





Newsletter

8 February 2019

Weekly news

A lot of the focus this week at school has been regarding staying safe and personal wellbeing

The week began with a whole school assembly from Mrs Matthews. She highlighted Safer Internet Day on Tuesday and made the children aware about online gaming and the importance of protecting our personal information when sharing information over the internet



Each of the classes, from nursery to Year 6, have taken part in activities throughout the week on how to stay safe online.





It has been Children's Mental Health Week from 4th February, with Time to Talk Day on Thursday. Everyone was encouraged to start up a conversation regarding mental health.

The children have been learning about mental health and mental illness, with some very thought provoking discussions and have demonstrated some great ideas and techniques to overcome and challenge the stigma associated with mental health.







Our reception children were very excited on Thursday when they

enjoyed a visit from our local St Austell firefighters, who brought their fire engine in to school.





Finally on Friday, the whole school had an amazing day experiencing a skipping workshop run by Skip2Bfit. The children had a fantastic time and were encouraged to try and achieve a personal best, whilst also learning about the importance of a healthy diet. Both children and staff got involved, and the day ended with a special assembly to celebrate our great achievements.





Football & Netball Fixtures - Tuesday 12th February

On Tuesday 12th February we will be hosting football and netball fixtures at home to St Mewan. We anticipate the matches to start at 3:20pm, with an approximate finish time of 4:30pm.

Please note that due to these matches, there will be no football or netball club after school on Tuesday.

Thank you.

Forthcoming Events

11th February 2019 - Year 3 visit to Holy Trinity Church, St Austell. Please sign in to ParentPay for more details.

14th February 2019 - Reception class sharing learning journeys (2:30pm)

18th to 22nd February 2019 -Half term

7th March 2019 - World Book Dav

7th March 2019 - Songfest, Newquay View Resort (7pm)

15th March 2019 - Red Nose

4th April 2019 - Year 4 performing at Eden Project 'Invisible Worlds' production (6-8pm). Please sign in to <u>ParentPay</u>

23rd July 2019 - End of term 2pm finish

24th & 25th July 2019 - Inset Days. School closed



Stars of the Week



Harvi	Nursery
Rosie	Reception
Paisley	Reception
Mia	Yr 1
Saskia	Yr 1/2
Matthew	Yr 2
Isabelle J	Yr 3
Scarlett	Yr 4
Meygan	Yr 5
Oceane	Yr 6

Bingo Cancelled

Sadly we have had to cancel the bingo, scheduled for this week, due to a lack of parents/carers to support our FOSHA group.

If you would like to support FOSHA with future events, please contact the office.

Awards

Well Done to the following children who have received awards this week.

Times Table Stars:

Isabella	-	Year 1
Mason	-	Year 1/2
Elsie A	-	Year 2
Brody	-	Year 3
Lucy Ti.	-	Year 4
Sam	-	Year 5
Theo	-	Year 6

Spelling Awards:

Amourly	-	Year 1
Oliver	-	Year 1/2
Bentley	-	Year 2
Alfie	-	Year 3
Ashton	-	Year 4
Aidan	-	Year 5
Esme	-	Year 6

KS1 Reading Awards:

Star Reader:

Lerryn, Max & Tyler - Reception

Cosmic Reader:

Jacob L & Jake R - Year 1

Phonics word of the week

This week's word of the week is "moon" and the pseudo word is "floon".

Key Stage 2 - Reading Awards

Following the article in the newsletter last week, regarding the Accelerated Reader Scheme, congratulations to the following Key Stage 2 pupils who received the following reading awards this week.

Ready Reader:

Lily - Year 4

Independent Reader:

Finlay - Year 4

Super Reader:

Lucy Ti. - Year 4

Attendance

Whole School: 96.6% W/E 8 February 2019

Government satisfactory attendance for a pupil is **96%**.

Miss Seeley - 94.6%

Mrs Evans - 94.9%

Mrs Matthews - 96.5%

Mrs Prior - 96.4%

Mrs Osborne - 97.3%

Miss O'Brien - 97.1%

Mr Lockett - 97.4%

Miss Heather - 97.4%

Mrs Rundle/Mr Walker - 97.4%

Menu

Week beginning:

Monday 11 February 2019

Menu Choice - Week 2

Price £2.30*

*For children not entitled to free school meals

Please make your menu selection ParentPay.

Our next themed menu will be on 5th March, to celebrate St Piran's Day. Our menu will be published shortly.



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- Self motivated
- Thinkers
- Aspirational
- Resilient
- Supportive

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