



Summer Term Issue 5

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# Newsletter

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

Summer's here and in true old English fashion we have heralded the fact with the sound of leather on willow; well actually rubber on plastic in primary cricket but many children have had some time at the wicket this week. Year 1's, 3's and 4's all took part in sessions led by Craig from Cornwall Cricket. On Wednesday members of Rinsey Class had their turn when they travelled to Camborne Cricket Club with Mr Buckley to take part in a cricket festival, all of them returning with smiles on their faces. For anyone wanting to refine their skills further Mr Buckley will continue to run Cricket Club for both KS1 (Tuesdays) and KS2 (Fridays) although they are already well attended. On Monday it was the football team's final match in the league against Weeth School and as always, they represented the school with fantastic determination and sportsmanship despite losing 3-1. On Tuesday, following a morning with workshops from members of the NSPCC about keeping safe, members of Year 3/4 took part in a TAG rugby festival and were equally impressive ambassadors. If that wasn't enough sport for one week, tomorrow (Friday) the whole day will be devoted to sport and games for our School Games Day. In keeping with the ethos that Mrs Kent has set up the emphasis is once again on inclusion and participation rather than competition and we will be trying lots of alternative activities from pilates to street dance so that children that might not be interested in mainstream sports can find something that they enjoy.

Today (Thursday) Poldhu and all the Year 1's are making the most of the continuing sunny weather by taking their learning to Crenver Grove and Poldhu will be visiting the site regularly for Outdoor Class next half term as their topic moves from Under the Sea to Into the Woods. Next half term will also see the start of the residentials and more extended periods in the outdoors. Rinsey get to go first with the Porthpean Camp running from Wednesday to Friday on the first week back. Miss Shaw will be leading the trip and myself, Mrs Lynes and Miss Barber will support. For any parents of children in the class that were unable to make the meeting on Wednesday the slides are on the website and don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions. All the other camps are now ready to go and I would like to thank everyone for being prompt with payments as it helps with organisation. We recognise that they can be quite expensive, especially if you have more than one child and for this reason we subsidise all camps, paying for transport and all over time costs. However, we also believe the experiences that children gain from camps are ones that will have lifelong impact and after teaching year 6 for many years I know that for the vast majority of children it is the memories from them that are treasured the most from their time in school.

It is now Friday and we are half way through a day of activities. I shouldn't tempt fate but we have managed to get 4 year groups through the 'Wheels Gymkhana' without injury and the support children have shown for each other has been incredible. We will have a sports' specific celebration assembly at the end of the day but I can already say that whoever is given certificates at the end of the day, each and every one of the children deserve recognition for their sportsmanship, determination and enthusiasm. It has been a brilliant end to a hard-working term and a great appetiser for the fun that is to come. Have a great week whatever you're doing and we look forward to seeing you all for the final half term and all it holds. I'm very excited as I finally get to see The Strokes on Saturday after waiting for over 5 years so guess who the musician of the week is when we get back?!

Have fun and see you soon,

Mr Gardiner

**THIS TERM'S THEME:** *Footprints*

**HEADLINES:** *Spaceship Earth*

**WORDS OF WISDOM:** *There are no passengers on Spaceship Earth we are all crew*

**MUSICIAN OF THE WEEK:** *Strokes*

**VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:** *Using resources wisely*

**QUESTION:** *How is it possible that the most intellectual creature to ever walk the planet Earth is destroying its only home?*









## Diary Dates

### June

Mon 3—Return to school

Tue 4—Year 6 begin swimming sessions

Wed 5—Year 5 & 6 Porthpean Camp

Wed 12—**No clubs**—due to staff training

Wed 12—Tempest CLASS photos

Thur 13—**OPEN AFTERNOON**

Fri 14—Non Uniform for the PTFA—bottles please

Thur 20—Sports Day

Fri 21—Year 5 & 6 Surf Day

Mon 24—Rinsey to Caerhayes Castle

Mon 24—Year 3 & 4 Carnyorth Camp

Fri 28—Kernow King Production

Fri 28—PTFA Summer Fayre & Community market

### July

Wed 3-5—Poldhu Activity Days

Wed 10-12—Kynance Activity Days

Mon 15—**NO CLUBS THIS WEEK**

Tues 16—Summer Performance 2pm

Wed 17—Summer Performance 2pm & 6pm



### SCIENCE FACTS—TRUE OR FALSE?

Does natural gas have an odour ?

Last weeks answer: True, it helps release endorphins, the bodies natural feel good chemical

Dates for  
the Diary:

Whole School Attendance Target

2018-2019: **96%**

This Weeks Whole School Attendance Figure:

**95.37%**

### Another 24—from Miss Shaw

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?

8

6

2

1

## Workout Wednesday

Steps this week:

**95,752**

## Fitness Fridays

Steps this week:

**61,681**

**Miles = 75**

## INSET DAYS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020

**Wednesday 4 Sept 2019**

**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**

*Isaac for amazing turn taking and negotiating*

*Elizabeth for super effort in your independent writing*

### **Kynance**

*Florence for working really hard in maths*

*Elsie for always being caring towards others*

### **Godrevy**

*Bronte for great effort during acting out our story*

*Caja for great independent work*

### **Rinsey**

*Finley for good effort in all subjects*

*Charlie for good effort in maths*

### **Virtue Value Awards**

*Macee, Edward, Charlotte B, Harriet*