

ST. MADDERN'S C OF E SCHOOL
WEEKLY NEWSLETTER—FRIDAY 23RD FEBRUARY
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Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a busy week in school! Class 2 children have been busy getting ready for Songfest on Monday 26th February and St Piran's Concert on Friday 2nd February. Class 2 have also had an Art Workshop with Lizzie Black working on a Cornish display for Archie Brown's in Penzance and also had an introduction to Forest Schools this week. A group will be going off site next week and we will keep the website up to date with photos of their achievements!

Thursday 1st March it is World Book Day. This is also St David's Day and to celebrate Welsh Author Roald Dahl we would like the children (and staff) to dress up as any character from a Roald Dahl book. Please donate £1 for this event and we will be donating the money raised to Book Aid International.

I was very disappointed that we have had to cancel the Sports Club planned for Mondays after school at short notice. I am trying to find an alternative provider to fill the gap.

The library space has been re-decorated over half term and it was great to hear the children's positive comments on Monday. New bookshelves will be arriving in the next two weeks and we will then be re-organising our library. We have also fenced the area outside the back of pre-school to make this outside area more useable safe for the children. If you have any spare time and would like with sorting out the library (or any other help in school) then please let us know. We look forward to hearing from you!

This week both classes have started a new way of learning in English by learning through storytelling. Class 1 are learning the Three Little Pigs and Class 2 Theseus and the Minotaur. Please ask your child to tell you the story this weekend!

Finally our assembly theme is Forgiveness for this half term and we have been considering what this means in assembly talking about 'wiping the slate clean', starting again and the story of the Prodigal Son. Please talk to your child about Forgiveness and explore some of the ideas on the Home Values sheet you child has brought home today.

Kind regards,

Hilary Tyreman

STAR LEARNER:

Esmae for being so enthusiastic about storytelling and the actions.

Kane for increased confidence when learning the story of The Three Little Pigs.

PERSEVERANCE:

Jaspar for persevering with some tricky angle calculation to make sure the angry birds hit their target.

RESPONSIBILITY:

Roxanne and Aggie for responsibly tidying and organising the classroom

RESPECT

Morgana for listening well to all adults and encouraging other children to do the same

STAR READERS

Class 1: Wesley, Morgana, Kane, Jayden

Class 2: Libby, Malakai, Jack

GOLDEN TOKEN AWARDS:

Olivia and Eva for showing good manners at all times

WELL DONE TO ALL THESE CHILDREN!

DIARY DATES

Monday 26th February—Songfest at Hall for Cornwall

Thursday 1st March—World Book Day please dress up and bring £1 donation for

Friday 2nd March—St Piran's Concert 7pm St John's Hall

Monday 5th March—St Piran's Procession 10:00am from the top of Causeway Head.

Thursday 29th March— End of Spring term