

DULOE SCHOOL & PRE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Our *'What are the impacts of mountains and rivers on life?'* topic this term has produced wonderful creative work, proudly displayed throughout the school and inspired by the recent Source To Sea trips. Classes 1 & 2 traced the source of the River Seaton, and then followed it's way from Hessenford to Seaton Beach. Class 3 traced the source of the River Fowey on an orienteering day, followed by canoe rafting down the river from Lostwithiel to Fowey.

Despite awful weather all the children were brilliant and enjoyed all the activities.



Our topic for the Summer Term is **The Sensation of India!** - our Creative Days will consist of jewellery making, ICT, cookery and Bollywood dancing!

If you have any resources, books etc that you think would be useful, we would love to borrow them!

Friday 24th March was a very busy day—we had our *Farmers Market* organised by the PTFA which raised **£155!** The Pre School had an open afternoon and welcomed some new faces, and Norma Barrett from Cornwall College was able to inform many parents of adult learning opportunities.

Carnglaze Caverns—

Work with dance and art professionals culminated in a great performance at the Caverns by our Year 4, 5 & 6 children, along with other pupils from Pelynt, Polruan and Polperro Schools. Thank you to all the parents that came along and supported the event. We hope to have photos of the day soon.



Our **Cross Country** runners deservedly received their medals last Thursday evening in Liskeard, and we were delighted to hear that our Year 3 & 4 Girls had won overall in the team competition! Well done everyone!



RED NOSE DAY

The red noses this year proved very popular, and we sold out very quickly! We were thrilled with the donations of red cakes and collected **£144** for Comic Relief—thank you to everyone who helped!



Don't forget to visit our school website for up to date information—www.duloe.cornwall.sch.uk

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Tues 18 Apr**
 - 1st Day of Summer Term
 - Violins
- Thurs 20**
 - Whole School Photographs—Tempest
- Fri 21**
 - Bishop Tim visits our school.
- Mon 24**
 - Cricket Club
- Tues 25**
 - Violins
- Wed 26**
 - KS1 Sports Festival
- Thurs 27**
 - Finance Committee Meeting—5pm
- Fri 28**
 - Beach Safety Assembly
- Mon 1 May**
 - BANK HOLIDAY—school closed.
- Wed 3**
 - Assembly with Chris Husk
- Mon 8**
 - SATS Week
- Wed 10**
 - Strategy Meeting—5.30pm
 - Finance Committee Meeting—6pm
- Fri 12**
 - Visit to School from Sheryl Murrar MP
- Tues 16**
 - Christian Aid Week 'Love our Neighbours'
- Tues 23**
 - Maths Day Year 4
 - Tennis Festival

HALF TERM

Monday 29 May—Friday 6 June

Breakfast Club!

It's open every week day morning from 8am until 8.40am—you don't need to book, just 'drop in' on the day! Supervised care including breakfast! **£3 per child, £1.50 thereafter per sibling.**

Under 5's Playgroup

Our **Baby/Toddler Group** meets every Thursday at 9.30-11.30—please spread the word!

Our **After School Care** provides care for just an hour or up until 6pm, Mon to Fri (term time only) - we offer a wide range of daily supervised activities and a light snack. **Places must be pre-booked.**



Duloe Pre-School is open 5 days a week (during term time).

We offer **three to four year old 15 hours funded care**, and fee paying sessions the term before a child is three years old. For further information please speak to Mrs Davies in the School Office.



Headlice—We continue to have regular outbreaks of **Head lice** so we would highly recommend that you check the family and treat if necessary to break the cycle of recurrence. We have been advised that **Vosene Kids Conditioning Defence Spray** is effective if used every day. This can be purchased from any well known superstore or chemist.



Please remember to notify the School Office of any changes to address, telephone and mobile numbers. It is vital that our records are up to date in the event that we have to contact a parent.



We were delighted to welcome **Cornish Mountaineer Ed Buckingham** to the school to talk about his book and climbing 7 summits including Everest! It was a very interesting talk, and he even brought along his climbing boots!



It was **World Book Day** on 2 March, and every one joined in the fun and dressed up as their favourite book character!



Training with Danny from the **Plymouth Raiders** continues every Friday, and Basketball is fast becoming a popular sport at Duloe School! We also visited Plymouth to watch the Raiders play a match which was so exciting.



Happy Easter

