




Newsletter No. 928 18th October 2024

Next Week:

After School Club Info Next week, the following clubs will <u>not</u> run: Yoga, Boomwhacker, KS2 Sports, Eco, Colour & Chat, Storytelling and Computing.		Parents Evenings If you've booked an online appt for Weds 23 rd Oct and have <u>not</u> received a confirmation email, contact the office <u>before Wednesday</u> .		
Monday 21st	Tuesday 22nd	Wednesday 23rd	Thursday 24th	Friday 25th
•	• Parents Evening IN SCHOOL	• Harvest Festival 10.30am - Church • Parents Evening ONLINE	• Yr 4, 5, 6: Dress as a Greek day!	• Pre-School closing at 4.30pm
28TH OCT – 1ST NOV HALF TERM				
Monday 4th Nov	Tuesday 5th	Wednesday 6th	Thursday 7th	Friday 8th
• Bikeability Grp 1	• Bikeability Grp 1 • Cake Sale	•	•	•

Class Attendance
The class with the best attendance for week 7th – 11th October is **Year 5**
Mr O'Hara will be visiting soon to pop some marbles in your jar!



School Disco – Friday 18th October
Yr R, 1, 2 5.30 – 6.15pm
Yr 3, 4, 5, 6 6.30 – 7.30pm

£1 entry per child – payable on the door
Please drop children off at the Yr 4/5 side door and collect afterwards from the main entrance.
Various tuck shop treats and drinks are available to purchase on the night.
NO mobile phones please.




Harvest Festival – Wednesday 23rd October
We will be having our annual Harvest service at St Michael's Church, Landrake at 10.30am next Wednesday.
As in previous years, children will do short class performances (often a song or poem) with a short harvest service by Rev'd Lynn Parker and hymns. Parents/ Carers are very welcome to come along, but note that there is limited space at the rear of the church.
Please send your child in on Wednesday with donations of any food items, which they carry to the church with them. This all goes to the parish Pantry and is distributed to families that need that little bit of support.

Parent's Evenings
Tue 22nd Oct **Weds 23rd Oct**
IN SCHOOL **ONLINE**

Reception, Year 1, Year 2
All parent-teacher meetings are 10 minutes long with your child's class teacher – please log in to: www.schoolinterviews.co.uk **Code: 33z36**

Choose your child's teacher, input your details and tick one box for a 10-minute appointment. You should receive a confirmation Email.

Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6
Before you book your appointments:

- Make sure you know who your child/ren have maths lessons with
- Each tick box is a 5-minute appointment.
- You need to book two 5-minute appointments (two ticks):
 - one with their class teacher, and
 - one with their maths teacher
- If they have maths with their class teacher, then tick two (preferably back-to-back) appointments.

Log in to:
www.schoolinterviews.co.uk **Code: xgpwm**
Please choose the relevant teacher/s for each child and make sure you have ticked *two* boxes per child – one with their class teacher and one with their maths teacher.

Illness

We have a lot of children off school with illness at the moment. To help stem the spread, if your child has been sick, the policy is to keep them off school for 48 hours following the last bout of sickness.

If you're not sure about keeping children off school, please see this NHS webpage:

<https://www.nhs.uk/live-well/is-my-child-too-ill-for-school/>

Ancient Greeks

This term, KS2 (Years 3-6) have been studying the Ancient Greeks. We would like to celebrate our learning with an Ancient Greek themed day! We would like children and staff to come suitably dressed as an Ancient Greek citizen, God, leader or whatever else you would like! Costumes should be simple and certainly should not be costly. A simple belted T-shirt and leggings/ sheet or tablecloth toga etc. is all that is needed! You may need layers underneath as our October wintry weather may not be conducive to flowing togas and T-shirts! These costumes should be worn to school on the day please.

During the morning, children will be rotating through four activities with all four KS2 teachers. They will be in mixed family groups from Year 3-6. These will be immersive activities based on culture, food, games, art etc. and should be a morning of good fun for all! If you have any questions do not hesitate to ask. Many thanks from the KS2 team.

Year 6 Powdermills Adventure

Well done to all of the Year 6 class for their residential last week. They tackled the challenges of their Dartmoor adventure with enthusiasm, resilience and determination. It was great to see them showing such support and friendship towards each other over the two days.

