

Please make sure your child does not bring any food **containing nuts** into school. We have 2 children with serious nut allergies! Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

St Mary's C of E School News

Friday 29th June

Sports Day

Well done to all the children for competing well at our Sports Day! The children persevered despite the heat and we were proud of their efforts. Congratulations to St Michael (red team) who won overall. One of the St Michael team stated, 'I can't remember when red team last won!' So well done to all this team. Thank you for supporting your child at this event.

Mazey Day

The sky was clear blue and the sun shone down as we carried our iridescent dragonfly through Penzance in the 1pm parade, accompanied by bees, ladybirds and leaves. The whole of our parade with St Maddern's caterpillar and butterfly was a moving Cornish hedgerow, dancing to the sounds of our samba band. It looked brilliant! Thanks to Amanda Lorens who brings the idea alive by creating the images with the children, John Field for leading the samba band and to staff, the children and you for supporting this community event.

Chance to Shine

Our musicians played and sang brilliantly at our annual Chance to Shine concert. The number of children learning a musical instrument continues to grow and our choir goes from strength to strength. Thank you to Mrs Hall for organising this and rehearsing the choir so well. Your donations raised £101 and this will go towards hiring instruments for first access opportunities. If your child would like to learn flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, tenor horn, drums, violin, cello or guitar please pop into the office to collect a form as instrumental teachers are starting to organise their timetable for September.

Stars of the week ending 22nd June

Reception	Reuben
Class 1	Caleb
Class 2	Blake
Class 3	Leila
Class 4	Whole class
Class 5	Jago & Martha
Class 6	Caedmon

Golden Tokens week ending 22nd June

Reception	Amelia
Class 1	Violet
Class 2	Oliver
Class 3	Finley
Class 4	Rose
Class 5	Faye
Class 6	-

Stars of the week ending 29th June

Reception	Morgan
Class 1	Daniel
Class 2	Everyone
Class 3	Hayden
Class 4	Alma
Class 5	Dmitri
Class 6	Christian

Golden Tokens week ending 29th June

Reception	Maeve
Class 1	Lena
Class 2	Bjorn
Class 3	Kelsie
Class 4	Freya
Class 5	Faye
Class 6	Matthew L

Hub-bub Days

Mrs Hall took two classes to Hub-bub at Heartlands last week. This event organised by Cornwall Music Hub enables children to experience a wide variety of music making opportunities. Here are some of the children comments: *"It was really fun. We did lots of different things we wouldn't normally do including drumming and breakdancing (which was hard) and beat boxing."*

FOSMS News

Summer Fayre – Friday 6th July – please can you send in any of the following donations:

Prizes for the raffle, bric-a-brac, pre-loved uniform

Reception, Class 1 and Class 2 – please bring in mystery jars – prize for the class with most donations

Classes 3-6 – please bring in bottles of anything – prize for the class with the most bottles.

All items, apart from food, can now be brought in from Monday as we can store these in the FOSMS shed at school.

Match funding – if any parent/carer works in a bank then please can you contact FOSMs or school as there is potential for match funding.

We are increasingly needing to rely on FOSMs for funding all those extras for our children so please support!

Getting ready for next year's learning

On Thursday 5th July the Year 6 will be spending time at their chosen secondary school and at St Mary's all children will spend time with their teacher for next year. We will be sending out a letter about classes next year on Tuesday.

Dates for Your Diary

Friday 29th June – Half price Book fair (after school in hall)

Friday 29th June – School Summer Games County Finals

Monday 2nd July – Wednesday 4th July – Yr 6 Residential @ Eden Project

Thursday 5th July – Move up day Year 6 to spend day at new schools for September and children here spend time in their new class.

Friday 6th July – FOSMS Summer Fayre – 3.15pm

Wednesday 11th July – Friday 13th July – Year 5 Porthpean Residential

Thursday 12th July – Year 6 Production at St Mary's Church

Friday 13th July – FOSMS Disco-£1.50 per child. KS1 6 -7.30pm - KS2 - 7.30-9pm

Sunday 15th July – Year 6 Leavers Service at St Mary's Church (with Penlee Cluster)

Year 6 will have a letter about this next week

Wednesday 18th July – Year 6 Awards Evening 6:30pm in School

Year 6 will have a letter about this next week

Friday 20th July – Leavers Assembly 9.15am in School.

Friday 20th July – School Finishes at **1pm** for the summer holidays

Monday 23rd July and Tuesday 24th July – INSET days

Tuesday 4th September and Wednesday 5th September – INSET days

Thursday 6th September – Autumn term 2018 begins

Half term 22nd – 26th October

Monday 29th October – INSET day

PLEASE BE CONSIDERATE WHEN YOU PARK AROUND SCHOOL, TRY NOT TO PARK IN REDINNCK PLACE ITSELF. DO NOT OBSTRUCT ENTRANCES TO RESIDENTIAL PROPERTIES OR OUR PARK ON THE ZIG ZAG LINES. THANK YOU FOR YOUR CO-OPERATION IN THIS MATTER.