



Weekly

Newsletter

13th March 2020

Dear Parents,

Please check the latest information sent out to parents regarding Coronavirus advice. May I remind you that until we are advised otherwise, school will operate as normal including all sporting events and the Spring Fayre this weekend. Currently, all children are expected to attend school unless they are genuinely poorly. Please call the office as per normal with any information if your child will be absent so that we can continue to monitor and assess our current situation accordingly.

Eden Project

I have to express how extremely proud of our Year 3 and 4 children I am. Each and every child showed great courage and determination during the sleepover as they went out of their comfort zones to sleep in a strange place without their family. Their behaviour was impeccable throughout and I even had comments from the Eden staff to say so. I have never experienced such a peaceful sleepover without any trouble, so well done to you all!

During the visit, we explored both the Tropical and the Mediterranean Biomes and learnt about cocoa and some very puzzling plants!



Sports Relief

On Wednesday, all of our children participated in the Bleep Test for Sports Relief and explored some mindfulness activities. Thank you for all of the kind donations, we have raised a tidy sum of £48 which will be forwarded on to the charity.

Cross Country Finals

Good luck to Bradley and Lyla for the rearranged cross country finals next Tuesday, we look forward to hearing all about it.

Many thanks for your continued support,

Mrs Eve Busby
Assistant Head Teacher

PTO

Karate Readers

Congratulations to Alex and Sam who collected their yellow bands last Friday.

Well done everyone, keep reading!



After School Clubs

Next week is the final week for all after school activities, with the exception of cookery club which has already finished for the term. A letter detailing activities for the summer term will be sent out during the first week back after the Easter Holidays and those clubs will commence week beginning 20th April 2020.



Y6 HCC Enrolment Packs

Please could all Year 6 parents ensure that the completed HCC enrolment forms are returned to us by Friday 20th March. Thank you.



Asthma Reminder

Please let us know as soon as your child is diagnosed with asthma so that their details can be added to our asthma register. If you are not sure if we are aware of the condition please check with Mrs Nisbet / Mrs Price in the school office.



Helston College Y5 Transition Session

A reminder that there is a Helston College transition session for Year 5 pupils taking place on Wednesday 18th March between 3.30pm and 4.30pm. The focus for this session will be Science. If you wish to, you may collect your child from Halwin at 3pm on that day to ensure you arrive at HCC in good time.



School Payments

Prompt payment for all school expenses would be much appreciated as it greatly reduces the amount of admin involved (school meals / extended services / before and after school clubs / trips / after school sporting activities / swimming etc). Thank you.



Spring Fayre

A reminder that tomorrow is the FOH Spring Fayre from 10am to 12pm. Please come along and join us in raising funds for our school.

Letters Home

Please make sure you have received the following information this week:-

Wendron Plant Nursery Trip
– Robins Class

Farm & Country Day
Cancelled – Owls Class

SPCMAT Coronavirus
Update Letter – whole school (via email)

Football Tournament Letter
– Invited Players

Blackbird Pie Magazine – KS1



What's On Diary?

Posters for all events will be on display in the main reception area.

Exciting Childcare at BF Adventure this Half Term

Holiday activity days for children aged 6-13 years, following a structured set of activities with a wide range of age specific challenges. Take your pick from rock-climbing, zip-lining, kayaking, canoeing, archery and our popular adventure team-building games! Full or half days available. Click here for further details:

<https://bfadventure.cinolla.com/bfadventure/courses/had-am> or pick up a flyer from reception.



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The Rock Pool Project

Monthly rock pool discovery events are running at Castle Beach in Falmouth aiming to have fun, discover amazing wildlife and contribute to local marine science. These events are suitable for all ages. For more information go to:

www.therockpoolproject.co.uk



'Signposting'

We would like to make it clear that all 'signposted' activities are external to the school. Parents should make their own enquiries and satisfy themselves as to the suitability of the provider before engaging their service.



Events Diary

Date	Event
Sat 14 March	FOH Spring Fayre 10am-12pm
Tues 17 March	Open the Book Assembly
Tues 17 March	Rearranged Cross Country Finals, Pool College
Wed 18 March	Y5 Helston College Transition Session - Science
Thurs 19 March	KS2 Swimming Session 9
Fri 20 March	Celebration Assembly 2.50pm
Tues 24 March	Kingfishers Class trip to Royal Cornwall Museum (details to follow)
Tues 24 March	Open the Book Assembly
Tues 24 March	Cross Country Race 5 – KS1&2 @ HCC
Wed 25 March	Owls Class Royal Cornwall Farm and Country Day - CANCELLED
Thurs 26 March	KS2 Final Swimming Session - Gala
Fri 27 March	Celebration Assembly 2.50pm
Fri 27 March	End of Spring Term
Tues 14 April	Summer Term Begins
Tues 14 April	Cross Country – KS1&2 @ HCC
Tues 21 April	Touch Rugby League – Y5&6 @ Helston Rugby Club 3.45-5.00pm
Mon 25 – Fri 29 May	Half Term
Mon 1 June	Friends of Halwin Meeting 9:00am – all welcome
Fri 5 June	INSET Day

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