Wednesday from 5.30 pm-6.30pm. Currently, there are 13 Beavers and a strong team of adult helpers. However, we will be losing a leader and we desperately need more. The program is very varied and active and is planned a term ahead so you will always know what your commitment is. What kind of person are we looking for? You should be happy to work with this age group and be able to be a fun and flexible adult as well as being able to confidently lead and guide Beavers through the sessions. To work as part of a developed Leadership team and to be able to offer a commitment to most sessions and associated meetings. You may be looking to enhance your CV as you work towards a career working with children or outdoor pursuits. You may even feel you just want to give back into Scouting if you used to enjoy all the benefits of it. Whatever your reasons, please do contact us.

### And what do you get out of it?

An excellent personal development opportunity where you can gain accredited certification in a whole host of outdoor activities as well First Aid and Safe Guarding training. Creating contacts and links in the community as the groups Leadership teams have many professionals within it. A chance to be part of a vibrant local group who are constantly working closely with the community as well as other groups in the District. The Scouting Association has a very developed training system so you will be guided and assisted every step of the way. You do not need these skills to start, just a willingness to take on the training. If you would like to come along just for a chat and some information please do get in contact and we will happily give you all the information you need. Get in Touch to Find out More or Volunteer! Email clarebidgood@me.com or call Clare on 07946509699

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## **Truro Nursery School**

## Qualified teacher led Nursery places for your 2,3 and 4 year olds



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SOCCER SCHOOLS   10.00AM - 3.00PM		INFANT		JUNIOR		(2-4 YEARS)		
LOCATION	VENUE	DATE	AGES	PRICE	AGES	PRICE	TIME	PRICE
NEWQUAY TRURO CAMBORNE	TREVIGLAS SPORTS HUB TRURO PREP SCHOOL EVOLVE CAMBORNE COLLEGE	27TH, 4TH, 10TH, 17TH, 24TH & 3IST 29TH, 5TH, 12TH, 19TH & 26TH 28TH, 11TH, 18TH & 25TH	5-7 5-7 5-7	£18.00 £18.00 £18.00	8-12 8-12 8-12	£18.00 £18.00 £18.00	2.00PM-2.45PM 2.00PM-2.45PM 2.00PM-2.45PM	£5.00

Saints Southwest School Holiday Courses offer exceptional value for money, and the opportunity for young players to improve their skills through a structured and enjoyable coaching programme devised and delivered by experienced and FA qualified coaches. Our full-day courses typically run from 10.00 am to 3.00 pm with an early drop off service available from 9.00 am every holiday period. The Soccer Schools are action-packed days that allow children to learn new skills and improve match play whilst having fun.

### MULTISPORT CAMPS | 10.00AM - 3.00PM SPORTY TOTS [2-4 YEARS]

LOCATION	VENUE	DATE	AGES	PRICE	TIME	PRICE
HELSTON	WENDRON PRIMARY SCHOOL	15TH AUG	5-11	£18.00	2.00PM-2.45PM	£5.00
ST AUSTELL	CARGLAZE PRIMARY SCHOOL	8TH AUG	5-11	£18.00	2.00PM-2.45PM	£5.00

Multisport Camps are aimed at all children 5–11 years old who want to have fun and be creative during the school holidays! We understand that children learn the most when having fun. Our wide selection of activities which include; Dodgeball, Cricket, Basketball, Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee, Tri Golf, Rounders, Handball & many more keep children inspired and engaged throughout the course.

GIRLS ONLY CAMPS   10.00AM - 3.00PM					EARLY DROP OFF		
LOCATION	VENUE	DATE	AGES	PRICE		TIME	PRICE
NEWQUAY	TREVIGLAS SPORTS HUB	27TH, 4TH, 10TH, 17TH, 24TH & 31ST	5-12	£18.00		9.00AM	£21.00
TRURO	TRURO PREP SCHOOL	29TH, 5TH, 12TH, 19TH & 26TH	5-12	£18.00		9.00AM	£21.00
CAMBORNE	EVOLVE CAMBORNE COLLEGE	28TH, 4TH, 11TH, 18TH & 25TH	5-12	£18.00		9.00AM	£21.00

Girls Only Camps are aimed at all young aspiring females aged 5–12 years old. We wish to increase upon the number of girls participating in our programmes, by offering a bespoke, 'girls-only' recreational programme, that provides a fun introduction to the wonderful world of football! Girls are able to improve their techniques through a variety of activities.

GOALKEEPER CAMPS   10.00AM - 3.00PM					EARLY DROP OFF	
LOCATION	VENUE	DATE	AGES	PRICE	TIME	PRICE
NEWQUAY TRURO CAMBORNE	TREVIGLAS SPORTS HUB TRURO PREP SCHOOL EVOLVE CAMBORNE COLLEGE	27TH, 4TH, 10TH, 17TH, 24TH & 3IST 29TH, 5TH, 12TH, 19TH & 26TH 28TH, 4TH, 11TH, 18TH & 25TH	5-12 5-12 5-12	£18.00 £18.00 £18.00	9.00AM 9.00AM 9.00AM	£21.00 £21.00 £21.00

Aimed at ALL young aspiring Goalkeepers aged 5-12 years old. The position-specific course will cover all aspects of the Saints Southwest Goalkeeping syllabus, suitably challenging young and enthusiastic goalkeepers of all abilities. Components include handling technical practices, shot stopping, footwork drills, distribution techniques from both hands and feet, communication and fun games.





What's On in Feock Parish: July You can find the full guided here: <u>http://www.myfeock.co.uk/</u>



Dear Parents,

### Mi Little Pad - Summer Challenge for Devoran School pupils

We are excited to be offering an amazing **Summer Challenge** as an extension to our very popular Mi Little Pad club that the children can take part in **at home** over the summer holidays!

There will be a weekly video each week for 6 weeks looking at a variety of topics and the students will be able to take part using Lego, Minecraft, Arts and Crafts materials or indeed anything they have lying around. They can even just draw a picture! The first challenge will start on the week commencing Monday 25th July.

As a bit of fun we will also be running a national competition on Facebook with prizes each week for the children with the most likes and even bigger prizes for the most popular creations of the summer!

#### BOOK ONLINE!

As the children are joining in **at home**, places cost just £1.99 +VAT per child per session and are bought in a block of 6 for the summer.

All 'Summer Challenge' places are reserved and paid for online. Just go to www.milittlepad.com to book your child's place.

#### Bookings will be available from midday on the 13th July

Any problems please contact us on 01633 383211 or support@milittlepad.com

Kind regards,

John Gallacher