

# Date: 8th March 2024

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT GODREVY: Kieron FISTRAL: Maggie MOUSEHOLE: Amara TREEN: Archie

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE GODREVY: 89.71% FISTRAL: 95.38% MOUSEHOLE: 91% TREEN: 93.53%

# HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Birthday wishes for this week go to:



Riley, Boden and Ruan B

### Assemblies

This week we had a whole school assembly on Tuesday to celebrate St Piran's day. The children enjoyed sharing their Cornish culture highlights and thinking about the things we celebrate. They finished off with some dancing courtesy of the choir (as seen at their concert) and a rousing chorus of Oggy, Oggy Oggy.



#### WORLD BOOK DAY

Our School House Teams had a great day yesterday celebrating World Book Day. Working together across all ages, the children took part in 4 workshops all themed around the story, *The Three Little Pigs*.

These focussed

on Drama,

Music, IT





dren were each given a

World Book Day token. This





BOOK DAY 7 MARCH 2024

WORLD

Art.

**Next Friday** = We are raising funds for Comic Relief. For a donation, children can come to school in non-uniform. The Friends are also

entitles them to either one free World Book Day 2024 book or £1 off a book or audio book costing

£2.99 or more in participating booksellers.



holding their Teddy sale next Friday - turn over for further info.



### EASTER EGG RAFFLE

We will be holding our annual Easter Egg Raffle on the last day of term—Thursday, 28 March. We would appreciate donations of eggs and

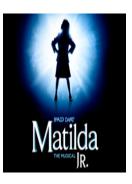
these can be sent in from Monday. Tickets will be on sale during the last week of term.



Treen Class Re	eading roll of honour		
4 reads at hor	me in a week!! CONGRA	TULATIONS to	
Aaris	Millie	Ruan B	
Mia	Winter	Merry	

## 'Matilda the Musical Jnr' local support.

The PTA are reaching out to local businesses to help us support this year's school production of 'Matilda the Musical Jnr'. The children are very keen to put this production on and the PTA are helping to raise funds to support them to purchase the rights. We are looking for local businesses to sponsor the production programme for £15. Your logo will be displayed in the programme, and you will be thanked for your support in the school newsletter. Our sponsorship deadline is 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024. If you would like to be involved and support the biggest school event of the year, please let us know by emailing the school office.



### **TEDDY SALE**



The Friends have now finalised the date for the Teddy sale to raise further funds for the show.

This will take place on Friday, 15 March, in the cabin at the end of the school day.

There are lots of teddies that need new homes so please come along and find a new friend. Prices start at 50p.

### **PROGRAMME DESIGN COMPETITION**

There is a competition starting this week for pupils to enter. They need to design the cover for the show programme. Entry forms are available in the school office and all entries need to handed back in to the office by Friday, 19 April which gives them plenty of time over the Easter holidays to get really creative.

The competition is free to enter and not only will the winning entry get their artwork on the cover of the programme but there will also be prizes of art supplies for 1st, 2nd and 3rd places.

### **Farmers' Market**

The School is doing the refreshments stall at the Farmers' Market on Satur-



day, 16 March. If you can bake us a cake please bring it along on the morning.



**Mousehole** -Would love to have any glossy magazines, that you may be sending to the recycling, for a collage project they will be doing next term. Thanks for your help and support.



### St Piran's Concert

25 children from St Erth School took part in a St Piran's Day concert on Monday at St Johns Hall, Penzance. They joined 8 other local schools and were by far the largest and best choir there! They all sang enthusiastically and enjoyed this celebration of Cornish culture. Many thanks to Mrs Mugatroyd for her fabulous training of the children and to all the parents who attended to support them.

### Cross Country

Another great effort in cross country from St Erth! Typically, it was a very soggy and windy few laps down at Cape Cornwall but everyone gave it their all and even stayed to cheer on their teammates too. Well done to all those who participated in this event.

