



Gerrans School News

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Our Chair of Governors Mrs Valerie Penny is available to discuss any matter with parents on 01872 580150.

Attendance Whole School

29th June 2016 – 19th July 2016 96.8%

In order to maintain OFSTED's judgement of BEHAVIOUR and SAFETY as outstanding this percentage is expected to be 95%

Diary Dates

Friday 22nd July - Leavers Assembly 1pm - Term Ends 2pm
after Assembly

Monday 5th September – Inset Day School Closed to Pupils

Tuesday 6th September – Inset Day School Closed to Pupils

Wednesday 7th September - First Day of Autumn Term

Monday 24th - Friday 28th October - Half Term

Tuesday 10th November - Individual and Family School Photos 8.30am School
Hall

Inset Days - School Closed

Monday 31st October 2016

Monday 20th February 2017

Friday 09th June 2017



TRLC Awards Evening at Truro Cathedral

On the evening of Wednesday 13th July the School Council and the Choir went to the Awards evening at Truro Cathedral, the Choir sung first and sung very well. Then Mr Sharp (who read the names out) read every single child in the building who got an award for Sport, Leadership, and Creativity etc. When we all got the awards then we had to walk through the aisle of the cathedral and after that we had to go and sit back down in our seats and wait until the awards was over. Ciara, Ella, Freddie, Rebekah, Harvey Grace, George, Rosie, Samuel and Naomi. received an award for Leadership because of their work as a member of School Council.



By Rosie Year 4 and Freddie Year 4

Gerrans Very Golden Values

Our Golden Values were written and agreed by all the pupils and staff of Gerrans School.

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We look after property and our learning environment

We listen to help us and adults learn and stay safe

We are gentle, we look after others big or small

We are kind and respectful

We respect the feelings and opinions of others

We are honest and trustworthy

We earn responsibilities and privileges and benefit from them

We respect our own equipment and equipment we are allowed to borrow as well as our learning space.

We always try to learn as Supersonic and never as Humph

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These very golden values reflect the learning atmosphere we wish to create within our school.

Interschool Sports

On Thursday 14th July, Harvey, Ciara, Grace, Rebekah, Evie, Rosie, Freddie, George and Oscar went to the Interschool sports at the Roseland. The afternoon started with the year six boys who did the 80m sprint, then the year six girls and so on. After that was the running relay. Harvey, Rebekah, Evie, Rosie, Freddie, George and Oscar took part in that race, They were all puffed out by the end. Once that was over it was time for the girls hop, step, jump which was Rebekah and the boys cricket ball throw was at the same time was Freddie and the girls throw was Grace as well for the hop, step, jump for the boys it was Harvey. Once that was done we switched over so it was time for Grace to do the throwing and Harvey to jump. It was the girls three hundred meter race which was Ciara who finished in 2nd place. Afterwards it was the boys three hundred meter race was George. Then to our surprise was another relay race. This time it was everyone else who had done it last time including Grace. When all the races were over we were called in by Mr Ayres to find out our results. Unfortunately we didn't come first in any of our races and Probus won the shield.



By Harvey and Grace Year 6

Autumn Term Clubs

A full list of extra curricular clubs on offer to pupils will be circulated in the first week of the Autumn Term.



Football Festival



Players: Harvey, Reggie, Freddie, Rosie, Charlie T, Charlie M, Evie, Daisy, Oscar,

When we were waiting for all of the schools to come we had lunch on a bench then when all the schools arrived we put our football boots on and got ready for the football tournament. When we weren't playing football Luke set up a fun warm up for us. Our first team that we played up against was Tregony. The people that played first in our school were: Reggie, Freddie, Harvey, Rosie, Charlie T and Charlie M but unfortunately we lost. Then the people that played on our second game were: Daisy, Evie, Reggie, Harvey, Freddie and Charlie T.

In the third game there were Daisy, Evie, Freddie, Oscar, Rosie, Harvey, Freddie

At the end we came sixth. Many thanks to Luke of training us for the Football tournament.

By Daisy Year 3 and Reggie Year 5



Aspens Special Fairy Tale Menu Day

Thursday 8th September

Cinderella's Midnight Macaroni Bacon & Cheese

Or

Ref Riding Hood's Butternut Squash and Roasted Red Pepper Risotto

Served with Goldilocks Sweetcorn, Princess and her Peas and Seven Dwarves Salad

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Tinkerbells Ice-Cream Sundae

Or Snow White Fruity Cheesecake



TRLC Games Report



On 7th July four year sixes Ella, Grace, Harvey, Reece travelled to Truro College with Mrs Brown for the TRLC games. First they started off with the standing long jump and after that they went on to the long sprint. To sum it all up they started off with quad kids which included jumping, running and throwing. Later that day they went on to doing some other games which included using lots of skill which are agility, ability etc. as well they played hand ball.

