

NEWSLETTER

Friday 2nd July 2021
Summer Term Issue 10

Dear Parent and Carers,

I hope you are all well and safe.

A few things to inform you of this week. As usual, I will start with COVID news.

COVID.19: We have had several staff members off this week as they were caught up in the NHS track and trace app. Whilst I was delighted to see this is working and hopefully keeping the school safe, it has proved challenging filling these roles. There appears to be a shortage of supply staff available at the moment, plus we do not really want to be bringing too many different adults into our setting. As usual, the staff here rallied together and we managed to cover all absent staff in house. A big thank you to all the staff involved and to all the staff in general this week. I am grateful to each and everyone of the team here - they really have gone the extra mile and I know the next couple of weeks will see the same commitment and drive to ensure your children get the best education possible. No other COVID news to report back to you this week, other than we continue to keep things as tight as possible as case numbers continue to rise. Once again, thank you for your efforts and support.

Staffing Next Year: Next year all teachers will remain in their current year groups. The Support staff positions are still being finalised. I will update and inform you as and when we get this on place. Please see the table.

EYFS	Mrs Steele
Y1	Miss Kenchington
Y2	Miss Leah
Y3	Mr Boisseau
Y4	Mrs Walters
Y5	Mrs Pulley
Y6	Mrs Merrifield

Swimming: Sadly, we are not in a financial position to pay for every year group to go swimming this year. The amazing fundraising that you all do, coupled with financial restraints has seen a shortfall in our budget. I hope that when things return to 'normal' we will once again be able to offer this to all children. Next year, it will only be the Y3 children going swimming in the spring term with the Y6 children 'catching up' where needed.

That is it from me this week. I hope you all have an amazing weekend and enjoy the football.

Kind regards
Kieran Walsh

Lannergrams

Well done to everyone who received a Lannergram this week:

Y1: All of Year 1

Y2: Logan, Darcy, Senara

Y3: Bobby, Josh, Charlie

Y4: Sorrel, Madison, Hetty

Y5: Madisyn, Abigail, Bethany

Y6: All of Year 6

Attendance Cup

The attendance cup was awarded to **Year 5** this week for their attendance.

The attendance this week -

Group	% Attend
Year 1	97.5
Year 2	96.2
Year 3	94.6
Year 4	96.7
Year 5	98.0
Year 6	95.2
Totals	96.3

[Online Parenting Support Courses](#)
Early Help Hub are continuing to support parents and carers and offer interactive parenting courses online.

Courses available are and can be booked via the link

www.cornwall.gov.uk/earlyhelphub

The courses available will be:

- Being Passionate About Parenting - Early Years 1 - 3 years
- Being Passionate About Parenting 4 - 11 year
- Being Passionate About Parenting with basic introduction and an awareness to ADHD 5 – 11 years
- Being Passionate About Parenting with a basic introduction and awareness about the "Spectrum" 5 – 11 years
- Being Passionate About Parenting – The Teenage Brain 12 -17 years
- Take 3 – Supporting Teenagers 12 – 17 years

West Coast Academy

Please note, All classes or camps must be booked via email and paid beforehand otherwise we cannot accept entry.

Gymnastics Competition - July 24th 2021.
Anyone can enter and all for fun and confidence. Prizes for ALL!



Stithians Show

The Stithians Show has gone virtual again this year.

Both Horticulture and Arts, Craft & Cookery sections have extended the deadline for entries until the 7th of July.

It would be lovely to see more children's entries in the Arts, Craft & Cookery and children's drawing classes.

For details on the classes and how to enter, please see:

Horticulture:

https://stithians.show/pdf/schedules/2021_horticulture_schedule.pdf

Arts, Craft & Cookery:

https://stithians.show/pdf/schedules/2021_AC_C_Schedule.pdf

Results will be announced week commencing the 12th of July at www.stithians.show