



Spring Term Issue 5

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# Newsletter



Dear Parents, Carers and Children

I will start and finish with a thank you. First of all, let us all congratulate and thank Mrs Sicolo for the amazing success that was 'Breakfast Week' and for all the effort she put in to make it so. I hope I am not tempting fate by making this statement on a Thursday (as I write) but as it is a Cornish themed morning tomorrow I think we are in safe hands to end the week on a high. Every year there have been some changes to the menu although some favourites such as Wednesday's USA themed pancakes could not be substituted. For myself however, it has always been something I have never had before that leaves the most lasting impression which this year was a Brazilian inspired cheese bread – if you weren't there imagine a lightly cooked Yorkshire pudding with cheese melted on the inside. Maybe it transported me back to childhood when, growing up where I did, the Yorkshire pudding served as starter and dessert as often as it accompanied a roast but this was a new twist for which I will be getting the recipe.

I hope some of you got to enjoy something new during the week or just enjoyed the atmosphere of coming together. Both Kynance Class and Godrevy were trying something new on Tuesday when Mr Long came to deliver the first of their lessons on samba drums and percussion. They will be working with him over the next half term and hopefully they will be able to include a performance as part of their outcome. On Wednesday members of Rinsey represented the school in a netball tournament and as always displayed excellent sportsmanship and whilst on the subject of sport I must mention the runners from last week who competed at the Hayle cross country event in biting cold conditions and put in some sterling performances.

Poldhu are not having to brave similar conditions in the woods today and I was jealous when I dropped them off at the gate, wishing I could join them for the morning. However, it has been a busy week and tomorrow looks like being no exception so I'm back in the office and will keep things short for once and sign off this week as there is much to do. As I said at the start I will finish with a thank you which this time is to all of the staff that have supported Mrs Sicolo throughout the week to help keep you all fed and most importantly to all of you for attending and supporting each day because without you it wouldn't happen. We hope you have enjoyed it as much as we have and we wish you safe passage through the storm that is heading our way on Sunday.

Mr Gardiner

**THIS TERM'S THEME:** *Wide World*

**HEADLINES:** *Kernow*

**WORDS OF WISDOM:** *A nation's culture resides in the hearts and souls of its people (Ghandi)*

**MUSICIAN OF THE WEEK:** *William the Conqueror*

**VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:** *Being proud*

**QUESTION:** *Why do people say they are better than us when we are all humans so part of a team?*

*Bethany*

Aiming for the  
**Stars**

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## Diary Dates

### February

Mon 10—Football match V Trevithick (A)

Mon 17-Fri 21—Half Term

Mon 24—Cape Cross Country running

Tues 25—Reception start swimming sessions

Wed 26—Kynance to Eden Project

Wed 26—NO CRAFT CLUB OR JOHN MUIR

### March

Mon 5—St Piran's Day—menu change

Tue 10—No Football Club

Sat 21—Coose Trannack Run



Whole School Attendance Target

2017-2018: **96%**

This Weeks Whole School Attendance Figure:

**94.3%**

### Another 24—from Mrs Haddy

*As you are all getting so good at this we have decided to make things more challenging by including problems with 2 digits in them. The rules are still the same you must use all 4 numbers but you can only use each one once.*

*There is at least 1 solution can you find more?*

12

3

17

2

### SCIENCE FACTS!

**Question:** Why is the grass green?

**Last weeks answer:** Venus is the only planet in the Solar System that rotates in a clockwise direction



### INSET DAYS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020

**Friday 22 May 2020**

**Monday 1 June 2020**

**Tuesday 2 June 2020**

**Wednesday 3 June 2020**





## **STARS OF THE WEEK**

*Congratulations to the following children for their fantastic learning. Thank you.*

**Poldhu**

***Rupert for a fantastic week***

***William for incredible writing***

**Kynance**

***Jack M for working extremely hard on his times tables***

***Olivia L for bringing in beautiful books about our topic***

**Godrevy**

***Eva for trying really hard in report writing***

***Jack for having great perseverance in maths***

**Rinsey**

***Eleanor for excellent group work in science***

***Tegen for beautiful presentation in writing***

**Virtue Value Awards**

***Heidi, Oska, Rex, Kayleigh***