

Autumn term 2017 (2)
14th September



'Nurturing God's gifts with compassion and drive, so that all of our children succeed, learn and thrive'

Ladock Church of England School Newsletter



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Students of the week

St Cuby

Evie Palmer

St Keyne

Joel Trevenna

St Ladoca

Lily Lewis

St Blaise

Rio Hammond

Another week has flown past and all the rain makes the summer holidays seem a long time ago! The children have all settled back into school well and it is a joy to watch them enjoying their learning and making new friends. It was lovely to see so many of you at our Friday worship last week and on that note, may we invite you to join us for our Harvest Festival service in Church on Friday, 29th September. As in previous years, we would be very grateful for contributions of tins and packets of food for the Foodbank which provides supplies for those in our community who are struggling financially. A representative from the Foodbank will be coming in to talk to the children next week.

We would also like to invite you all to come in and share story time and look around the classrooms on Tuesday 3rd October from 2.45pm. Reading and developing our love of books and stories is one of our focus areas this year and we felt it would be a very special to have parents and children enjoying our class story together. We will send out more details later in the month, but please do make a note in your diary!

Ladock School Values
Forgiveness, Trust,
Compassion,
Perseverance,
Respect, Truth.

Happy New Term!

Hello everyone. I hope you all had a wonderful summer break although it probably seems like a distant memory by now with the Autumnal weather we have been experiencing of late. It sounds as though the term has started well and the children have settled back into the old routine brilliantly. I have been popping into all five of our Hub schools and everything appears to be running very smoothly.

I am aware that I do not see as much of all of you now but would like to reassure you that I am working away in the background to ensure Ladock continues to be the wonderful school we all know and love. It seemed very strange not to be in school on the first day of term in my new role and I have lots to learn but it is very exciting.

Thank you so much for all of the cards and gifts you gave me at the end of last term. It was very humbling and greatly appreciated. I know you are in very capable hands with the Ladock staff team but you will also be seeing me if there is anything you need to ask or clarify.

Lisa Michell

Special Achievements

St Cuby: Darcey Lee, Harry Hogbin

St Keyne: James Clark, Lillie Johnson, Kiana Hooker

St Ladoca: Jude Cary, Jack Shephard, Joseph Nicholson

St Blaise: Kara Clarke, Elliot Moore, Effie Adams



Mr Jarvis's Sport Star of the week

KS1: Gracie-Mae Allen, KS2: Elliot Moore

Dates for your Diary

Mondays (Weds if Bank Holidays)—Piano, Fridays—violin tuition

20th Sept	Swimming (1) - Years 1-4 (<u>please return your consent forms</u>)
25th Sept	Cuby trip to Ladock Woods— <u>Packed lunch please</u>
26th Sept	Roseland Open Evening 6-8pm
27th Sept	Swimming (2)
29th Sept	School Harvest Festival in Ladock Church
3rd Oct	2.45 Open afternoon
4th Oct	Swimming (3)
11th Oct	Swimming (4)
11th Oct	pm—Individual school photographs
18th Oct	Swimming (5)
20th Oct	Break for half-term
25th Oct	NO STAY & PLAY
30th Oct	Start of 2nd half of Autumn term
8th Nov	Swimming (6)
15th Nov	Swimming (7)
22nd Nov	Swimming (8)
23rd Nov	Rec—Year 4 Nasal flu immunisation— <u>Please return forms—Yes or No</u> . Thank you.
29th Nov	Swimming (9)
6th Dec	Last Swimming (10)
8th Dec	KS1 Christmas Performance (matinee and evening)
13th Dec	NO STAY & PLAY
14th Dec	PTFA Christmas Fayre
18th Dec	Whole School trip to the cinema
20th Dec	End of Autumn term

2018 inset days—Mon 5th —Fri 8th June (5 days)

Roseland School Open Evening

Tuesday 26th September 2017

Welcome from Mr Challis, Headteacher,
and Open School: 6.00pm—8.00pm

End of the school day

The school day ends at 3.15 and the children will wait with staff on the playground until they can be handed into the care of the adult collecting them. **It is crucially important that for your child's safety, you let us know if someone different will be collecting them at any time.** We would be grateful if you keep collected children with you and do not allow anyone on the play equipment so that everyone remains safe and staff can clearly monitor who still needs to be collected. If a child has not been collected by 3.25pm, they will automatically be booked into after school club.

