

Dear Parents / carers

The right words can spark a child's imagination, calm their minds and improve their wellbeing. Magic happens when they read about what interests them.

Yesterday (10th October) was <u>#WorldMentalHealthDay</u>. The Theme this year was "take 10 minutes to read", something we encourage everyday a Carclaze.

Looking after your mental health is also something that needs to be prioritised everyday. You can join in with Take 10 at home, too. Finding time to read together is a great way to build special memories and help you both relax.

Whether it's a book about unicorns, a superhero comic or an adventure story about a child just like yours, spark their imagination and boost their wellbeing. Try it for 10 minutes today and see where it takes you.

Best wishes

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#### Diary Dates

Tuesday 15 October - Nasal Flu Immunisations for All - see opt in letters sent home

**Wednesday 16 October** - Harvest Festival - please send in Food Donations to School with your child - the foodbank will collect on Thursday 17 October 2024. Our Harvest Assembly will be for the children only this year.

#### Friday 18 October - School Closed for Staff Training

#### Half Term - Friday 18 October to Friday 1 November 2024

#### 31 October 2024 - Deadline for Secondary Transfer Applications to www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

**Monday 4 November** - Back to School - Parent Consultations will take place this week. Bookings will be opening on eschools - login at www.carclazesch.org

Tuesday 5 November - No Cook and Taste Club - due to Parent Consultations

**EYFS Tour and Explore Dates for 2025 New Starters** 

Thursday 14 November 2024 at 3.30

Friday 15 November 2024 at 10.00

Wednesday 20 November 2024 at 3.30

Friday 22 November 2024 at 10.00

#### **Certificate Winners**

Pisky Cove - H.Warder-Dingle for improved concentration, J.McShane for showing kindness and H.Haidara for beautiful concentration when handwriting.

Perranporth - K.Potter for wonderful maths work, you really sparkle. B.Lean for caring about his work - always working carefully and thoughtfully.

Carlyon Bay - E.Yeo for always trying her best in everything she does.

Bamaluz - S.Sharp for always being so attentive and showing us the 'Carclaze Way'.



## In the news this week

UK Prime Minister, Sir Keir Starmer, has faced questioning and criticism recently for accepting free gifts. The Prime Minister has said he would continue to accept such gifts, despite the negative comments, stating that he is not doing anything wrong. Sir Keir, an Arsenal football fan, has also come under pressure for receiving thousands of pounds worth of football tickets. Although he is already an Arsenal season ticket holder, Sir Keir explained that security concerns mean he can no longer watch games from his usual seat in the stands.

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

- Do you believe politicians should always be allowed to accept free gifts?
- Can you make a list of the different times you give people gifts, and times you receive them?
- Do you prefer to give or receive gifts? Ask your people at home what they think.

# **!Attendance Matters!**

			WHOLE SCHOOL	
			ATTENDANCE	
			<b>96</b> %	
PERRANPORTH				
	Ţ	••	HUGE Well Done To Perranporth!!	
Charlestown	<b>96</b> %		100% achieved this	
Polkerris	<mark>96</mark> %		week. Enjoy your extra 10 minutes	
Pisky Cove	<b>91</b> %		playtime!	
Porthpean	<b>94</b> %			
Greenaway	<b>96</b> %			
Mawgan Porth	<b>99</b> %		INCLUSIVITY AT CARCLAZE Inclusivity is so important to us here at Carclaze. We understand that every child has their own experiences and that sickness happens. After a four week rolling period, any pupil either	
Carlyon Bay	<mark>93</mark> %			
Perranporth	100%			
Harlyn Bay	<b>94</b> %			
Sennen	<b>99</b> %			
Bamaluz	<b>93</b> %		showing a significant improvement in their attendance or achieving 100% of their agreed timetable	
Porthluney	93%			
Hemmick	<b>96</b> %		are also celebrated.	
Polzeath	<b>98</b> %			







REMINDER— We require contact the morning of your child being ill for us to be able to authorise their absence.

The attendance policy is available for you to have a read through on our website.





Routine appointments should be booked out of school hours whenever possible. We acknowledge that some appointments are unavoidably in school time or are difficult to come by. In that instance, please kindly pop to the office and show the appointment confirmation to us or you can simply screenshot your appointment and send a copy to ktaylor@car.celtrust.org

We understand that some children are reluctant to come to school or have barriers that could be attributing to their attendance. We encourage parents /carers and children to please come and talk to us. We have so many resources available that could be a great help to you and your family.





### Event's & Meeting dates

Events Planning (All Welcome) - Wednesday 13th November – 7pm

Non-Uniform Day in lieu of Jolly Jam Jars - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November

Non-Uniform Day in lieu of a Bottle - Friday 29th November

Christmas Fayre - Saturday 30th November 1-3pm

### YOU SAVED THE CHRISTMAS FAYRE!

With the support of school staff and parents we can run the Christmas Fayre. Thank you to everyone who has offered to help, we really couldn't hold the event without you.

We do have a few stalls that are low in volunteers so please get in touch if you can help.

friendsofcarclazeschool@outlook.com or drop us a message on our Friends of

Carclaze School Facebook page.



Asda Cashpot Update: £733.66



Online shop will close at midday on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> October





## HELP SUPPORT YOUR FOODBANK WITH FOOD AND FUNDS THIS HARVEST

## DONATE FOOD

Help by donating an item or two from our shopping list to ensure we can provide food to help people in crisis.



## DONATE MONEY

Help to cover the costs of storing and distributing food, as well as developing sustainable projects.



### SHOPPING LIST TOP TEN ITEMS

INSTANT MASH LONG LIFE JUICE TINNED CUSTARD RICE PUDDING JAM COFFEE TINNED SOUP TINNED FRUIT TINNED VEGETABLES TINNED SPAGHETTI

Don't forget... You can help transform more lives with a financial donation too.





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## HOME INFORMATION

## **October's Musician of the Month**

Iracy Chapman



### Books to read...







About: Tracy Chapman (born in Cleveland, U.S.A. on March 30, 1964) is an American singersongwriter. Chapman is best known for her hit singles "Fast Car" and "Give Me One Reason". She is politically and socially active and is very passionate about supporting human rights. She has also been involved with Cleveland's elementary schools, producing an educational music video, highlighting achievements in African-American history.

Genres: Folk, Blues, Rock, Pop & Soul

Active from: 1986 - Present

Origin: Cleveland, U.S.A.

If you like Tracy Chapman, try...

- Natalie Merchant
- Eva Cassidy
- Bob Dylan

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