



DEVORAN NEWS

Message from the Head

Dear Parents and Carers

We have had another busy week in school with a lot of fun activities going on in all the classes.

Thank you to the children who went down to the Meet and Eat event on Wednesday – I hear that you were all very impressive.

Year Three had a fantastic residential at Carnyorth at the beginning of the week where they took part in a range of activities including coracle building, miners cluedo, a climbing wall and archery. Well done Year Three for displaying fantastic behaviour on your first residential and a huge thank you to Miss Pearce, Mrs Morris, Mrs Covey and Miss Slattery for all your organisation and support with this residential and for ensuring the children had such a great time.

Year Five have also enjoyed their residential to Porthpean where they took part in a range of activities including high ropes, canoeing, kayaking, coasteering and SUP-ing. All the instructors were very impressed with the childrens behaviour, manners, can-do attitude and teamwork. Well done Year Five and a huge thank you to Mr Tilley, Mrs Hosken, Mrs Dodd and Mrs Weeks for organising and supporting on all / some of the days.

Last weekend, 14 of our recorder players joined 40 others for a weekend of recorder playing fun led by the fabulous BLOCK4 recorder quartet. The children explored how music and art are connected and how to interpret graphic scores. They listened to BLOCK4 perform a piece called Airlines which uses the recorder in many unusual ways to produce sound. They then had a go at producing these sounds themselves - it was really interesting to explore! New music was also learnt during the weekend and performed in a concert on Sunday afternoon. Everybody played so well and it was really exciting for the children to have a go on BLOCK4's huge angular Paetzold recorders.

We're looking forward to the Recorders Rule Summer Concert in the Chapel at Truro School which will take place towards the end of term (date TBC)

I hope you all have an enjoyable long weekend and look forward to seeing you all back in school on Tuesday.

Best wishes

Miss Lock



School week commencing 29 April
97.4% - whole school attendance

Attendance Congratulations:

1st place is Year 5 with 99.6%!

Classes above 97% - FS, Year 4,
Year 5 and Year 6

Keep it up everyone!

Key Dates

Monday 6 May – Bank Holiday Monday
Monday 27 May – Friday 31 May – Half Term
Friday 19 July – term finishes at 1:30pm
INSET DAYS (no children) – Monday 22 –
Thursday 25 July

Other dates

Tuesday 7 May – Year Three Sharing Assembly
(2:30pm)

Tuesday 14 May – Year One Sharing Assembly
(2:30pm)

CORRECTION Friday ~~17~~ **24 May** - Sports Day
(afternoon)

Tuesday 21 May – Year Two Sharing Assembly
(2:30pm)

Tuesday 11 June – Year Six Sharing Assembly
(2:30pm)

Tuesday 18 June – Year Four Sharing Assembly
(2:30pm)

Tuesday 2 July – Year Foundation Assembly
(2:30pm)

Tuesday 9 July – Year Five Sharing Assembly
(2:30pm)

Summer Fayre – Saturday 29 June 11:30-4pm

Thank you to everyone that turned up to the **PTCA AGM** on Tuesday. The PTCA have a lot of exciting events planned in the forthcoming terms, so watch this space!

Date for your diary – Summer Fayre will take place on Saturday 29 June, so keep it free!


AGM
Annual General Meeting

Year Three - Carnyorth



Year Five - Porthpean

