

'Remember, you will always reap what you sow. So don't get tired of doing what is good. Don't get discouraged and give up for we will reap a harvest of blessing.' Galatians 6

Next week the children in:

Reception will be thinking about the true meaning of Christmas.

Year 1 will be creating the characters in the Christmas story through woodcraft in the woods.

Year 2 will be following in the footsteps of Samuel Pepys and writing their own diaries.

Year 3 will be rockin' on in their Science lessons!

Year 4 will be creating an imaginary dragon for their fantasy story.

Year 5 will be mapping their North America trips.

Year 6 will be learning more about the famous pirate, sea captain, slave-trader, explorer and entrepreneur that was Sir Francis Drake.

DATES FOR THE YEAR

Friday 29th November – Christmas Fayre 3.15 – 4.30

Saturday 7th December – Saltash Lantern Parade

Wednesday and Thursday 11th (morning & afternoon) & 12th (afternoon) December – Christmas Productions

Friday 13th December – Reception Class Theatre Trip

Tuesday 17th December – KS2 Christingle Service at St Stephen's Church 6.30pm

Wednesday 18th December – School Christmas Dinner

Friday 20th December – break up for Christmas

Monday 6th January – School re-opens

Friday 10th January – Children's Disco

Wednesday 15th January – Royal Marines Band in school

Friday 31st January – Quiz Evening (Adults)

Tuesday 11th February – SAFER INTERNET DAY

FRIDAY 14th FEBRUARY – PARENT CONSULTATION DAY

HALF TERM – 17th February – 21st February

Friday 20th March – Wednesday 25th March SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAYRE

EASTER HOLIDAY – 30th March – 14th April

INSET – School Closed 22nd May

HALF TERM – 25th – 29th May

22nd – 26th June – Year 5 residential at Heatree

BREAK UP FOR SUMMER – 21st July

Curriculum videos

If you haven't had a chance to watch our latest video clips showing how we approach the different curriculum areas, please check them out on the school website. They can be found in the **LEARNING** tab under **HOW WE DELIVER THE NATIONAL CURRICULUM**. We will be adding more videos over the next few weeks along with curriculum maps for individual subjects so you can see the journey your child takes through each subject and how we approach the curriculum here at Bishop Cornish School. We will update these regularly and add to the list as each video is completed. We love taking photos of the children in school as it illustrates all the exciting ways that we approach teaching and learning. We hope you enjoy watching them.



All of the children created a poppy, in a variety of mediums, as part of our Remembrance Day service. The detail on each poppy was stunning and our display has a contribution from every child.

Charlie played The Last Post to mark the start of our two minute silence and Isaac P, Isaac D, Abbie and Olivia read the commemorative war poems they had written. It was a very moving moment.

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

Our **Christmas Fayre** is rapidly approaching and we will be holding some 'preparation' workshops in the Education Centre on:

22nd November from 1.00 – 3.00

If you are able to help please do come along.

On the 27th November we are holding a Non-uniform Day and inviting the children to bring some chocolate for the tombola.

There will be a **Great Bishop Cornish Bake Off Competition** so, start thinking about what you might bake for Mr. Hill to judge! He is as discerning as Paul and Prue! Cakes with any Christmas theme can be entered.

There will be a **Christmas shopping Experience** open from 2.30pm in the Music Room so, if you would like a table to sell any items, please speak to Mrs. Dunbar.

We are also looking for items for the raffle and in particular items for a luxury hamper so please do donate if you are able.

Many thanks.

If you are interested in taking part in a **Santa Fun Run** on the **7th December** to support the charity **CHICKS** or even spare someone to take part please speak to Mrs. Dunbar who will be able to give you further details. CHICKS is a charity that supports the UK's most vulnerable children.



Above is a picture of the amazing cave art the children in Year 3 have produced – it looks so realistic. Please could you collect the red, green and blue plastic milk bottle carton lids/tops for a mathematics project in school. We need as many as possible and we can then show you the results of what the children have made. We also need large cereal boxes for an exciting project in KS1. Many thanks.

SPORTS REPORT

Diamond Shield Football Cup Boys and Girls

Last Wednesday night we played host to Carbeile School in the Diamond Shield Football Cup competition. The girls, who are improving every match, played fantastically well to just lose out 2-0 against a really strong Carbeile side. There were tremendous performances from everyone, especially Abbie D and Nieve K, who were voted Players of the Match.

The boys' match saw a first half hat-trick from young Owen L. In a pulsating game, it was real end-to-end stuff, with our boys just losing out 6-4 after a thrilling match. Man of the Match was Toby Drew, making his debut for the A Team. Well done boys and good luck for the rest of the season.

Saltash Cluster Netball Tournament

On Monday our Netball team went to Saltash Community School for their first tournament of the season. All the hard training has obviously paid off as we won all our matches 8-0 except for the last one which we 'only' won 7-0, meaning we won the tournament with maximum points with not one goal conceded! An absolutely amazing performance from all of the squad. Well done!

Badminton, Dance and Tag Rugby Festival

Last Thursday we took 72 Year 4, 5 & 6 children to Saltash Community School to compete in the above Festival. With it being a Festival rather than a tournament, no official results were given. However, the children all had a lot of fun and represented the school really well.