Thank you again to Mrs Cunningham, Maddie and Mr Mugford for giving their time and taking such good care of the children. We will refer back to the independence, teamwork, grit and determination and resilience shown on your trip as we tackle the challenges of Year 6.



School and Community Farm

If you can spare an hour or so one morning on a weekend or over half-term, it really is appreciated by all involved – especially the animals!

We have a few spaces at the beginning of November...

To book yourself in, please go to:

www.schoolinterviews.co.uk

Code: bsyag



Christmas

Christmas Performances

Year R:	Mon 16 Dec	5.45pm
	Tue 17 Dec	9.15am
Years 1/2:	Thu 12 Dec	5.45pm
	Mon 16 Dec	9.15am
Years 3/4:	Tue 17 Dec	5.45am
	Wed 18 Dec	9.15pm
Years 5/6:	Wed 18 Dec	5.45pm
	Thu 19 Dec	9.15am

Theatre Trip – Thursday 5th December

Reception class will be going to the Theatre Royal to watch Raymond Briggs' Father Christmas.

Christmas Fair – Friday 6th December

Christmas Dinner – Wed 18th December

Thursday 19th December

Grotto and Procession
Class Parties

Christingle – Friday 20th December

KS1	9.15am in school hall
KS2	1.30pm in St Michael's Church

Awards

Dinner Hall	Caleb C
Demonstrating Values	Evie C
Effort	Auron H
English	Teddy C
Excellent Class Contributions	Bodhi M
Excellence	Ted R
	Zoe D
Farm	Emily E
Growth Mindset	Milo G
Kindness	Amelia
	Charlie Da
Learning	Licky T
Maths	Gracie M
	Jemima F
	Alba W-P
	Bethany C
	Heidi G
Perseverance	Henry T
Phonics	Tom Y
Positive Attitude	Frankie H
	Caleb C
Progress	Sienna F
Quality of Writing	Talia H
Responsibility for Learning	Ivy H
Role Model	Henry M
	Kezia W
	Harriet B
Resilience	Zavier T-P
	Thisbe C
Reading	Archie L
	Lilly W
Sport	Piran L
Science	Bella G-H
School Role Model	Flynn E
Supporting Others	Zofia W
Star of the Week	Nevaeh G
Thinking	Florence J
	Luna S
Teamwork	Reggie C
	Writer of the
Week	Lauren G
	Juno S
	Sophie B
Piano	Lyra C
Singing	Rosina T

Uniform

A reminder that winter uniform is to be worn after half-term – a full list can be found on the school website.

MyClothing have a discount code which expires on 20-Dec-24. Code: UNIFORM10

Accelerated Reader

Total word count to date: 14,031,348
Total books read to date: 1,284

Good Progress:

Year 2 Zenna P, Austin L
Year 3 Caleb C, Stanley S
Year 4 Ethan B, Juno S
Year 5 Monty B, Emily E
Year 6 Kristina P, Tom O

Crazy Hair and Mufti Day

A big thank you to the children for entering into the spirit of the Crazy Hair day.

I enjoyed talking to them in assembly on Monday and visited the classrooms today to admire the Crazy Hair and answer some more questions.

Thank you all for your donations, all of which will go straight to the charity. If you would like to read a little more about the work we do, there is a short piece attached to this newsletter, or visit the Mission Rabies website.

Many thanks
Mandy Kellagher



Sports Updates

Year 2's go for glory in multi skills festival

Last Friday we took a team of 12 to the Cornwall School Games KS1 Multi skills festival in Liskeard and had a great day. We took part in a range of activities including throwing challenges, treasure hunt and a tennis skills challenge. We were awarded stickers for showing the school games values and when all the stickers were added up, we had come in first place.

Well done to all the children who took part, they were a joy to accompany! Thanks also to Lindsey who accompanied me and to Mrs Tonkin and Mrs Jenkins who helped with transport.

Year 6 make it two out of two in Cornwall School Games qualifiers in a week

Yesterday we took two teams of Year 6 pupils to the Cornwall School Games Dodgeball and Endball Qualifiers in Callington. We split the children into two teams with each child choosing whether they'd play Dodgeball or Endball. Mrs Copplestone's team played Endball and Mr A's team played Dodgeball.

