

## Key Dates for All Schools in the MAT

16 Jan	Mullion Cluster KS2 Gymnastics
24 Jan	Mullion Cluster KS2 Dodgeball
30 Jan	Keskowethyans Y5/6 Netball
7 Feb	Mullion Cluster KS2 Netball
12—16 Feb	Half Term
19 Feb	Start of second half term
29 Mar	Last day of the Spring term
30 Mar- 13 April	Easter holidays

### These are the Key Dates across the MAT.

**Your school website is updated regularly and includes diary dates, news and photos, as well as statutory information. Please note that the dates, venues and groups taking part in Mullion Cluster sporting events will be confirmed via individual school Newsletters**

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## PEACE

Each half term, we explore a different value with the children during assembly. For the first half of the Spring Term the value is PEACE. As well as being a focus for assemblies, we try to instil these values for life into the whole ethos of the school on a daily basis, developing the children's skills. It is lovely to see the children putting the values into practice.

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## KESKOWETHYANS 2018 RESIDENTIALS

The response to our two residential later this year has been amazing with almost every child signed up! Please keep your payments coming in—the final dates for full payment are as follows:

Friday, 18th May—for the Y3/4 trip to BF Adventure  
Friday, 15th June - for the Y5/6 trip to Bath

Kit lists will be sent out later this term.

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## Contacting the Acting Headteacher

Mrs Sherlock can be contacted throughout the week by telephone through your school's office or by email:

Coverack	01326 280529	<a href="http://www.coverack.cornwall.sch.uk">www.coverack.cornwall.sch.uk</a>
Grade Ruan	01326 290613	<a href="http://www.grade-ruan.cornwall.sch.uk">www.grade-ruan.cornwall.sch.uk</a>
Manaccan	01326 231431	<a href="http://www.manaccan.cornwall.sch.uk">www.manaccan.cornwall.sch.uk</a>
St Keverne	01326 280539	<a href="http://www.st-keverne.cornwall.sch.uk">www.st-keverne.cornwall.sch.uk</a>

Email contact: [head@kmat.academy](mailto:head@kmat.academy)

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Welcome back and very best wishes for a happy and healthy 2018 to you and your families. The new term has got off to a good start and as usual, children and staff have greeted it with great enthusiasm and energy!

As ever, it promises to be a busy term so please keep an eye on your individual school Newsletter which is sent out every Friday. This contains important key information about events coming up; some key dates are mentioned here. Your school website is also a very valuable source of information so please do check it regularly. Our topic for this term is 'Around the World in Eighty Days' and class teachers will shortly be sending out topic overviews which provide more detail.

You will have no doubt heard the sad news that, following a period of uncertainty, St. Martin in Meneage School will close at the end of the month. There has been a sustained decrease in the numbers of children attending the school, with the roll falling to single figures this academic year. I am sure you will join us in wishing the remaining children and staff well as they settle into their new schools.

Lastly, and importantly, please remember if you have any concerns or questions we want you to share them with us! The normal procedure for raising any issues is to first contact your child's class teacher or your lead teacher, both of whom are usually in your school every day. The best time to catch up with teachers is at the end of the day as in the mornings they are busy in their classrooms preparing for the day ahead. We do however appreciate that matters sometimes require more immediate attention and this can of course be arranged. With effect from next week I will be changing my days in schools as follows:

Monday—Coverack  
Tuesday—Grade Ruan  
Wednesday—St. Keverne  
Thursday—Manaccan

On Fridays I will be in schools on a rotation basis, according to specific need. I can be contacted throughout the week by telephone through your school office or by email [details opposite].

I look forward to working with you again during this term  
Best wishes  
Wendy Sherlock

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## AFTER SCHOOL SPORTS CLUB

Mr Studd's Sports Club will start again in the SECOND half of the Spring term