



Dear Parents/Carers

A super end to another busy week. A week filled with assessments for many of the children, showcasing their hard work and dedication. Year 2 SATs have been completed, and we are immensely proud of the effort they put in. Similarly, Year 1 Phonics results have been brilliant, with Mrs Earley expressing her pride in the children's achievements.

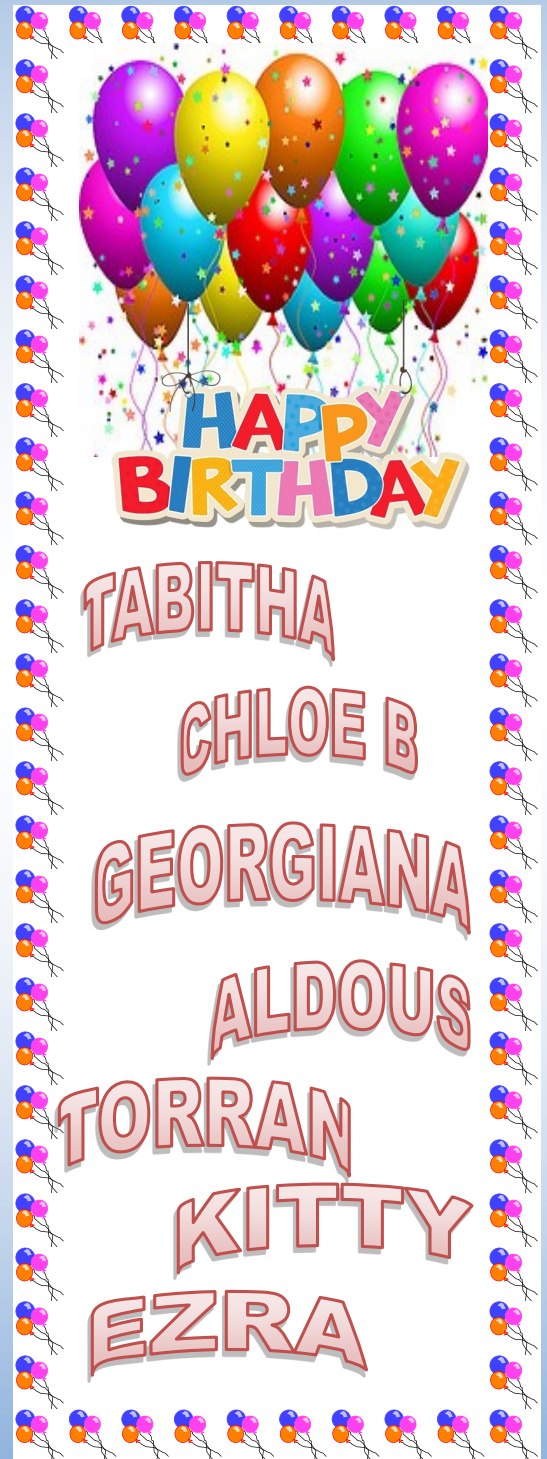
A special mention to Year 4 for successfully completing the multiplication check. Well done to all the children for their commitment to their studies and reaching these milestones.

In other news, Marks Ark paid a visit to Year 5, introducing a fascinating array of animals to the classroom. It was a truly educational experience for the children.

Furthermore, Key Stage 2 Sports Day was a massive success. It was great that so many parents and families were there, cheering on the children as they participated in various sporting activities. Your support is greatly appreciated and plays a significant role in making such events memorable.

As we approach the weekend, we wish everyone a wonderful and relaxing time ahead. Thank you for your ongoing support and involvement in your child's education. Have a fantastic weekend!