They managed to make two records in the rugby passes and netball passes in the small schools category they came third.

By Ella and Reece Year 6

Staffing Changes

Goodbye to Mrs Chaffin who will be missed by everyone at school for her sense of humour and also her hard work both a cleaner and Little Shorelines Assistant, as well as all the voluntary work she does throughout the school. Her amazing work on the presentation of our staging for the End of Year Production, cleaning up and setting up for the PTA, volunteer driverthe list is endless.

Mrs Chaffin thank you for all that you have done we will miss you but wish you every success in your new adventure.

Mr Steward will be teaching KS2 2 days a week permanently from September 2016. Mrs Hartshorn-Bate has had a baby boy named Jasper.



Thank You, Congratulations and Good Luck

Congratulations to all performers for fabulous entertainment Thursday and Friday and to the PTA for a lovely celebration on the field after.

Good luck to Matthew, Ciara, Grace, Harvey, Connor, Rebekah, Reece, Ella and Swayley as they continue their education at The Roseland Academy. We look forward to hearing about your future successes

Thank you to all governors, parents, staff, PTA, pupils, volunteer drivers, parent helpers who have made positive contributions to this school year.

We all appreciate this and wish you a happy summer holiday.



Romeo and Juliet ~ A Gerrans school Production

First of all a big thank you to Mrs Brown, Mrs Chaffin and Mrs Rogers for making all of our fantastic props, costumes and scenery which we were all very grateful for. And the year 6s for writing the script. There were 7 scenes in one act and 2 acts in the play. Everyone got worried that we weren't going to be ready in time, but in the end we were ready for the production. Everyone got really nervous before the play but the teachers told us nerves were good. The plot of Romeo and Juliet is where two love birds struggle to find peace as both of them are from two families who hate each other, in the end Friar Lawrence's plan fails and they sadly die. Before Romeo and Juliet, KS1 had a little production with some familiar sunny songs to bring the sun out, (And it worked!) Because we've had some rainy days. After Thursday and Fridays productions we were so relieved. And we had pasties, cakes, sausage rolls and a raffle. Also a brass band, with Tregony Teachers singing some songs. All children went home tired and happy.

By Charlie M (Yr4), Kieran Yr5), Swayley (Yr6) Charlie T (Yr 4) and Elijah, Jack and Jasmine Y3.



Samba

A few weeks ago the Year 6s travelled to The Roseland for a music workshop. We got to play different sized drums. Ciara played the samba drum and I played the smaller drum. At the start of the lesson, we had to make music with our body using clicking, clapping, stamping and banging. We were there with Gorrans School and one boy from Mithian.

The teacher used a whistle to conduct us. At the end, we played as a team and it sounded amazing!

By Rebekah Year 6



School Council Update

Recently we have been to Melinsey Mill so we could find ideas, for our Outdoor Learning Area, which we found lots of. It really inspired us for our new outdoor learning space that we are going to build. There were so many to choose from but my favourite was a bird feeder tree over a lake.

We think we need an outdoor leaning space because we think we spend too long inside we have £300 therefore we are looking for some help to build it. It is a plan not reality yet.

By George Yr5 KS2 Representative



Year 6 Transitions to the Roseland

The three Mondays: On the first one we had no clue what we were going to be doing, when we got there we were told that in the next couple weeks we would be making salad boxes and salads to fill the beautiful boxes with. On the second week we missed it because of sports day. We shared these days with Tregony Year 6. We also shared some fun learning in the science labs.

Welcome day is where you would take your child/children in year 6 around to the Roseland to look around all their classes and meet their tutors.

Transition day: Transition day is where you go to the Roseland and you get split up into different groups which will be your tutor group and groups for the day then you will go to your tutor room and then your classes in the hall there was a performance were we all sang a song called I wanna sing I wanna dance hallalu.

By Matthew & Connor Yr 6



Well done

A very big well done to KS1 and Nursery for their fantastic performance in the show. They were all superstars!

Thank you Parents for your support this year we all wish you a great summer break.

Mrs Haines, Miss Menear, Mrs Grant and Mrs Teague.

