



This Week:

CLUBS INFORMATION: Cross Country club will be on this week.			Wanted Egg boxes	
Monday 8th	Tuesday 9th	Wednesday 10th	Thursday 11th 	Friday 12th
• Yr 3: Pentillie	• 2pm: Farm Committee mtg – all invited	•	•	• Cross Country League Run – Bake Lake

School and Community Farm Committee meeting

We would really like to get this group back off the ground and overseeing the work of the school farm. It is such an amazing resource and I know Mr O'Hara is keen to drive the project forward once again. We will soon be eligible to apply for a lottery grant and other small grants which will be useful.

Please come and get involved. Claire B and Amanda P have been amazing - supporting the work throughout the pandemic once a week and made sure we were involved in Growing Food for Saltash.

Cat, Carlyne, Julie and Nic have undertaken all sorts of projects over the past months, and Justin and Maddie both support groups as well. I can honestly say it has worked well having school staff supporting groups on the farm every day.

So many children benefit from time with the animals and growing.

Please come and join the initial discussions about how we can move forward. If you cannot attend but would be happy to support, please give your name to the office.

Mufti Dates

Friday 19th November

Children in Need – dressing up or mufti – please bring a monetary donation.

Friday 3rd December

Christmas Bazaar mufti – please bring a donation for the raffle.

Friends of SRG AGM

This valuable group are holding their AGM on Tuesday November 23rd in school at 6.30pm. They organise social events as well as fundraising for school and oversee the 100 Club. We have been limited over the past years because of the pandemic, but now is the time to plan for the future.

It will be great to leave an active group ready for Mr O'Hara in January. Future fundraising will be so important to SRG.

Remembrance Service – Sunday 14th November St Michael's Church 10.45am in the churchyard

Due to local numbers of Covid this year, we are not expecting high levels of children's attendance at this service.

As a school some classes will be taken to the memorial on 11 November, so they learn about Remembrance Day. We will also be holding our own outdoor assembly at 11am (weather permitting).

Poppies and accessories are available from the school office.

Zip pull	50p
Reflector	50p
Silicon wristband	£1.00
Snap band	£1.50

Mr O'Hara

It was brilliant that Mr O'Hara was able to join the remote governor's meeting last week. Year 6 outlined to him and the governors what the various school committees have started and hope to achieve this year.

He is very excited to be taking the helm in January and keen to listen to the children's ideas about how the school can develop further. Mr O'Hara has such a lovely manner and I know you will enjoy getting to know him. Obviously, he will be busy this term finishing off his work at his current school but will be moving down during the Christmas holidays ready for January. I will be liaising closely with him to ensure a smooth transition takes place.

Knowledge Organisers

Children have key skills and vocabulary that they need to learn and develop throughout their primary years. This year we have introduced knowledge organisers that have all key information needed for the term or half term in many of the subjects. The children use them in the classroom and staff will put them on the google classroom. As they tend to move down the stream they are not easy to find, so we have put copies on the school website – under curriculum in a folder called Knowledge Organisers.

Covid

Please continue to do regular lateral flow tests at home to keep our community safe. Public Health have been impressed with the interaction of our parents and as a result we have contained the outbreak. It is good to report that new cases have slowed down and the majority of those affected are now back at school. Testing highlighted cases so the numbers increased. Many schools are not aware of cases because the children have not undertaken lateral flows, increasing the spread. Your cooperation has been really appreciated. I think at one point I seemed to have a hotline to public health. School should be the safest place now if we know all in the building have negative test results!

Anti-Bullying Week 15-19 November

To mark this national themed week, we invite all children to wear odd socks to school on Tuesday 16th November. We will be discussing our own individuality, uniqueness and the right to be ourselves. During the Friday of the same week the whole school will celebrate Friendship Friday. Teaching and discussions around kindness and happiness will be the focus of the day. Lots of well-being, smiles and investigating the qualities of a good friend.

Dates for your Diary

Mon 15 Nov	Yr 2: Library visit Yr 1: Library visit
Wed 17 Nov	Individual School Photos
Thu 18 Nov	Yr 6: Library visit
Fri 19 Nov	Children in Need: Mufti
Mon 22 Nov	Yr R: Library visit Yr 3: Library visit
Tue 23 Nov	Friends AGM – 6.30pm NEW
Mon 29 Nov	Yr 4: Library visit Yr 5: Library visit
Tue 30 Nov	Yr R: Saltram visit Yr 1: Saltram visit
Wed 1 Dec	Yr 2: Saltram visit
Friday 3 Dec	After school clubs finish
Sat 11 Dec	7pm Beauty & the Beast at SRG Memorial Hall
Wed 15 Dec	School Christmas Lunch
Thu 16 Dec	KS1: Theatre trip
20Dec – 3Jan	Christmas Holidays
Tue 4 Jan	Inset Day
Wed 5 Jan	Inset Day
Wed 12 Jan	KS2: Theatre trip - Aladdin
Fri 14 Jan	XC League Run
Fri 4 Feb	XC League Run
7-18 Feb	Yr 3: Daily swimming lessons
21 – 25 Feb	Half Term
Fri 4 Mar	XC League Run
Fri 18 Mar	Landrake Run
11-22 Apr	Easter Holidays
27-29 April	Yr 5: Residential
Mon 2 May	Bank Holiday
30May-3Jun	Half Term
Fri 10 Jun	Inset Day
w/b 20 June	Yr 6: London residential
30Jun-1Jul	Yr 6: Jnr Ten Tors experience
Tue 26 Jul	Last day of term
Wed 27 Jul	Summer Holidays