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Date: Friday 2nd December 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

I can't quite believe we're nearly at the end of the first term and the end of 2022! The days are racing by.

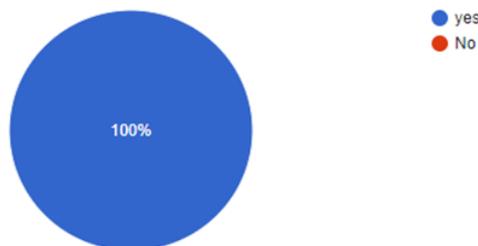
A huge thank you for meeting with your child's class teacher this week and for completing the Pupil Premium form and mini questionnaire. I hope that you enjoyed looking at books and hearing from your child's teacher. Our staff find it hugely valuable and like to give you the essential information to support your child.

Please expect a follow up phone call if you didn't make your appointment.

So far, your mini questionnaire responses to your child feeling cared for are 100%. If you haven't had a chance to do the questionnaire and would still like to, we will pop it on Class Dojo next week and you can click on the URL link on your phone.

Does your child feel cared for at Treloweth?

105 responses



IMPORTANT DATES:

Christmas bingo: 5th and 6th December
3.30pm

EYFS: 8th December
2pm

Years 1, 2, 3 Christmas Performance: Monday
12th December 2pm and 5.30pm

Years 4, 5, 6 Christmas Performance: Tuesday
13th December 2pm and 5.30pm.

Christmas Lunches:
Wednesday 14th
December for EYFS, Y1, Y2, Y3
Thursday 15th for Y4, Y5, Y6

Last Day of Autumn term: Thursday 15th
December at 3.15pm



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On Monday and Tuesday, Mrs Richards and Mrs Cottle will be running their brilliant festive chocolate bingo! Eyes down at 3:30pm - collect your child/ren and go straight to the hall to buy your bingo cards. It could be busy but we will have chairs and a scattering of tables out ready for the fun to begin. The chocolate has been clustered into beautiful big prizes, definitely worth coming to play!!

Next week we'll be sending out letters if your child is consistently late in the mornings past the registration bell. At your parent/teacher meeting, you will have received your child's attendance sheet from the class teacher - any lates are marked 'L' and a high volume of these are challenged by our Education Welfare Officer and you may receive a fine. The letter will contain your child's number of lates this term. You will only receive a letter if the number of lates are high. If we can help you in any way, please get in touch.

Please also remember that you may receive a fine from the Local Authority if you take a holiday in term time. Children, parents and the number of weeks taken are used to total the amount of a fine. The money does not come to school but goes to Cornwall Council who take the action against you. Each child is £60, each parent is £60, and each week is £60. Late payment also increases the longer the fine is not paid. I hope that this information is helpful. There are very, very few reasons that I can authorise a holiday request.





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We are looking forward to seeing you at the Christmas Around the World song performances either in the afternoon or evening. We are running a creche for children who attend our school so that you can watch the show. The crèche will be in the after-school club room and supervised by our staff.

For the evening performance, ALL children need to be back at school at 5pm for their show day (Monday - Years 1,2 and 3 and Tuesday - Years 4, 5 and 6). Children are required to enter through their classroom door as usual, unless you are in Year 3 (we ask Year 3 to use the side gate by year 2 and enter through the door between Mrs Salamone and Mrs Warren's classrooms). If you have a child to drop to the crèche, please walk around the building to the after-school club room (opposite the Year 6 outside classrooms) and then use the main entrance to enter the hall.





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Reception children are having their own performance on Thursday 8th December, and we can't wait to see them for their very first show on stage!

Children will be seeing each other's performances during the dress rehearsals.

We will be videoing the performances and will post them on Class Dojo. Please do not share these videos on social media in the interests of keeping all of our children safe.

On Friday 9th December, Mr Shaughnessy has organised a fun 'Santa Run' for every year group. Children are welcome to bring a fun festive hat or tinsel to make it a bright and cheerful Christmas sight to behold! Please make sure that they have a pair of trainers that they can run in on the day.

On the last day of term, we hope that children will wear their festive jumpers and have a fantastic end to the term with a virtual Christmas pantomime in the morning and the Diamond Time treat in the afternoon! The school day will end at 3:15pm for all children. Please note there is no after-school club on the last day of term.