Demelza Bolton
Headteacher





Stars of the Week

CLASS	6TH JUNE	13TH JUNE
Tater Du	MASON	ARNIE
Longships	ELIJAH	GRACIE
Round Island	FRED	BLAKE
Sevenstones	LILLY-ROSE	LYNETTE
Bishops Rock	THELO	ELEANOR
Godrevy	MOLLY	HUGO
Wolf Rock	ALIZA	HARRY

*****IN CROWD ***IN CROWD*** IN CROWD*** IN CROWD*****

JUNE

26th Family Link Worker - one half an hour slot left for the afternoon - Please get in touch with Miss Downing or the Office to book.

27th Informal IN Crowd session - a chance for parents to catch up and also to discuss fund raising ideas to set up a parent's lending of books, focusing on individual Needs and emotional wellbeing.

Refreshments will be provided - 2 till 3 pm

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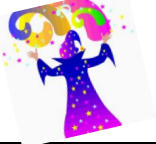
10th IN Crowd meeting led by Maeve Macknelly (Education Mental Health Practitioner) with a focus on Resilience 2 till 3 pm - booking not necessary this time.



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Maths & English Stars



Thursday 13th June	Maths Wizard	English Expert
Tater Du	Marnie B	Elijah
Longships	Teddy	Lyra
Round Island	Toby J	Ariana
Sevenstones	Viggo	Jamie
Bishops Rock	Daniel	Taylor
Godrevy	Maths	Danny
Wolf Rock	Grace	Seth

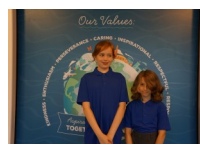
OUR SCHOOL HOUSES



Valeria & Scarlett



Elliott & Darcey



Aliza & Lorelei



Jowan & Grace



ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

THIS WEEK'S AMAZING ATTENDERS ARE:



98.8% = Year 2



94.3% = Year 1



91.7% = Year 3

CURRENT NATIONAL ATTENDANCE % =



94.3%

ST JUST'S WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE % =



91.1%

THE WORLD IS RUN BY THOSE WHO TURN UP.

ATTENDING SCHOOL EVERY DAY = 100% ATTENDANCE.

ATTENDING 4½ DAYS A WEEK = 90% ATTENDANCE = 4 WEEKS MISSED PER YEAR.

ATTENDING 4 DAYS A WEEK = 80% ATTENDANCE = MORE THAN HALF A TERM MISSED PER YEAR.

ATTENDING 3½ DAYS EACH WEEK = 70% ATTENDANCE = MORE THAN A QUARTER OF THE SCHOOL YEAR MISSED.

AN AVERAGE ATTENDANCE OF 80% OR LESS ACROSS A CHILD'S SCHOOL CAREER ADDS UP TO MISSING A WHOLE 2 YEARS FROM SCHOOL.

BEING LATE FOR SCHOOL REDUCES LEARNING TIME.

IF YOUR CHILD IS 5 MINUTES LATE EVERY DAY THEY WILL MISS THREE DAYS OF LEARNING EACH YEAR

IF YOUR CHILD IS 15 MINUTES LATE EVERY DAY THEY WILL MISS 2 WEEKS OF LEARNING EACH YEAR.

MAKE EVERY MINUTE COUNT!





SPORTS NEWS

CRICKET REPORT

On Wednesday, both our Girls and Boys teams took part in the Cornwall Cricket Board Penwith Qualifying Competition at St Just Cricket Club.

Firstly, we are thankful to St Just CC Professional, Chammy, who not only runs our after-school club, also supported the girls' team on the day itself.

The girls team played three matches against St Hillary, Bodriggy and Pensans. Against St Hillary we narrowly lost, despite some good batting and bowling. In match two, we achieved a hard-fought draw against Bodriggy, the highlight being Evie (Y4) clean bowling their best batsperson to secure the draw. In match three, we convincingly beat Pensans. A nervous wait then ensued to find out who, out of Bodriggy and us, would progress onto the county finals after a similar record. Unfortunately, Bodriggy had the slightly better run rate and therefore progressed. Nevertheless, a great team effort considering our team was made up of pupils from year 4, 5 and 6.

