

## THE CHOUGH



Date: Friday 7th February 2025







Dear Parents and carers,

It's been another calm and focused week here at Treloweth School, filled with exciting events and opportunities for learning. We were honored to welcome teachers and headteachers from across Cornwall to observe our children's approach to learning in maths and science. They were incredibly impressed with the enthusiasm, dedication, and progress they witnessed!

Year 3 had a fantastic trip to the Geevor Tin Mine this week, where they immersed themselves in the history of mining. It was a handson experience that brought the past to life, connecting our children with the rich history of Cornwall.

## IMPORTANT DATES:

Half term week: Monday 17th February- Friday 21st February.

INSET day (no children in school): Monday 24th February.

Last day of Spring term: Friday 4th April.











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On Monday, we launched Children's Mental Health Week with a special assembly, using the book The Magical Yet to help explain the importance of resilience and the power of growth. It was a great way to kick off a week of reflection and discussion around mental health.

Today, we celebrated Number Day in support of the NSPCC, with many of the children dressing up in digits. It was wonderful to see the creativity and enthusiasm they brought to the day, all while supporting an important cause.

All of these activities link beautifully to our school values of being curious, kind, and connected. From the exploration of the world of mining to fostering curiosity about maths, to supporting one another through mental health awareness, we are proud to see these values alive in our pupils each day.

Best wishes Mrs French



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# NUMBER DAY



Well done to our Number Day costume winners! Thank you for all your hard work with costumes and donations. We thoroughly enjoyed Number Day.



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# DIAMONDS OF THE WEEK



WELL DONE TO OUR DIAMONDS
OF THE WEEK!

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TALKING ASSEMBLY QUESTION:

What is the biggest dream in your heart?

MATHS WHIZZ CHAMPIONS OF THE WEEK

WELL DONE 2F!

## HOUSE POINT RESULTS

	10/1	17/1	24/1	31/1	7/2	14/2
Poldark	246	305	257	248	264	
Botallack	222	206	267	302	336	
Geevor	228	261	263	285	481	
Poldice	220	260	336	280	287	

THIS WEEK'S WINNING TEAM: GEEVOR!



#### **Rainbows and Sunbeams**

In Reception we have been scientists using our observation skills to look closely at our daffodil bulbs. We have been excited to see how much they have grown each day and cannot wait until they flower. The first signs of Spring!





## Year 1

In R.E. this week, Year 1 have had a great time listening to stories from the bible. The children then reenacted the story of Zacchaeus and performed it to the rest of the class. Great work, Year 1!

## Year 2

In Year 2, we carried out a Science experiment to see which habitat a woodlouse would like best out of dry sand, wet soil, damp grass and smooth stones. We found they liked to hide in the wet soil.





## Year 3

Year 3 have a great time at Geevor Mine! We learned lots about mining and were excited to go down into the mine.

### Year 4

This week in Science, Year 4 became sound engineers! We conducted an exciting investigation to discover which materials are best for muffling sound. Using sponges, tinfoil, kitchen roll, bubble wrap and honeycomb brown paper, the children tested how well each one reduced noise levels. They made predictions and discussed which materials would work best for soundproofing. It was a fantastic handson lesson that encouraged curiosity and scientific thinking!











## Year 5

Year 5 being scientists separating the different components of a beach through sieving and filtering. All groups successfully processed the substances into three distinct beakers. Further discussion was held around separating the salt from the sea water!

## Year 6

Year 6 have been researching the life of Martin Luther King in preparation to write a biography about this key figure in the civil rights movement.