Have a super weekend and best wishes, Mrs May





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Festive Bingo



Doors open at 3.30pm

£1 per book (5 games)

Children must be accompanied by an adult

EYFS, Y1, Y2 - 5th December

Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 - 6th December

Please choose one day to attend if you have children in different year groups

Bring your
own pen!

Please bring correct
change where possible.

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CROFTY ACTIVE ADVENT

24 days of fun filled exercise, including Cosmic Yoga, Just Dance, & lots of exercise challenges from Mr Shaughnessy The link is below:

<https://calendar.myadvent.net/?id=gfm9lc2c4e7zqwnqjhcl8ra209juxpn1>

We hope everyone can join in.

Many thanks

Mr Shaughnessy



CROFTY GIRLS FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS

Huge congratulations to our Girls Football team who won the Crofty Girls Football Competition on Friday.

They were absolutely outstanding, & won every game.

They will now compete at the Peninsula finals, in January at Penryn.

Well done to everyone involved!



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SPORT NEWS

Sophie in Year 3 competed in her first Gymnastics competition, she placed 1st on bars, 2nd on beam and 6th overall!



Well done Sophie we're all so proud of you.

Dogs on the school premises

Dogs are not permitted on the school premises unless they are a Guide or Assistance Dog.

Please do not bring dogs to school, either walking or being carried. Dogs should not be left tied to the fence as a child may reach out to stroke the dog which may frighten the dog and bite.



Thank you.



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Our Maths Whizz
Superstar classes this
week:

Ave Weekly Usage (mins)	
 3N - Y3	34
 2R - Y2	33
 5S - Y5	26



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Rainbows and Sunbeams

In Reception we have been learning about doubles. We have learnt a new song and have spent time doing lots of practical activities to help us show our understanding.



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Year 1



This week in Year 1 we have been learning about first aid in PSHE. We discussed what we need to do in an emergency and how to give CPR if someone stops breathing. Both classes really enjoyed practicing on the resuscitation dolls.

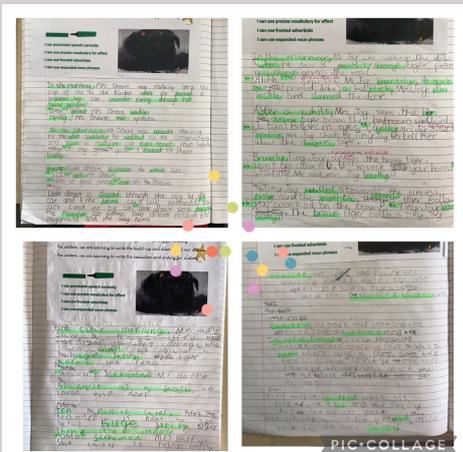
Year 2

This week in Year 2, we've been finding out facts about the Great Fire of London. We made some fire sticks and travelled back in time to 1666 to act out the history of the Great Fire. We had a brilliant time singing and acting around the school!



Year 3

The children in year 3 have really impressed us with their wonderful innovations of the story 'Black Dog'. In their writing, the children have included fronted adverbials, precise verbs, adjectives and dialogue between characters. We hope you enjoy reading their stories as much as the children enjoyed writing them.



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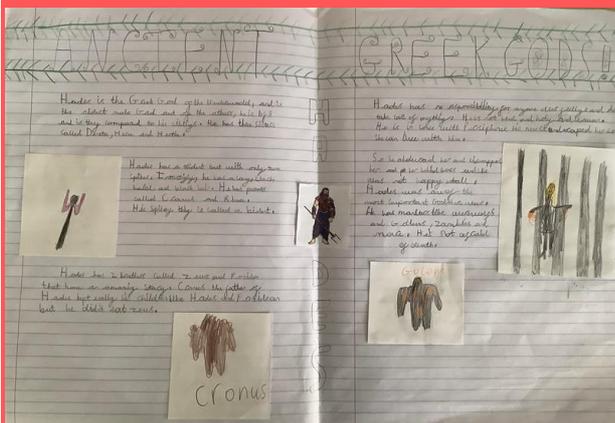
Year 4

Year 4 were treated to a talk from the writer of *Secrets of a Sun King*, Emma Carroll. She gave some excellent tips for writing stories, talking in detail about the Ancient Egyptian discoveries made by Howard Carter and the controversies that surround his work.



