



This Week:

Tue 27 Apr Yr 4: Zero Gravity
Wed 28 Apr Yr 2: Cotehele
Fri 30 Apr Yr 5: Zero Gravity

Staffing

Congratulations to Mr Crudge who will become Deputy Head at Landulph in September. This is a well-deserved promotion and something we always actively encourage at SRG. This means we have placed an advert and will be interviewing and appointing before half term.

Congratulations also to Mr Summers who has secured a teaching post in Dubai in September.

When we have made our appointment, we will let you know about the staffing structure for September, but I can confirm that Mrs Hawkings will be teaching in EYFS and is overseeing the induction of the new intake.

Admissions

We are receiving many expressions of interest about places for September. Please can you let us know if you think you will not need your place in September, so that we can make the appropriate offers, as most of our classes have waiting lists.

We were oversubscribed once again for this September and look forward to welcoming them - we have informed them of the transition programme that we can offer this year. Having full classes supports our long-term planning as it means our budget is consistent.

Accelerated Reader

The World Book Day books are now on Accelerated Reader so that the children can quiz and extend their word counts.

Little Princess – Mufti and Crazy Hair Day Friday 7th May

We will be holding a Mufti and Crazy Hair day to raise money for the Little Princess Trust, after Seren W and Molly T have had their hair cut short to donate for wigs.



Trim Trail

A huge thank you to the Friends of the school who are putting money towards the new trim trail we have had installed.

The previous one became unsafe, and the cost of repairing made it poor value. Our new one has a longer warranty and is made of recyclable plastic, which also supports our environmental policy and Eco School work. The fact it will not rot makes it better value for money for us. We have been pleased with the items we had had installed last year made from recyclable materials.

School Uniform

Thank you for making sure the children have the right school uniform - they do look smart when we meet together.

On days when they are coming in PE kit, please can they wear school PE kit and hoodies, so they remain looking smart.

Of course, if clothing is named it is easy for it to be returned when left outside or misplaced.

Panini Football Sticker Book

Mr Arundell has managed to secure some free copies of the Panini Euro 2020 (2021) football sticker book. If you would like a copy of the book and two free packs of stickers, please pop and see Mr Arundell. These will be given out on a first come first served basis and are initially limited to one per family. Note: there is obviously a monetary implication of completing this sticker book should your child choose to do so.

AWARDS

Reception

Amber P	Consistent effort in Phonics
Chloe B	Resilience
George R	Being the best I can
Melody W	Perseverance with letter writing
Tom G	Phonics

Year 1

Alfie N	Enthusiasm
Evalyn M	Kindness
Harriet H	Positive attitude towards her learning
Harrison C	Showing kindness towards others
Holly F	Helpfulness
Joseph P	Fantastic maths
Lily WP	Superb reading
William F	Superb effort in maths

Year 2

Edmund F	Amazing subject knowledge
Imogen P	Fantastic role model & motivator
Max B	Learner of the week
Millie W	Being the best I can
Samuel G	Resilience in learning
Seren H	Reader of the week

Year 3

Alice G	Positive attitude towards her learning
Archie H	Superb progress in phonics/reading
Ayla G	Times table progress
Callum C	Fantastic gymnastics
Daisy HH	Resilience and determination with her reading
Elsie G	Friendship
Ethan H	Superb progress in reading
Gracie N	Kindness
Gwen H	Teamwork in rugby
Jacob R	Helpfulness
Millie S	Resilience
Mollie Y	Super fraction work
Oscar M	Enthusiasm
Poppy T	Super fraction work
Raff J	Friendship
Ruan H	Friendship
Seb H	Enthusiasm

Year 4

Ava J	Wonderful all-round effort
Bob T	For being kind and welcoming to Kim
Ethan F	Creative story writing
Finn S	For brilliant engagement in all his learning
Jake K	For starting the term brilliantly
Rebecca J	Superb teamwork in rugby
Ruby C	Fabulous improvement in reading
Seren W	Determined cricket
Sophie D	Amazing cricket skills
William B	Stunning cricket

Year 5

Bea	Producing neat and enjoyable written work
Edie	Reading aloud to the class during the class read
Florence	Incredible work in core subjects
Isaac	Improvement in his comprehension work
Molly	Great maturity during RSE sessions
Nathaniel	Great attitude during Project Touchline
Stanley	Working hard to reach his AR million award
William D	Great discipline during rugby sessions

Year 6

Axel B	Kindness
Charlie V	Helpfulness
Daisy I	Independence
Emma D	Rugby
Evie P	Zero Gravity
George K	Reading
Harry F	Courtesy
Joseph OK	Supporting others
Lucas C	Maths
Melody E	Enthusiasm
Millie J	Zero Gravity
Oliver S	Effort
Theo B	Rugby

Accelerated Reader Round Up

WE ARE NEARLY THERE!! Can we reach 100,000,000 before half term?
Our whole school word count for this academic year to date is: **90,671,283**
Whole school total books read to date: 9,118

Class word count – Year to date

Year 2	6,212,082
Year 3	7,583,124
Year 4	20,655,607
Year 5	26,566,003
Year 6	29,339,867

Top 5 word counts – Week

Year 2	Tilly C
Year 3	Seb H
Year 4	Ethan F
Year 5	Alfie B
Year 6	Melody E

Good Progress

Year 2	Norah C
Year 3	Gwen H
Year 4	Harris S
Year 5	Nathaniel K
Year 6	David Br.