Results:

Monty Orla Martha Nina Mhyla Nancy

Year 6 Boys Year 6 Girls Year 6 Girls Year 4 Girls Year 4 Girls Year 4 Girls 17th place 7th Place 16th Place 18th Place 4th Place 33rd Place

**Netball** - There will be a netball practise on Monday after School until 4.20 pm. It is open to anyone who came to netball club last term and Mrs Burton will announce the team that is going to the finals on Friday.

### Football

The girls football team played a fantastic match on Tuesday against Mousehole. This hard fought game ended with a 0-0 draw but showcased some of the best passing from this team so far!

### Dates for your Diary

Wednesday 13th March - Swimming for Year 1

Friday, 15th March—Netball League final at Mounts Bay Academy—am and Red Nose Day & Teddy Sale Saturday, 16 March—School doing refreshments at the Farmers' Market

Monday 18th & Tuesday 19th March - Treen Parents evenings.

Monday 25th March—Annual reports for year 1-6 will be sent out.

Tuesday, 19th March - Fistral Brass Concert 2.45pm—NB: Change of date

Thursday 28th March 2024—Last day of school before the Easter Holidays and Break the Rules day -

more details to follow - and Easter Egg Raffle

Monday 15th April—Back to school

Monday 13th May—Start of SATs week

W/C 20th May—Bikeability

May 27th to 31st—Half Term

Monday 3rd to Wednesday 5th June—Year 5 and 6 Residential Trip

Saturday, 29 June — School doing refreshments at the Farmers' Market

Friday 19th July—Last day of the Summer Term

#### **BE A SCIENTIST AT HOME COMPETITION**



As part of British Science week, 8<sup>th</sup> – 17th March, we will be holding a "Be a scientist at home" competition. We want to encourage children to see themselves as scientists and ask questions to find out how the world around them works. In school, we teach the children a variety of skills to help them become scientists including: asking questions; making predictions; setting up tests; observing and measuring; recording data; interpreting and communicating results and evaluating. It would be wonderful if the children could use one of these skills to complete an enquiry at home. For example, count the invertebrate (minibeasts) in your garden and create a bar chart; look at how toy cars travel on different surfaces and explain what they have discovered or make the best parachute for a toy to be dropped from your climbing frame. The children have been added to a science folder on Seesaw so they can upload videos or work. This competition is open to every child in the school and there will be science prizes (shown above) for the winners in each class and a certificate for everyone who takes part.

Any questions please contact Mrs Walsh.

**Gardening Club** - We would like to restart gardening club after Easter for all children. However, Mr Coleman needs some support. Are there any green fingered parents out there who could help out on a Tuesday after school?

Additional items attached: With the newsletter, in the email & on the website:

Online Safety Newsletter Primary March 2024

Coast Activity Programme for Easter

The Great Cornish Model Show flyer

The Great Cornish Model Show!

#### An exhibition for kids of all ages!

A celebration of modelmaking talent in Cornwall taking place at Pool Academy on 13 April (10-5) and 14 April (10-4).

Featuring: 15 working model train layouts; model aircraft – radio controlled and miniature – model boats and ships; radio controlled trucks and cars; military modelling; plastic kit modelling; Wargamers; miniature roomsets and dolls houses; Garden railways; modelling demonstrations;

Adults £7.00: U-16s £4.00; Family £14.00 Free parking, easy access, Hot food and refreshments all day **Coast Easter Activity Programme** - The booking page for Coast Activity events over the Easter holidays is now open. They offer free half day places to those who are eligible for FSM and parents/carers can find their child's voucher code at <u>Time2Move</u>. They are also now Ofsted registed, so can accept payments through the taxfree childcare scheme. Please visit <u>here</u> to find out more. Events are taking place at the following locations:

<u>Hayle Academy School</u> <u>Helston Community College</u> <u>St Ives Leisure Centre</u> <u>Goldsithney - St Piran's Hall</u>

Also, swimming everyday at Helston and St Ives Leisure Centre.

See attached flyer for full details