

#### Dear Parents / Carers

What a week!

Thank you for your understanding and supporting when the pumps that move the water around the school decided to stop working on Monday. Your quick response to our call to collect the children meant everyone was evacuated safely.

Being part of Cornwall Education Learning Trust meant that we had fast access to the engineers, who along with our fantastic caretaker, managed to get a solution that meant we were up and running again by Wednesday.

Thursday, we had a visit from our new Patron of Reading, Coral Rumble. She really inspired the children and staff and we are looking forward to working with her this year.

Today, we were the centre of the launch of this year's BBC 500 words competition. With a visit from 6 authors along with children and staff from other schools in the town. We are so lucky to have these experiences that will help the children grow as writers and stick in their memories for a long time.

The Autumn weather seems like it is here to stay, along with the darker mornings so don't forget coats and, if walking, something reflective will make a difference

We are very excited!

**Best wishes** 

Simon

Simon Pollard

Head Teacher

#### **Sponsorship Request**

Help Wanted: Following a successful Summer Season of Cricket - our cricket club children hope to now train and compete throughout the year. With this in mind - we are looking for a local company to sponsor some cricket kits. We would love to turn up to our summer season of fixtures in matching kits and looking like a team. If anyone is interested in purchasing and sponsoring a school cricket kit - please contact Emma in the School Office on emoseley@car.celtrust.org



#### DIARY DATES

On *Friday 29 September*, we will be holding a non-uniform day to raise money to go towards school activities

#### On this day, children can come to school wearing their own clothes and we are asking for a donation of £1.00, which can be given to your child's class teacher.

#### September

Sept 18 - Summer Term Clubs will start and run for 10 weeks. Bookable on Parent Pay. Karate will start and run for 8 weeks. Please book via Parent Pay and contact the office if you need more information.

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

Karate - Thursday 28 September to Thursday 30 November.

Sept 21 - First Author Visit—Coral Rumble

Sept 22 - BBC 500 Word Launch Event

Sept 25 - Smile Dental Health Screening for Y1 to Y4. Please see consent letters sent home.

#### October

October 3 - Penrice Open Evening for Year 6 Pupils - 4.30 to 7.30

October 9 - Nasal Flu Vaccines - please login and give consent :

We are due to visit your child's school on Monday 9 October . In order to access the online consent form, please enter or click on the following link https:// www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu PLEASE ENSURE YOU ENTER THE FULL UNIQUE SCHOOL REFERENCE CODE. The code for your child's school is: EE141710

October 10 - Smile Dental Screening for selected pupils. Letters will be sent home.

October 16 - 27 - Half Term Holidays

October 19 - Go Active Holiday Club in School Hall All Day - Book On Parent Pay later this term.



# Friends of Carclaze

It was lovely for us all to meet again last night at our AGM with the added bonus of cheese and wine! This made for a very relaxed atmosphere. We were able to progress some fundraising ideas for the new school year. Fund raising ideas are always welcome even if you cannot make the meetings, please feel free to share your ideas either by email at:

friendsofcarclazeschool@outlook.com, secretary@car.celtrust.org or by popping into the school office.

One thing that came out of last night's meeting was that in the run up to our Christmas and Summer Fairs, it becomes very stressful as we don't know how many volunteers we will get on the day to help. If you can help in any way, however small, please can you let us know well in advance by email or popping into the school office, as this will save an enormous amount of uncertainty. We are always in need of additional face painters, so if you can help with this that would be brilliant. Also if you can run a stall and can let us know well in advance, that would also be brilliant. Once again we are very grateful for any help and your continued support.

Date of next meeting: 11th October 2023 - 7pm

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### Attendance Ladder



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

90% is not good!

1 School Year @ 90%

attendance=<u>4</u> whole weeks of lessons missed!

> That's <u>100</u> HOURS OF LEARNING MISSED!

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#### **Certificate Winners**

Mawgan Porth - Z.MacKenzie for settling in to Carclaze and making lots of new friends.

Greenaway - O.Turner for positive contributions to classroom discussions. P.R Turner-Reynolds for settling in and showing the brilliant behaviours well.



### **In the news this week**

In recent weeks, both India and Russia's space agencies have tried to send unmanned missions to the Moon. They were heading to the lunar South Pole, which is a less explored part of the Moon. Whilst Russia's shuttle crashed into the Moon's surface after spinning out of control, India has become the first nation to land near the Moon's South Pole. The mission, named Chandrayaan-3, has been declared a success as the Vikram lander touched down at the end of August. The lunar South Pole is covered by shadow and largely unknown.

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

Share your thoughts on the recent competition for countries to reach the Moon's South Pole.

Is space exploration something that interests you? What do you think we can learn from exploring space? Reminder:

Please can we remind parents that we are a 'nut free' school. Due to allergies of both other children and staff, please do not send any nut based products into school for snacks or lunches. Sadly, this does include some chocolate spreads and cereal bars etc

Many thanks

#### **Parent Behaviour**

We expect parents to demonstrate the good behaviour we want of our children. Unfortunately on a few occasions this week this has not been the case.

Please consider the following:

#### **Parking**

We have one of the biggest car parks of any school around but it is still tricky to fit everyone in. We are working on some solutions but in the meantime, please do not park on the paved area. Please consider parking a little further away and walking.

#### Speaking to the office staff

The staff in the office want to help. If you are feeling cross, worried or disappointed please do not shout or swear at them.

#### Parent disagreements

If another parent's actions upset you - for example their parking - please think about how you respond. Rather than shout and swear please report them to the office (with their registration number).

If you believe another child has hurt or upset your child please come and speak to a member of school staff so that we can find out the whole story. Do not send angry messages to the other child's parent online. This can be online abuse and will not solve a problem.

When we identify poor parent behaviour we will follow the policy that means issuing a warning and then, if it persists, banning parents from the school premises.

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

## SCHOOL HOLIDAY CAMPS DURING OCTOBER HALF-TERM

ALL CHILDREN AGED 2-12 YEARS FULLY QUALIFIED COACHES FUN FOOTBALL FOR EVERYONE PRIZES, MEDALS & GIVEAWAYS SIBLING & CLUB TEAM DISCOUNTS EARLY DROP-OFF AVAILABLE

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## ST. AUSTELL FIREWORK NIGHT

FRIDAY 3RD NOVEMBER DOORS OPEN 18:00

> TICKETS AV AILABLE FROM MARTYN: 07528 750 002 - CALL OR TEXT

FULLY SERVICED BAR AT MEMBERS PRICES

EARLYBIRD TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM CRICKET CLUB - SAT 23RD SEPTEMBER 10-12PM FOR E12 PER FAMILY

FAMILY - £16 TWO ADULTS + TWO CHILDREN

FIRST 100 FAMILY TICKETS ONLY £12

ADULT - £6

CHILD - £4

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION MESSAGE ON FACEBOOK:

ST AUSTELL CRICKET CLUB PRIVATE HIRE

BBQ SOUP TEA & COFFEE SWEET STALL SPARKLERS & GLOW STICKS

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