At the end of the first rotation of 8 matches we had won an incredible 7 out of 8 games against teams from Polperro, Brunel, Duloe and Trenode Primary Schools.

The second rotation meant that each team wasn't playing their favoured sport, but we came out with a further 6 wins from our final 8 matches. When points were totted up, we had come first! The children were so supportive of each other and worked incredibly well as teams in every match. Well done SRG!

Also, huge thanks to Mrs Copplestone who gave up a morning of yoga and leisurely coffees to spend her time supporting the children.



Cobweb blower for Year 5/6 boys

The Year 5/6 boys opened up their football season with a double header against local rivals St Stephens with both the A and B teams playing. The first match was the A team where a disastrous opening allowed a poor shot to squirm through Ryan's hands in goal to give us our infamous slow start, but from there on in there were only positives. James and Ellis looked assured in defence and a strong midfield of Tom, William and Ethan started to create chances for striker Henry, who managed to stab home after great work from William Stevens. Chances came and went, St Stephens had little to offer with any shots on goal well dealt with by Ryan. What could have been 4 or 5 - 1 ended in a one all draw but both Mr W and Mr A were pleased with the efforts and application of the team in what was their first match together since last year.

Up next was a chance for the B team who came up against a very strong St Stephens B team. A mixture of over eagerness and some missed tackles meant that SRG found themselves slip behind with two goals slipping past Joseph in goal. Charlie and Alex were trying to play good football from the back and a midfield of Cai, William and Charlie D worked very hard to win the ball back. Alfie had more than one chance to bring SRG back into the game but goals were being offered on a plate for the St Stephens who finished the game 4-0 to the good.

Both teams represented the school well and have given Mr A and Mr W good headaches as we look to play more matches in the coming weeks.

A team player of the match - Tom O

B team player of the match - Charlie D

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wed 13 Nov	Farm AGM 3pm
Thu 14 Nov	Individual School Photos
Fri 15 Nov	League Run 2
18-22 Nov	KS2 Booster Swimming Lessons
Thu 28 Nov	Wreath Workshop
Fri 13 Dec	Pre-School closing at 4.30pm
Fri 20 Dec	Pre-School closing at 4.30pm
23Dec – 3Jan	Christmas Holidays
Mon 6 Jan	Inset Day
Tue 7 Jan	Back to School
Fri 17 Jan	League Run 3
3-9 Feb	Mental Health Week
Tue 4 Feb	Cake Sale
Fri 7 Feb	League Run 4
13-14 Feb	Yr 3: Residential
Fri 14 Feb	Pre-School closing at 4.30pm
17-21 Feb	Half Term
Fri 7 Mar	League Run 5
3-14 Mar	Yr 3: Daily swimming lessons
Tue 4 Mar	Cake Sale
Fri 21 Mar	Landrake Run
Tue 1 Apr	Cake Sale
Fri 4 Apr	Pre-School closing at 4.30pm
7 – 21 Apr	Easter Holidays
Tue 22 Apr	Inset Day
Wed 23 Apr	Back to School
Mon 5 May	Bank Holiday
12-16 May	SATs Week
7-9 May	Yr 5: Residential
8-9 May	Yr 4: Residential
19-23 May	Yr 6: London
Fri 23 May	Pre-School closing at 4.30pm
26-30 May	Half Term
Tue 3 Jun	Cake Sale
Fri 6 Jun	Inset Day
Wed 11 Jun	Sports Day
Tue 1 Jul	Cake Sale
Fri 18 Jul	Speech Day
Tue 22 Jul	Pre-School closing at 4.30pm
Wed 23 Jul	Inset Day
Thu 24 Jul	Summer Holidays



Wellness Wednesday

Join us for a wonderfully relaxing afternoon and make a beautiful felted meadow picture.

Tea/coffee and cake provided.

£10.00 per person

Please book in advance as we have a limited number of spaces. Thank you.

Wednesday 30th October
2pm-4pm
Landrake Chapel Community Hub

Monday Gang

YOUTH CLUB

Mondays (term time)
Age 7+ 3:30-6:00
Age 11+ 5:00-8:00

£2 per child to include an evening meal and tuck shop.