Come and join us on Friday!

Every Friday, Collective Worship in the church is led by the Year 6 children. This is a lovely, family time together when we not only worship but also present our weekly awards and celebrate the children's achievements. Every fortnight we have our wonderful Open the Book team with us when they present bible stories in a very unique and inspiring way. Family and friends are very welcome to join us for this special time beginning at 9am.



Swimming

Our swimming sessions begin next week on Wednesday. All children from years 1 to 4 will take part along with some of the year 5 and 6 children who need to achieve their 25m certificate. We need to ensure that we leave as soon as possible after registration so would really appreciate all children being in school for morning maths at 8.45. They will need a towel, swimming costume and swimming hat. **If you haven't already done so, could you please return your consent forms.** Many thanks

Paperwork!

Could you please ensure that any outstanding paperwork is returned to the office asap ie. Data Collection Sheets, Home School Agreements, Swimming consent forms, Nasal Flu Vaccination forms.

These are very important documents to help us to keep your children safe.

Transfer to Secondary School September 2018

The deadline for applications is 31st October 2017

Applications may be made via website and application form:

www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

Email: schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk

Post: School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY

Telephone: 0300 1234 101

**If you need help with your application you can contact the Family Information Service
on 0800 587 8191.**

**Information leaflets have been sent home in Year 6 book-bags today
(also available in the school office)**

Starting School—September 2018

The deadline for applications is 15th January 2018

**Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1st September
2013 and 31st August 2014**

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Ladock School Website

We are in the process of updating our class pages and adding important dates and information. All correspondence should be available in the correspondence section under the parent 'header'. Please do let us know if there is anything you feel we could do to make our website better and more useful for you.

Weekly Attendance for week ending Friday 8th September

St Cuby 95.24%

St Keyne 99.04%

St Ladoca 99.07%

St Blaise 100%

Overall 98.23%

The Government advises that attendance should not fall below 96.1%

Poetry Club

Poetry club will start this Monday 18th September, after school—3.15– 4pm. It will be a taster session to introduce the things we do, have some fun with words and to talk about the forthcoming St Austell Festival of Music and Speech on 22nd November to 2nd December 2017.

The club provides an opportunity to enjoy a selection of poems as well as a chance to learn a poem of your own and to perform it in front of an audience.

Having run the club for 3 years now, we have seen children grow in confidence and it has given the children taking part a great sense of achievement. We have been so delighted to bring back shields and rewarding comments from the judges but it is the taking part that counts.

Looking forward to it!

Nicola Marsden & Cathrine Rogers



1st Roseland Scout Group

We are part of the biggest mixed youth organisation in the UK. We change lives by offering fun and challenging activities, unique experiences, everyday adventure and the chance to help others so that we make a positive impact on communities.

Scouting helps children and young adults reach their full potential. Scouts develop skills, including teamwork, time management, leadership, initiative, planning, communication, self-motivation, cultural awareness and commitment. We help young people to get jobs, save lives and even change the world.

We still have places in our Beaver Colony for children aged 6 – 8 and in the Scout Troop for 10.5 – 14 year olds. Our Cub pack (8 – 10.5 year olds) is currently full but we can put you on a waiting list. Beavers now meet on a Thursday 5.45 – 6.45 in Tregony Village Hall. Cubs meet in the same hall on Tuesdays 6.00 – 7.15 with Scouts following on until 8.30. If you have a child who would like to join us call Bob in the first instance.

We are also looking for adults with a little bit of time to share their skills as a Leader or Assistant Leader. If you can help, or want to learn more about what's involved, please contact Bob.

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