¼ Million Imogen P, Ethan J, Charlie O’K, Keira B, Taylan M

½ Million Emily F, Seren H, Dougie B, Ethan B, Charlie V, Zak C, Shiloh S

¾ Million Ryan J, Arthur B, Libby P, George K

1 Million Ashton B, Bodhi W, Millie B-C, Lola O-R, Connor P, Joseph O’K, Daisy I

3 Million Ethan F

Wanted

Donations of small underwear (both boys and girls) aged 5, 6 and 7 please.

Project Touchline and Growing Faith

Last Thursday, Chris Andrew and Project Touchline began a six-week programme of rugby for all KS1 and KS2. Chris is a qualified rugby coach and previously worked at Bath Rugby. Chris is a Lay Minister and Archbishops’ Evangelist in the Church of England and with these two Project Touchline was created for schools in 2015. Chris has worked in over fifty schools nationally and in 2019 featured on BBC1 Songs of Praise. He is currently working with two schools in Falmouth, one in Newquay, one in Weymouth and Sir Robert Geffery’s.

Each week, Chris will lead the whole school assembly in the morning and then during the PE session’s the children will learn rugby skills through rugby games also with a time for reflection and prayer before and after. The focus will be on living out the school’s values of Trust, Friendship, Thankfulness, Service, Peace and Love. The children will be learning to live life in all its fullness – John 10:10 by playing rugby, showing Christian values on the pitch and learning to develop their own Christian distinctiveness and spirituality.

From week 2, Chris will aspire to plant a new prayer club during lunchtime for around 10-15 mins where children can come and be still, quiet and peaceful and pray together. Children can write their own prayers for this and parents and grandparents are encouraged to support them if this something they would like to do. There will be a special prayer flag activity coming home soon for those children who are keen to be involved. Have a look out for this! The aspiration is for this Growing Faith club to continue when Chris finishes the programme on 28th May.

Awards will be given to all children taking part who look to grow their understanding of the Christian values, spirituality and sport at a presentation and a video of the whole programme will be available for parents to watch on the school’s internal Google from then.



GROWING FAITH

From 29th April, we will be aspiring to plant a 'Growing Faith' *Lunchtime* prayer club in school. This club will be open to all children and will be for 10-15 minutes every Thursday. The aspiration is that this club will continue when Chris has finished the programme with the help of staff and the local church.

If your child would like to be involved, this is a really fun activity which supports the prayer club this term. For those who are keen to come to the prayer club it allows them to write a prayer and develop their Christian spirituality and complete an amazing activity with their Mum, Dad, Carer, Grandparents or brothers and sisters - it's up to you and your family. To make a prayer flag is not homework and is your personal choice.

What is a prayer flag?

In Nepal and some other Buddhist communities, people write prayers on pieces of cloth, and hang them outside, like on a washing line.

How do I make my prayer flag?

1. Find your child some old cloth at home, use a piece of that, otherwise use some paper. Felt markers may be best with cloth, with paper you can use whatever you like.
2. The piece of cloth/paper will measure about 15 cm long, 10 cm wide, but this isn't critical if your piece is smaller.
3. On your piece of cloth/paper, write the name(s) of people who they love in their family and friends. You could draw them and decorate your prayer cloth too.
4. If you're doing this with others, talk about why you love these people, and when you think they show love. You could string these on a line in your house or bedroom using pegs over a few days, to remind you of them, and if you want you could say a 'thank you' prayer about them.

Bringing your prayer flag into school?

Your child can bring their prayer flag on cloth/paper into school to share together at one of the lunchtime clubs with Chris. All these flags will then later be taken to the local Church for a permanent display afterwards. Prayer flags can be made at any time during the programme. Your child can attend the club without making any prayer flag at all.



If you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,' and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you - Matthew 17:20

Dates for your Diary

27Apr,4/11 May	Yr 4: Zero Gravity
Wed 28 Apr	Yr 2: Cotehele
30Apr,7/14 May	Yr 5: Zero Gravity
Wed 5 May	Yr 1: Cotehele
Fri 7 May	Mufti and Crazy Hair Day
Thu 13 May	Class Photos
17-19 May	Bikeability L2 (Yr 6)
17-28 May	Yr 3: Daily swimming lessons
May	Yr 2 & Yr 1: Zero Gravity
24-25 May	Bikeability L2 (Yr 6)
31May-4Jun	Half Term
Tue 8 Jun	Yrs 3/4: Tamar Bridge visit
Wed 9 Jun	Yrs 2/5: Tamar Bridge visit
Thu 10 Jun	Yr 6: Cotehele
Fri 11 Jun	Inset Day
Thu 17 Jun	Yr 5: Duchy College visit
Wed 23 Jun	Sports Day (afternoon)
Thu 24 Jun	Sports Day Reserve date
28-29 Jun	Yr 6: Dewerstone
29-30 Jun	Yr 5: Dewerstone
30Jun-1Jul	Yr 4: Dewerstone
1-2 Jul	Yr 3: Dewerstone
Tue 6 Jul	Yr 5: Lynher Expedition
Wed 7 Jul	Yr 6: Lynher Expedition
8-9 Jul	Yr 6: JTT Experience
Fri 16 Jul	Speech Day
Thu 22 Jul	Yr 6: Leavers Play
Fri 23 Jul	Inset Day
	Summer Holidays