

Dear Parents, Guardians and Friends of Trenode,

Last week we had a fabulous day at Lanhydrock. The children learned a great deal about what it was like for people to live in the house, in Victorian times. They worked in groups; some as the family, some as children, some as the servants. I was very impressed by their enthusiasm, and the intelligent way they considered the answers to questions asked by their guides. Miss Pittas's 'children's' group were very surprised by her life-like impression of a Victorian teacher in the school-room! See the picture below. We were so lucky with the fantastic weather—so different from today!

The children in both classes are all working really hard at the moment—especially the year 2 and year 6 children who are preparing for SATs assessments in May. Please see the diary dates for the important weeks. I have been really pleased to see the positive attitudes of all the children. The Year six pupils are enjoying their booster classes, and making great progress. They have also been helping and encouraging each other, which is a delight to see. I'm sure you know that you can help them by making sure they eat and sleep well, and have opportunities to tell you about their learning.

Best wishes,  
Sarah Hawker

### Trips this term.

We have tickets for the whole school to see 'Oliver' at Sterts on 11th July—more about this later!

Year 5 and 6 children will be taking part in a Music Day on Monday 2nd July, at Looe Community School.

We will be having a beach activities day, organised by Arena Sports, next half term. Date still to be finalised.

We are investigating a 'whole school' trip to Fal-mouth later in the term. Kilminorth would visit Pendenis Castle, and Cardinham the Maritime Museum, to aid their topic learning.

## Summer Term Week 2

23rd April 2018

# NEWS

### Attendance

Kilminorth : 98.9%      Cardinham: 97.5%

As I'm sure you know, pupils need to attend school regularly to benefit from their education. Missing out on lessons leaves children vulnerable to falling behind. Children with poor attendance tend to achieve less in both primary and secondary school. Thank you, parents for supporting us with this.



### PTFA

Please come to the meeting at 3.30pm on Friday 11th May. We are all looking forward to the quiz night on Friday 18th May!

### Trenode Treasures

Trenode Treasures, our toddler group, is not taking place on Tuesday mornings, 9am to 11am. Please come along and tell any friends about it, who have young children!

### Bible Explorer

Cardinham will be learning about the Old Testament using actions and drama with Bible Explorer. This will take place next half-term.



## DIARY DATES

Weds	May 2nd	RNLI—Meet the Life- guards	1.15pm
Mon	7th May	BANK HOLIDAY	All day
Fri	May 11th	PTFA MEETING	TBC
Mon	May 14th— 18th	SATS Week All year 6 children need to attend school this week	All Week
Fri	May 18th	PTFA Quiz night	TBC
Mon	May 21st— 24th	SATS WEEK All year 2 children to be in school.	All Week
Mon	June 11th	First swimming session	pm
Wed	June 13th	Alternative Sports Day and Wild Tribe eve- ning for Cardinham	All day
Thurs	June 14th	Sex and relationships session Y5/6	Pm
Tues	June 19th	Athletics festival for Cardinham—Liskeard School	12.30— 2.30pm
Wed	June 20th	SRE Y5/6	

Mon	June 25th	Inter-School Sports at Liskeard School	6.30pm
Thurs	July 12th	School Summer Pro- duction	Evening
Fri	July 13th	School Summer Pro- duction	After- noon
Mon	July 23rd	Y6 and parents leavers meal	TBC
Tues	July 24th	Leavers end of term service	9am

**Inset days: Mon 4th and Tues 5th June 2018**