

July 2019

Overview

At the end of this term, we will be celebrating the students' achievements with our annual awarding of certificates and qualifications. We look forward to seeing many of you on Celebration Day for this enjoyable event, starting at 11:00 and planning to finish at 13:00.

For this reason, all students will be finishing their school day at 1.30 pm. We request the taxi drivers to collect your child at 1.30pm, but please check with them nearer the time to avoid any misunderstandings.

Student News

This term we say goodbye to three of our students. Two of these will be continuing their education in local colleges and one is taking up a Craft Masonry apprenticeship with Cornwall College. We wish them all the very best in their future adventures.

Staff news

We welcome Collette, a new staff member to join our team of LSAs. We hope that she enjoys her time at Three Bridges.

E-Safety & Safeguarding

As the summer holiday approaches and your children may be spending time on their devices, when they are not out enjoying the sunshine, remember Childnet's advice and guidance for parents and carers, to talk and listen to your children and keep the lines of communication open.

<http://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/hot-topics/social-networking>

Other News

Upcoming Events

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Celebration Day

Tuesday 23rd July

End of Term

Tuesday 23rd July
1.30pm

Inset Days - Staff only

24th and 25th July

Beginning of term

5th September

End of Half Term

Early close 1.30pm
18th October

School Social Evening

18th Oct 5 – 6.30pm

Half Term

21st-28th Oct (inclusive)

News and Information

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[Click here for information on e-safety](#)

Winston the Waste Eater

Winston came to visit the school to help the students understand how our rubbish is recycled and what happens to it when it leaves school. The students were fascinated by the vehicle and the role it has in keeping our community clean. Everyone was able to go inside and see how it was operated.



Science

We have been exploring different habitats around the world, looking at the animals and how they have had to adapt to their ever-changing surroundings, where some species have thrived, and others have become extinct.



Visiting West Pentire & Josh's dinosaur

Food Technology

This term students have created some amazing dishes including vegetable samosas, savoury choux buns, sizzling stir fry, Anzac biscuits and stuffed peppers. We hope you have enjoyed the results. Many of them have been working towards their ASDAN Meal Preparation certificate.



Daniel's quiche



Sam's stuffed peppers



Kieran's Anzac biscuits

Duke of Edinburgh

The students have continued to work towards achieving their Silver and Bronze module certificates. We have recently visited West Pentire to see the wonderful display of wild flowers and poppies, a sight which was thoroughly enjoyed by all. We are extremely proud of the outstanding achievements of all the students throughout the year towards this highly esteemed award.

The School Garden

Over the past months several students have taken responsibility for different areas of the garden and its development. Some have planted up different areas with a variety of flowers and produce including sweet peas, runner beans, tomatoes and bee-friendly flowers and herbs.

Flu Immunisation

The time of year is fast approaching again when students will be offered the nasal spray flu vaccine. This has proved to be extremely effective in children, which in turn helps to protect the rest of our communities. We will notify you of the immunisation dates when we receive them.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the Immunisation team on 01872 221105/06.

We like to keep in touch with news and events through email and newsletters throughout the academic year. If you would like to make any suggestions or comments at any time, please feel free to contact us:

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via Kathleen's school mobile: 07813 930824,

by email: any of the teachers in the same format as this,

or Sam, our administrator: samantha.England@spectrumasd.org

We look forward to hearing from you.

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