In the boys' competition, unfortunately two schools failed to turn up, so we were left with just two matches instead of the planned four. In our first game, we lost narrowly to St Hillary, despite some great hitting from Jack (Y3). In match two, we beat Nancledra by 10 runs with some tight bowling and great running between the wickets by all. Unfortunately, St Hillary won both their matches and therefore progressed.

Well done to all pupils who played and represented the school with great enthusiasm and teamwork.

Girls team: Rosie & Valeria (Y6), Esme, Senara, Sophia J & Rosie Bi (Y5), Evie & Abbi(Y4)

Boys team: Harry, Jowan, Elliot & Seth (Y6), Daniel & Taylor (Y4), Jack & Henry (Y3)





Aspirations & Achievements

Elliott Toms

Elliott demonstrated exceptional commitment during his first skilled boxing match representing St Just Amateur Boxing Club. As a dedicated member for the past two years, he showcased outstanding skill and expertise throughout the three intense rounds, each lasting one and a half minutes. Elliott's victory, earning him a well-deserved trophy, underscores his unwavering dedication and passion for the sport he loves.



Millie Woodward & Lulu

Well done to Millie for her commendable performance at the equestrian event. Millie entered her pony Lulu and achieved success by winning rosettes. She was also commended for her pleasant smiles, impeccable manners, and noticeable improvement. An outstanding display of talent and dedication.



Sophia Warren

The Royal Cornwall Show

Sophia entered the Royal Cornwall Show, her smile radiating enjoyment as she proudly accepted the well-deserved 2nd place for handling a stubborn calf. A job well done indeed, showcasing her dedication and skill in agriculture.



KS 2 SPORTS DAY

KS2 held their annual Sports Day last Wednesday afternoon with our amazing year 6 children leading years 3, 4 and 5 around the carousel of eight sporting activities, before the afternoon culminated in our traditional track races.

Throughout the carousel, all children displayed a wide variety of their athletic skills during including throwing, striking, sending and receiving, agility, stability and manipulation. After eight carousel activities, two houses - Geevor and Levant - were tied with 11 points each, followed by Wheal Drea with 6 points and Botallack with 5 points.

Next, the children moved to the track to take part in the more traditional side of sports day - individual distance and sprint races. With team points awarded for 1st to 8th places, the Sports Day trophy was still up for grabs in the individual events.

After some scintillating races, it was Levant who pulled away to claim first place with 147 points. Second place went to Geevor with 113 points. Third place went to Wheal Drea with 106 points and Botallack scored 97 points to finish in fourth.

Finally, the most important element of the whole event was that all our children took part and enjoyed the afternoon.

Pictured are the winning team - Levant and our individual race winner.

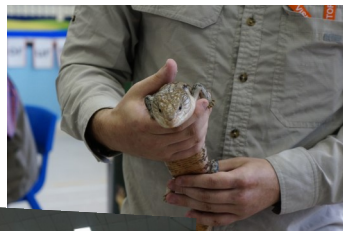




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PHOTO GALLERY



dates to Remember

JUNE

18th Surf Club

19th KS 1 Sports afternoon

19th Year 1 visiting the Jackson Foundation

20th Athletics

24th Karsten - Assembly

27th - Yr 2 Sleepover

The RAINBOW RAFFLE back - This was such a wonderful Summer fundraiser for our school last year!

Friday 21st June - Non Uniform Day in exchange for donations for our Rainbow Hampers. See the poster below for details on class colours. Children can wear the colour of their class if they wish, or any colour (Please no superhero costumes)

For example - Tater Du are red - can they bring in something red to add to the hamper please.

Tickets will go on sale on Monday 24th June - 50p a strip.



Last Friday we were lucky to have Olaf from Celtic Sea Power in to school to talk to Years 5 and 6 about his job. The children enjoyed hearing all about his work in renewable energy and how they are planning to put wind turbines in the ocean to create energy. The children looked at aerial photos of sea life that Celtic Sea Power will have to protect and got to handle equipment that will be used and play with models of the turbines.