Year 5

Year 5 have been inspired by their book *'Percy Jackson and the Lightning Thief'* to create reports about a chosen Greek God. Individually, children carried out research about a god and chose how they should present this in an organised, engaging way to inform and entertain their readers.



Year 6

The Year 6 children were lucky enough to visit Spaceport Cornwall in Newquay this week. The lovely staff there told us all about the launch of *'Cosmic Girl'* which is due to take off at the end of 2022. We had a Q and A session and the children asked brilliant questions. The children also got to look at the model of the rocket. A great day out!



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School trips

To further enrich our curriculum, staff have been working incredibly hard to organise more educational visits. We are delighted to share with you our plans for the year and we hope that these enrichment opportunities will give children real-life experiences, that will make learning even more meaningful and memorable. Below are the visits that have been planned so far and as the year progresses we shall endeavour to find even more opportunities for the children. We are always looking for ways to bring our curriculum to life, so if you have any expertise, resources or a contact that might help the school, please get in touch.

Kind regards, Mr Scott.

	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
EYFS	Local Church		Paradise Park		Portreath Beach	
Subject Focus	Understanding the World		Understanding the World		Understanding the World	
Y1	Tehidy Woods	Local Walk	Helston Railways	Godrevy Beach	Paradise Park	
Subject Focus	Science	Geography	History	Geography	Science	
Y2	Walk in local area		Trevaskis Farm		Newquay Zoo	
Subject Focus	Geography		Science		Science	
Y3	Illogan Park	Kresen Kernow	Barbara Hepworth and Tate		Eden Project	
Subject Focus	Geography	History	Art		Science	
Y4	Supermarket trip		Truro Museum		Tehidy Woods and Godrevy	Plymouth Aquarium Residential
Subject Focus	Geography		History		Geography	Science
Y5	Hike up to Carn Brea and Great Flat Lode		Pool Academy Sports, Big Dig and Forces		Camborne Nexus	St. Ives Residential
Subject Focus	Geography		History, Science, PE		Science	Art/PE
Y6	Kresen Kernow	Spaceport Cornwall	Flambards		Porthtowan Beach Clean	Plymouth Residential
Subject Focus	History	Science	History		Geography	Science



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Carn Brea Neighbourhood Development Plan

Your local area needs your help!

A group of volunteers, supported by Carn Brea Parish Council, has been working hard for the last 4 years to produce a Neighbourhood Development Plan. The Development Plan sets out a vision for how the community would like their area to develop.

The contents of the Plan were created from surveys filled in by residents of Carn Brea Parish.

Using the results of surveys, the policies within The Plan were written. If the community agrees with the policies in The Plan, it will be used by Cornwall Council to help decide on future planning decisions.

Areas covered include
Housing, Business, Green Spaces, Heritage & Climate Change.

The community said that:
85% of rented homes should be 1 & 2 bedroom socially rented homes
First Homes provision should have a discount of 50%
Rural business diversification should be supported
Biodiversity, Cornish hedges and trees should be protected
Reconstruction and conversion of derelict buildings should be supported
New residential development should have 2 or more parking spaces
Footpaths and rights of way are protected
Specially identified green spaces should be protected from development
Provision of new facilities for young people should be encouraged
Renewable energy generation should be supported

So now we need your voice.
Do you agree with the policies? Do you have any comments on them?

Letting us know is really easy - just visit tinyurl.com/carnbreaparish
OR
scan this QR code.

Every completed survey is entered into a prize draw for £50, £30 & £20 prizes.

If you have any questions just visit our Facebook page - Carn Brea Neighbourhood Plan
- and send us a message.

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POOL'S GOT

Christmas

TALENT

**Come and watch
Pool's greatest
Christmas Talent
perform for the judges**

**Thursday 8th December - 7pm
The Main Hall - Pool Academy**

refreshments at the interval and a chance to buy some Christmas crafts



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