

Kea Community Primary School

8 February 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

Yours sincerely

Re: Farm & Country Day at Royal Cornwall Showground - Wednesday 23 March 2022

We are really delighted to let you know that the Royal Cornwall Showground are holding their educational Farm & Country Days again this year. Children in year 3, 4 and 5 have been invited to attend this event on Wednesday 23 March 2022.

The children will enjoy a hands-on, interactive learning journey to see how their food travels from farm to plate. Further information is available on their website: http://www.royalcornwallshow.org/education/farm-country-days/

There will be more than 50 exhibits illustrating aspects of local farming and food production. Over 400 volunteers from the industry have given their time and expertise for free to make this event happen.

For this day children will need to wear warm clothing and sensible footwear but they must wear their normal school jumper. A packed lunch (including a non-glass water bottle) is also required. Packed lunches can be ordered through the school kitchen, or parents are welcome to supply their own. If you wish to order a packed lunch, please complete the attached order form. **Children will need to arrive at school at 8.40 am as the coach will be leaving promptly at 8.50 am**, they will return in time for the normal school finish at 3.30 pm.

Kea School Friends, have once again, very kindly agreed to fund the transport to this event so there is not cost to parents.

Please complete the permission slip below and the packed lunch order form overleaf (if applicable) and return to the school office by Tuesday 15 February 2022.

Children who attend are also invited to enter into a competition. In the past this has ranged from writing poems through to designing an agricultural selfie frame. The winning entry will win a family ticket to the Royal Cornwall Show along with other goodies for the school. Further information will be available nearer the time. Every child will also receive a free ticket to the Royal Cornwall Show.

Katherine Hunkin
Headteacher

Farm & Country Day - Royal Cornwall Showground – 23 March 2022 I give permission for my child: _______ (insert name) in Year ______ to take part in the Farm & Country day at the Royal Cornwall Showground and to travel by coach. Signed: Date: