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Next Week:

After School Clubs

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Clubs finish Friday 12th December. Only homework club will run up until Thursday 18th December.

Christmas Fair – TODAY!

Come along between 3.30 – 5.30pm to the Friends' Christmas Fair in school today.



Monday 8 th	Tuesday 9 th	Wednesday 10 th	Thursday 11 th	Friday 12 th 
Yr 1/2: Soapbox Theatre trip		Yr R: Vision Screening	Yr 1/2: Christmas Show 5.45pm	- Yr 1/2: Christmas Show 9.15am - Santa Run 3pm

Class Attendance

The class with the best attendance for week 24th – 28th November is **Year 2**.

Mr O'Hara will be visiting soon to pop some marbles in your jar!



The Solar Express

The biggest THANK YOU to the Friends and Farm Committees for generously gifting the whole school a morning of Pantomime fun.

The children were treated like true VIPs, provided a drink and snack and settled back to enjoy the wonderful story of The Solar Express - where they travelled forward in time to The North Pole, 2050!!

They cheered, they laughed, they waved their hands like crazy... and they especially loved to see their brave teachers Mrs Mullen and Mr White work the catwalk!!

It was a magical morning of fun and laughter, made possible thanks to the tireless work of the Friends and Farm committees and the generosity of parents who support their events. We are so grateful that the children of SRG get to experience such a wonderful treat.



Christmas Performances

To book tickets for your children's Christmas performances, please click on the link to the google forms below the relevant year groups. Because of fire regulations, we have to limit evening performances to two tickets per child. If we have space for more, we will contact the parents of those year groups directly.

Year R: Mon 15 Dec 5.45pm
Tue 16 Dec 9.15am

<https://forms.gle/AHHNj6RGgVxhGkTT6>

Year 1/2: Thu 11 Dec 5.45pm
Fri 12 Dec 9.15am

<https://forms.gle/UrsnKmj5C5MPGjTu7>

Year 3/4: Tue 16 Dec 5.45pm
Wed 17 Dec 9.15am

<https://forms.gle/hf3emU6ab4uTgn2t7>

Year 5/6: Wed 17 Dec 5.45pm
Thu 18 Dec 9.15am

<https://forms.gle/6VxhTjtP9gYDddgy8>

Farm Rota

Please consider putting your names down to spend an hour or so one morning over a week-end or the Christmas holidays. *The animals welfare is at stake if they're not visited and fed*

daily. Please book yourselves in here:

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Class News

EYFS have thoroughly enjoyed two festive theatre experiences this week, one in Landrake Village Hall to watch 'The Solar Express' and the other in the Theatre Royal, Plymouth to watch 'Father Christmas'. The children engaged fully in the fun-filled and at times interactive entertainment. Some highlights included: popcorn snacks and drinks, fun songs and costumes, as well as fake snow, magical reindeer rooftop ride and Father Christmas' cheeky cat and dog puppets.

This week in PSHE, **Year 1** have been thinking about what makes them unique and individual, as well as what qualities make them a good friend.



Landrake Advent Window Hunt

This started during the Covid epidemic, when we were only allowed out for half an hour each day. It gave us something to aim for - finding a new Advent Window. Our lovely neighbours have kept this up and there are posters about the village giving clues for which roads to search and when. There might be models, stickers or lights. So, see if you can find all the windows as the month progresses! Good luck!

Christmas Carols & Services

Everyone is always welcome, and particularly at this special time of year. As well as the SRG Christingle, do join us at either St Michael's or St Erney for carols, a crib service or Christmas Communion. Fliers with details are available at Landrake Stores, or at the back of St Michael's Church for you to take home.

Keeping your Children Safe Online

Attached to this newsletter, please find some important information about how to keep your child safe online, from a parent's perspective. The percentage of children being bullied either in person or online is scarily high – and using some of the apps detailed in the attachment will help bring this percentage down.

Live from Antarctica!

Building on the excitement and learning about sustainability of the SRG Friends-funded Cornish theatre company pantomime at the village hall on Wednesday, many classes were treated this morning to a live assembly from Antarctica ... yes, live from Antarctica!

The children learnt all about the freezing temperatures, wildlife and scientific work going on at the South Pole and heard from Robert Swan OBE and Jenny Cooke from the 2041 Schools charity. If you would like to re-watch or see the video at home, please click on this [Youtube link](#)



Friends and Farm News

🌲 Huge thanks to those that attended our wreath workshop on Tuesday evening, we raised another £310!

🌟 **Christmas Fair - TODAY 3.30-5.30pm** 🌟

Crafts, games, stalls, refreshments... we look forward to seeing you there!

Santa Run - bookings are now open for our Santa run on Friday 12th December.

Everyone is welcome but children in KS1 or younger **MUST** be accompanied by an adult. Registration in advance is encouraged to help speed things along – scan  or click [here](#).



Awards

Caring/Supporting Others	Willow G
Demonstrating Values	Charlotte R
	Rosie Ht
Eco	Emily E
Enthusiasm	Phoenix E
Excellence	Maaran C
	Edward C
Growth Mindset	Sophie B
Kindness	Abigail F
Maths	Ted R
	Ted G
Music	Nelly B
Perseverance	Nevaeh G
	Alfie N
Phonics	Millie W
Positive Attitude	Alfie Y
Presentation	Frankie H
Progress	Artie R
	Dylan M
Reading	Ruan H
	Zoe D
	Emilia P
Resilience	Sophia P
	Tom Y
Role Model	Molly C
Science	Beula T-S
Star of the Week	Hattie P
Thinking	Austin L
Writing	William F
Piano	Leo C
Singing	Amelia D

Congratulations!

Well done to Rosie whose E. Cornwall football team are through to the next round in the ESFA girls under-11's inter-association cup, having beaten Swansea and Bath. They play either Ruby or Port Talbot next. Good luck!



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 15 Dec	Yr Rec: 5.45pm Christmas Show
Tue 16 Dec	Yr Rec: 9.15am Christmas Show
	Yr 3/4: 5.45pm Christmas Show
Wed 17 Dec	Yr 3/4: 9.15am Christmas Show
	School Christmas dinner
	Yr 5/6: 5.45pm Christmas Show
Thu 18 Dec	Yr 5/6: 9.15am Christmas Show
	Christmas Parties etc.
Fri 19 Dec	Christingle
	Last day of term
	School closes at 3.30pm for all
22Dec-4Jan	Christmas Holidays
Mon 5 Jan	Inset Day
Tue 6 Jan	Back to School
Wed 7 Jan	KS2: Panto – Theatre Royal
Tue 13 Jan	Cake Sale NEW
Fri 16 Jan	League Run 3
Tue 20 Jan	Yr 1: Hearing Screening
2-4 Feb	Book Fair (in school hall)
Fri 6 Feb	League Run 4
12-13 Feb	Yr 3: Residential
16-20 Feb	Half Term
Mon 23 Feb	Back to School
Tue 3 Mar	Cake Sale NEW
Fri 6 Mar	League Run 5
Fri 20 Mar	Landrake Run
16-27 Mar	Yr 3: Swimming Lessons
3-17 April	Easter Holidays
Mon 20 Apr	Back to School
Mon 4 May	Bank Holiday
6-8 May	Yr 5: Residential
7-8 May	Yr 4: Residential
25-29May	Half Term
Mon 1 Jun	Back to School
Tue 2 Jun	Cake Sale NEW
Fri 5 Jun	Inset Day
Mon 8 Jun	Inset Day
22-26 Jun	Yr 6: Residential - London
Thu 23 Jul	Last day of term