



Summer Term Issue 2

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Newsletter

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

I am going to start with a thank you because it is a big one: Everyday this week Mrs. Sicolo arrived at school before anyone else, sometimes before six, to ensure that that day's breakfast from around the world was served up on time, freshly prepared and perfectly cooked. Without her it wouldn't happen and it has become a favourite aspect of all our PSHE themes for many so on behalf of all that enjoyed the results of her efforts, thank you. As always however, these sorts of things require a team effort and pretty much every member of staff has helped at some point over the week; the team effort from the USA day being the slickest operation yet with pancakes and bacon whizzing out at a pace that most American diners would struggle to keep up with! My personal favourite was the Italian brunch torte on Monday and I know many were fond of the bobotie on Thursday. However, after speaking to several children that attended every day it still seems that pancakes and bacon USA style takes some beating in the children's eyes. The good news is that you can recreate any dish you enjoyed or try any you missed as the recipes are now posted on the website under the Parent Zone tab – breakfast club.

This morning's breakfast was made from some of Cornwall's finest produce and for those that are in Poldhu Class it will be giving them some extra energy for their trip to one of Cornwall's finest locations at Godrevy beach. They are discovering what lives just below the sea linked to their topic and depending on the tides they may still see some remnants of Rinsey Class' footprints as they were there yesterday performing I have a dream speeches. Both classes will be able to explore the beach safely as it was only on Wednesday that the RNLI came in to lead an assembly on beach safety.

The fine weather that is making Outdoor School so enticing is also helping with sports involvement with a fantastic turn out for after school clubs. On Tuesday the year 1 and 2's also enjoyed fine conditions when they took part in the cricket festival at Hayle Cricket Club and it looks like being nice for this afternoon for the Year 3, 4 and 5's that are taking part in the cross country running. It has also been lovely to see the children enjoying the arrival of Spring in the grounds by exploring the wild border which is really starting to develop and now contains the first enhancement in the form of a balance trail compliments of Mr. Lester's chainsaw and the old Leylandii trees. There is much more to follow with a barefoot trail being installed shortly and many more trees being planted to create an even more diverse habitat. On the subject of wild if you have a child in Kynance Class be sure to get them to try and use the storyboard (on the website on their class page) to retell the story of Wild, which they have been learning in class whilst Godrevy members are also getting to grips with their story, The Man Engine Remembers (story map also on the website under their class tab).

Next weekend we hope the weather remains dry for the first Community Market organized by the PTFA and we hope you will all be able to spare some time to have a look around the stalls. Remember also that there will also be a book swap/take table and there will be a uniform rail to help save you a bit of unnecessary expenditure. This weekend certainly looks like being fine but I hope that you manage to spend some time under cover at the Gwinear Show as there is some wonderful artwork and writing on display from all children in the school. Finally, as you will know we have been incredibly successful this year with grant applications and monetary awards £12,000 from the GGSCF, Breakfast Club getting a £1000 prize and Student Council winning the Think Big project with its £500 award. If any of you would like to have a go at raising even more for a good cause then Pirate FM are running a competition for parents to win money for their school. If you have any ideas about how the funds could benefit our children I would be more than happy to help flesh out an application or if anybody feels they have the necessary persuasive writing skills but are not sure what the school needs, I could give some ideas. I hope you all enjoy the extended weekend (I know Mrs. Sicolo will) and look forward to seeing you all next week.

Mr. Gardiner

THIS TERM'S THEME: *Wide World*

HEADLINES: *Respect rights and responsibilities*

WORDS OF WISDOM: *Rights & responsibilities are 2 sides of the same coin*

MUSICIAN OF THE WEEK: *Santana*

VIRTUE OF THE WEEK: *Being able to be fair*

QUESTION: *Who is responsible for our rights?*



Diary Dates

May

Sat 4—**Gwinear Show**

Mon 6—Bank Holiday—School Closed

Thur 16—**Menu change**—fish and chips

Mon 20—Football match V Weeth (A) KO 3.30pm

Thur 23—Non uniform day

Mon 25—Half Term

June

Mon 3—Return to school

Wed 5—Year 5 & 6 Porthpean Camp

Thur 13—**OPEN AFTERNOON**

Thur 20—Sports Day

Mon 24—Year 3 & 4 Carnyorth Camp

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

Mon 22-Thur 24 INSET DAYS

*Workout Wednesday and Fitness
Friday will begin again next week*

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

**Wednesday 4 Sept 2019
Monday 1 June 2020
Tuesday 2 June 2020
Wednesday 3 June 2020**



Whole School Attendance Target

2018-2019: **96%**

This Weeks Whole School Attendance Figure:

95.36%

Another 24—from Mrs Skeggs

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?

5

3

8

6



SCIENCE FACTS—TRUE OR FALSE?

Like fingerprints, everyone's tongue print is different

Last weeks answer: it's generated by wind, coal, oil and gas





STARS OF THE WEEK

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

Poldhu

Alexia for fantastic independent writing

Sophia for excellent effort with your reading

Kynance

Charlie for working hard learning the time

Grace for producing beautiful writing in literacy

Godrevy

Brendan for great enthusiasm during our story mapping

Mckenzie for great reasoning skills

Rinsey

Isabelle for good co-operation at the beach

Charlotte for excellent effort in spelling

Virtue Value Awards

Jack M, James P, Olivia A, Charlie L