

Dear Parent / Carers

This week we had two "checks" from the CELT school improvemen team. Firstly some key stage 2 children took part in a pupil voice activity where they were asked questions about behaviour and bullying. The children were articulate, honest and open.

This was followed by an indepth Challenge Day where a team of four spent the day looking at books, visiting lessons and talking to staff and children. This time the focus was writing, behaviour, Personal Development and SEN.

Again, the outcomes were very positive with some very helpful next steps to help us keep on improving.

Next week we have 2 free cinema trips as part of the Into Film Festival. We also start our preparations for the Friends of Carclaze Christmas Fayre. There are 2 planned non-uniform days for this:

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November - jam jars filled with treats Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November - bottles

Thank you for all your help and support.

Simon Pollard

Head Teacher

School Photo QR Codes will be coming home shortly. The order deadline for free delivery back to school is:

Tuesday 21 November 2023

# Governor Vacancy

An opportunity has arisen for a School Governor.

Becoming a school governor is a rewarding role and will allow you the opportunity to use your skills and attributes to have a positive impact on the education of all of the children in our school, You will be able to develop and learn new skills, take on different challenges and work as part of an established and successful Governing Board.

Governors are keen to support and challenge the school leaders to ensure the continued forward-thinking approach and to embrace challenges and change. Our Governing body is committed to continuous improvement and as such we are seeking Governors who would bolster our strong and committed team in challenging the school's performance to ensure continued rapid improvement for all our pupils.

If you are interested please come and speak to the office and we will arrange an appointment to speak to Mr Pollard about the role.

## WRAPAROUND CARE

### 07821595894

Any bookings for either Breakfast Club or Busy Bees need to be made via Parent Pay by Friday lunchtime of the week before - we are very busy and don't want to disappoint. Non bookings will incur a penalty charge of £5.00 in addition to the care cost.

If you no longer require a booking please let the office know 01726 74194 or text the above number.

Breakfast Club/Early Birds 7.30 - 8.40 £3.50 7.30 - 8.40 with breakfast £4.50

Doors close at 8.20





Busy Bees/After School Club

3pm - 4pm £3.50

3pm - 5pm £7.00

3pm - 5.30pm £10.50





## **DIARY DATES**

# <u>September</u>

Club Dates - Monday 18 September to Week Ending Friday 8 December 2023.

# October

**Porthpean Class -** Parent Consultations with Mr Dixon have now been scheduled for 6 and 7 December. Please book on via your eschools login at www.carclazesch.org

\*\*Craft Club - Due to staff long term absence - there will be no Craft Club for the remainder of this term. We will continue after Christmas with current members - School will notify parents of new start date\*\*\*

# November

**Monday 13 -** Anti Bullying Week - 'Its okay to be different' wear odd socks to school day on Monday 13 November.



Wednesday 15 - Year 1 and 2 Trip to Cinema 'The rise of Gru'

Thursday 16 - Non Uniform Day - Jolly Jam Jar Donations for Fair

Friday 17 - Year 5 and 6 Trip to Cinema 'Matilda the Musical'

Wednesday 22 - Non Uniform Day - Bottle Donations for Fair Tombola

Friday 24 - Year 3 and 4 Trip to Cinema 'Epic Tales'

**Thursday 30** - Geraldine Matthews Family Support Worker - 2.00pm drop in sessions

## December

**December 6 -** 9.15am - EYFS Nativity to Parents

December 6 - School Christmas Lunch - Pre Order on Parent Pay

December 7 - 2.00pm - EYFS Nativity to Parents

December 8 - Clubs finish

# Spring Term Begins 8 January 2023

Please note - 2024/25 Term dates are currently being reviewed.

We will publish the dates on the School Website as soon as we have more information.



# Friends of Carclaze

# Christmas Fair - Saturday 25th November 1-3pm

Next Thursday (16th) is the non-uniform day for Jolly Jam Jars. Please see these example pictures of the sort of things to put in the jars and ideas of how to decorate them. *Any* 





sweets that you put in the jars must be wrapped otherwise we cannot use them. This is a very popular stall so the more jars we get the more money we will make on the stall for the school.

We are in need of good quality, clean/washed teddy bears for the Teddy Tombola. If you have any teddies you would like to donate, please hand in to the school office as soon as possible please.



We are also in need of toys, games, raffle prizes and cakes for the cake stall. Please hand any donations into the school office, except cakes which can be brought in the day before the fair or on the day.

<u>Please can we have any unsold raffle books returned to the office as</u> soon as possible so that we can re-sell them. Many thanks.

Non Uniform Day: Jolly Jam Jars - **Thursday 16th November** 

Non Uniform Day: Bottles - Wednesday 22nd November

Christmas Fair: Saturday 25th November 2023 - 1-3pm

#### Class Attendance - Highest Attendance = 10 minutes extra play time

### Congratulations to Greenaway Class with 97.6% Attendance this week

Polkerris	94.6	Charlestown	92.9
Pisky Cove	92.2	Porthpean	92.8
Greenaway	97.6	Mawgan Porth	89.6
Carlyon Bay	94	Perranporth	95.3
Sennen	94.8	Harlyn Bay	95.1
Porthluney	96.5	Bamaluz	93.1
Hemmick	93.3	Polzeath	95.4

# Attendance Ladder



Pupils should aim to have <u>96% or</u> **above** attendance

90% is <u>not</u> good!

1 School Year @ 90%

attendance=4

whole weeks of lessons missed!

> That's 100 HOURS OF LEARNING MISSED!

### Certificate Winners

Porthpean - R. Thomas for listening and following instructions from adults as well as making our classroom a happier place. S. Boxall for always showing his brilliant behaviours towards his teachers and friends.

Pisky Cove - I. Koppelow for always doing the right thing and R. Stainthorpe for great ideas in Literacy.

Greenaway - C. Matthews for always using 'marvelous manners'



# In the news this week

A new robot called Digit, designed to be human-like and that is capable of lifting and moving items, is being tested in warehouses of the online retailer, Amazon. The robot is in its first few weeks of trials at Amazon's facility in Seattle, USA, as the company tries to improve automation in its processes. To begin with, the robot is being taught to pick up and move empty boxes to ensure that they are ready for reuse. The yellow boxes, or totes, are used throughout the company's fulfilment process.

### Things to talk about at home ...

- Do you think that robots will be used more and more in workplaces and homes? If so, what do you feel they will be used for? Why?
- Make a list of jobs that you think robots would be good at and a list of those that you think people will always be needed for.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 1	Year 4	Year 5	Year 3	Year 2
Multi- skills	Games/ Multi-skills	REAL Personal	Games	REAL Personal
Year 4 - This will now be	Year 2	Year 3	Year 1	Year 5
on a Tuesday and Thursday	Net and Wall	REAL Personal	Real Personal	Tennis
Year 6		Year 6		
REAL Personal		Hockey		