



ST PIRAN'S
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MULTI-ACADEMY TRUST

"Learning that lasts a lifetime"

Newsletter

What a windy start to our Spring 2 half-term! Our year 3 and 4 pirates were swept in on Monday and had a whale of a time hunting for treasure; Reception children are keeping their eyes peeled for the owner of some very large 'giant' footprints; KS1 children have been busy constructing model vehicles fit for exploring the moon; years 5 and 6 have been busy preparing to wow everyone with their knowledge of all things Japanese and nursery children have found out all about being an RNLI volunteer, including how wet you get! Our immersive curriculum is ensuring all children continue to be enthused and challenged in their learning. I hope you are able to come and see for yourselves when we hold our Open Afternoon later this term. Meanwhile, I'm looking forward to 'helping' our year 5 and 6 children with their sushi-making next week.....yum!!!

We've got a busy week ahead of us next week with pancakes, a sporting star and books, books, books! Please read the rest of the newsletter for full details. Have a lovely weekend, whatever the weather.

Mrs Carmichael, Head of School

It has come to our attention that some adults are making disrespectful comments to other parents whilst dropping off or picking up their children. As **RESPECT** is one of our core Christian values, we hope that all parents will join us in modelling how to speak respectfully to each other and refrain from using inappropriate language on the school site.

Many thanks.

Parentpay—Wraparound Care

We understand that on the rare occasion there is a need for your child to be dropped off without booking them in on Parentpay. If this happens, please could you log onto your account and pay the outstanding amount as soon as possible. We also need to know the amount of children attending our BBkids to ensure the staff ratio's are met.

Unfortunately, we would not be able to take any more bookings if this is not settled.

Many Thanks

This week BBeebies had a very special visitor. A member of St Agnes Lifeboat crew, our very own Mr Daysh came to talk to us about another role he has in helping the community.

We learnt all about the RNLI and how they keep the coast and beaches of Cornwall safe. He told us all about his boat the Excalibur, the other crew members and some of the different rescue missions they have embarked on. He came to nursery in his special protective outfit called a dry suit, we all had a go at squirting the garden hose at him and to our amazement he remained warm and dry!



Our Christian values: Compassion, forgiveness, trust, respect, courage and perseverance

DIARY DATES

Ash Wednesday Communion—Postponed due to technical difficulties

World Book Day—3rd March (Pyjama theme) -all parents/ carers and grandparents welcome at 2.30pm

St Piran's Day—5th March

London Information Evening—8th March at 4pm

LKS2 trip—Newquay Aquarium—9th March

British Science Week—13th—17th March

Open Afternoon for our Immersive Curriculum—20th March at 1.30pm (more details to follow)

Red Nose Day—24th March (children's charity dress up day, more details to follow)

Year 5 Residential Trip to London—29th—31st March

End of Spring Term—31st March

Summer Term beings—Tuesday 18th April

Year 6 SATs Week—8th—11th May

Year 3 Residential Trip to Camp Kernow—22nd—23rd May

Year 4 Residential Trip to Porthpean—22nd—24th May

Year 6 Residential Trip to Barton Hall—19th—23rd June

We have a toddler group here every Wednesday in term time, please come along. 1.45pm—3pm

Polite reminder: If your child is off with a sickness or diarrhoea bug, they need to be off for 48hours without any illness, to avoid any further spreading of the bug.

If your child is unwell and absent from school it is really important to call the office on 01726 64322 by 9am to inform us and avoid any unauthorised absences.



Attendance by Class

Little Doves	98.3
Little Fish	95.0
Little Lambs	95.3
Peacocks	97.0
Phoenix	94.3
Pelicans	92.3
Angels	94.1
Faith	98.6
Hope	90.7



Congratulations to Faith Class with 98.6% attendance!

Shrove Tuesday/Pancake Day

Pancake day is nearly upon us which means our annual pancake race is just around the corner! For reception/ nursery pupils and parents, this may be your first experience of this exciting event- here are the details...

- **prepare a pancake (real or a cardboard replicate in a frying pan)**
- **label the pan with your child's name**
- **send this in with your child on February 28th**

On the day, children are called in classes to complete a short, fun race up and down the playground with their peers!

Look out for text reminders to follow.

We will, of course, be reminding children of the reasons why we celebrate Shrove Tuesday in this way.



WORLD BOOK DAY

Due to our Olympic visitor arriving on Thursday 2nd March, we will be celebrating World Book Day on **Friday 3rd March**. We are very excited about our World Book Day at BB! This year, we would like our children to come to school in their pyjamas and at 2.30pm, we would like to invite parents and grandparents to share a story with their child in school (pyjamas optional). As if that wasn't enough, we are going to be enjoying 'sharing stories' throughout the day. We are asking for a £1 donation to be made for wearing our pyjamas. This money will be sent to Book Aid International, which raises money to be able to send books to African schools, libraries and classrooms. It is going to be a brilliant day! Thank you.
Mrs Cleaves





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Emergency Action Plan

In accordance with Government guidelines, we regularly review our emergency action procedures. Set out below is a brief overview of our procedures to ensure that all pupils and staff remain safe at all times.

In the event of a disaster such as fire, gas leak, bomb threat or any other incident where the building cannot be occupied:

When students are on site, the fire bells will ring to instigate a whole school evacuation to the designated safe areas.

The Senior Leadership team will decide, in liaison with the emergency services, on the next action. If we are instructed to evacuate, we will walk all students to Bethel Chapel. As part of this procedure:

- A text will be sent to all parents / carers informing them of the action being taken
- Students will remain at Bethel Chapel until collected by one of their named contacts.

Thank you for your support with this. I really do hope that this never happens, but if it does, we can work together and keep our children safe.