



Summer Term Issue 7

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Newsletter

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

What a change from last week. We have seldom seen the sun and had our fair share of the wet stuff although, looking at the rest of the country, I think we have got off quite lightly. It wasn't enough to stop Rinsey going to Crenver Grove today (Thursday) and as with Godrevy Class last week they were complimented on their behaviour and rigour for carrying out a scientific investigation. They continued the work on analyzing the relationship between canopy cover and undergrowth but in slightly more detail using percentages. They also did frequency checks of the species that constitute the under storey and upper storey in the woodland. Their findings were very interesting and may offer a slight concern for whilst the upper storey is populated with mature healthy indigenous species such as oak and beech there doesn't appear to be much presence of these species in the under storey which has a large proportion of holly and laurel. It may be that we can now support the charity and work with the Woodland Trust, who own the wood, to help plant smaller oaks so that the wood can regenerate.

Thursday once again saw many of you joining us for Open Afternoon. All classes had a reading focus with some innovative creative tasks linked to books such as an orienteering comprehension activity which caused much excitement. As Mrs Haddy stated in the presentation afterwards reading at home is the single most important thing you can do to support your child at home and remember if you are short of ideas on which books to read there is always our Books to Read before you are 103/4 and also remember that this is a dynamic list that can be added to at any time if you have ideas of other books that should be included. There certainly seems to be several parents with a good knowledge of children's fiction judging by the amount of correct answers to Mrs Haddy's book quiz which we held after school. It was another lovely community event and special thanks go to the Ferrell family for providing us with very welcome delicious pasties.

On the subject of community it has been wonderful to see many of you after school taking advantage of the grounds and all the new enhancements that we are adding to it. We have always aimed to be a school that was a hub for the community. However it is important that we remind you that whilst you are more than welcome to enjoy the grounds with your children after school we are no longer responsible for anything that happens to them once they leave our care at the end of the day at 3.10pm or 4.10pm if they attend a club. On a similar safeguarding note please remember that when you are visiting the school either as a volunteer or on community days such as the Open Afternoons use of mobile phones has to be outside the school grounds. All our staff actually have to leave their phones in the staffroom but we understand that you may need your phone on your person in case of emergency calls which can be taken but please take the conversation outside or use the staffroom.

Of course, being the summer term there are many more community events on the horizon; next Thursday is Sports Day (you are all welcome to arrive and take your position from 12.30 onwards), the next Community Market is on the same day as the PTFA Summer Fayre, Friday 28 June, the class outcome afternoons are on the dates list attached to this newsletter (Rinsey will not be having an outcome afternoon this term as they are concentrating on the production) and finally the Summer production on the 16 and 17 July looks like being a hilarious and raucous event that is not to be missed, tickets will be available shortly, so be sure to get yours.

Weather looks like its changing back for the better so have a great weekend whatever you're planning on doing.

Mr L Gardiner

THIS TERM'S THEME: *Footprints*

HEADLINES: *Energy saving*

WORDS OF WISDOM: *When it rains look for rainbows, when it's dark look for stars*

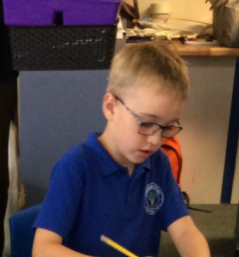
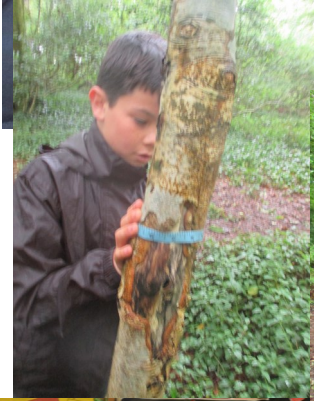
MUSICIAN OF THE WEEK: *Johnny Cash* **VIRTUE OF THE WEEK:** *Being Optimistic*

QUESTION: *Is a cup half full or half empty ?*

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Diary Dates

June

Wed 19—Carnyorth Camp meeting (Year 3 & 4)

Thur 20—Sports Day

Fri 21—Year 5 & 6 Surf Day

Mon 24—Rinsey to Caerhays Castle

Mon 24—Year 3 & 4 Carnyorth Camp

Fri 28—Poldhu outcome afternoon

Fri 28—Kernow King Production

Fri 28—PTFA Summer Fayre & Community Market

July

Mon 1—School Council Cake Sale

Wed 3—Year 6 transition day at Hayle School

Wed 3—Year 5 Goblin Car Race Day

Wed 3—Kynance outcome afternoon

Wed 3—NO GARDEN CLUB

Wed 3-5—Poldhu Activity Days

Thur 4—Surf Club today (replaces 11 June session)

Tue 9—Y5 to CSIA

Wed 10—Godrevy outcome afternoon

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

SCIENCE FACT

How long does it take an individual blood cell to make a complete circuit of the body?

Last weeks answer: Onions produce the chemical irritant known as syn-Propanethial-S-oxide, this stimulates the eyes lachrymal gland so they release tears.



INSET DAYS FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020

Wednesday 4 Sept 2019

Monday 1 June 2020

Tuesday 2 June 2020

Wednesday 3 June 2020

Dates for
the Diary:

Whole School Attendance Target

2018-2019: **96%**

This Weeks Whole School Attendance Figure:

95.4%

Another 24—from Mr Gardiner

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?

3

3

12

13

Workout Wednesday

Steps this week:

46,843

Fitness Fridays

Steps this week:

55,535

Miles = 48.5



STARS OF THE WEEK

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

Poldhu

Lanza for a beautiful fairy garden

Sean for some fantastic maths

Kynance

Chloe for concentrating on beautiful writing

Eva for coping well with change

Godrevy

Greta for great effort during orienteering

Valentino for great vocabulary and description in writing

Rinsey

Isabelle for good improvement in measuring

Oliver for great work in Crenver Grove

Virtue Value Awards

Elizabeth, Oliver S, Olivia A, Archie