

Together with Love, we can Inspire, Discover and Thrive

MESSAGE FROM MISS KENNEDY

16th July 2021

Wolf Rock- I would like to thank Mr Mayman in Wolf Rock for his support during Mr Salway's absence. He has worked extremely hard to maintain the high standards that Mr Salway has set. Here is a little information about him:

Dear folks my name is Mr Mayman and I am currently working in Wolfrock class covering Mr Salway's whilst he is away on paternity leave. I have worked in Primary Education for the last 11 years across a number of year groups including 4,5 & 6. I am really looking forward to spending time at Grampound Road school working with your children at this important time of the year and ensuring they have a memorable end to what has been an unusual year.

The Roseland-Mrs Roseanna Penrose, the learning leader for lower school at the Roseland dropped into school today to talk to the children about their new school. She was able to answer any questions the children had about their next chapter in their education journey.

Covid update-Although the government are relaxing restrictions around Covid 19 on the 19th July, positive cases are surging with the highest number of cases since January. The chief medical advisor only this morning has said that we aren't out of the woods yet and that we could face another lockdown. The track and trace is causing problems with many people self-isolating because of the app. I cannot guarantee that our school will even be fully operational next week, as each day we face the risk of another outbreak or staff going into isolation which could potentially lead to class closures. We are working hard to mitigate the risks in school as it has always been our priority to remain open, please continue to socially distance during drop off and pick up and to wear a mask.

I would like to thank everyone in our school community for your continued support, we often receive positive emails from parents which we do share with staff and positivity is a great motivator!

Miss Kennedy's Star Pupil this week is Fynley K for his fabulous effort in school this week. Super proud!

STAFF STAR OF THE WEEK



MISS HOSKING

Recently I received some training and the trainer talked about professional integrity and marking going hand in hand. I hadn't considered this before, but he went on to explain that a child who has put in a huge amount of effort into eg. a piece of writing, needs the feedback from the teacher to motivate them to improve and complete the next piece of writing that the teacher will no doubt ask them to do. Children who do not receive quality feedback can be demoralised, which can affect their self-esteem. I then started to think about our teachers, who all consistently mark books, because they already know how important this is. The teachers just do it, without necessarily linking it to professional integrity. Miss Hosking has been consistently and thoroughly marking books for 28 years. She has marked nearly 500,000 books during that time. Every day at the end of the day she religiously takes those two bags full of books home, she then takes her time marking those books. Miss Hosking's arms must have certainly lengthened during those 28 years! If that doesn't deserve the staff star of the week, I don't know what does! **Miss Hosking I salute, you are an inspiration not only to me but to the 840 children that you have taught.**



Wolf

Rock



Firstly, I must give a MASSIVE well done to every Rocker on the respect, and manners, that they have shown to our supply teacher Mr Mayman.

Similarly, a big thank you to Mr Mayman for his support and dedication to the whole class. Earlier this week we had group debates where the Rockers put their excellent points across in favour of going abroad v staying in Cornwall, television v reading and sport v gaming.

Also, Mr Mayman has introduced a fantastic project where the group research a favourite topic then produce pieces of art, literacy, poetry (and more) on this topic - examples of art are shown. This has really been bought into by the Rockers and given them a great focus.

Mr Jory.

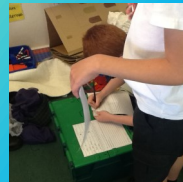


Tater Du

It's been brilliant to see most people back in the classroom this week, and we have been continuing with our measurement, shape and space problems in Maths as well as Balanced Arguments in Literacy. We had a great day on Monday using playdough, straws and plastic shapes to construct 3D shapes and their nets. We also investigated how to soundproof a box by using different materials.

On Thursday, we had some great PE and Dance lessons and it is so lovely to see the children enjoying our wonderful outdoor space. We found a baby bird on the ground and put it back up in the hedge for its mother to find. We've been conducting our own surveys and changing the data collected into graphs on the computer. Dogs and footballers seem very popular! Finally, we've been arguing about whether certain people are heroes or villains and drawing our own pictures of them.

Take care in the hot sun this weekend. ☺



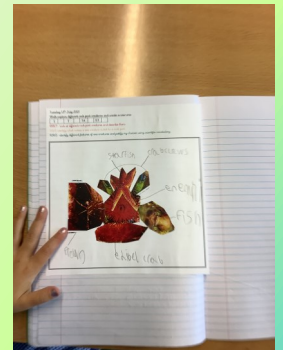
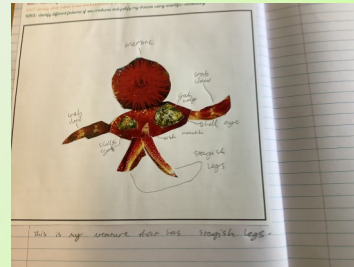
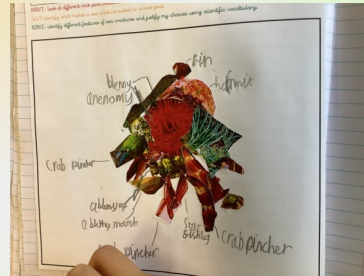
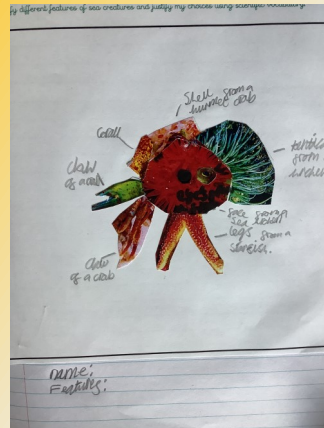
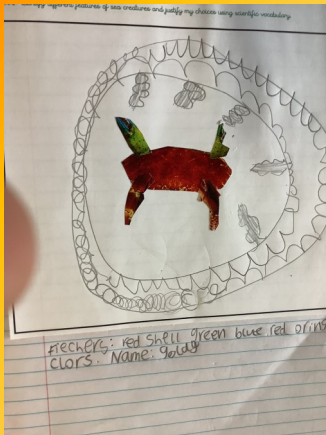


This week we have enjoyed creating our own sea creatures! We have been using different pictures to design our very own sea creature. From lobster claws and anemone antenna, we have been so creative! Have a look at some of our creations below.

We have also been writing our own journey tales in Literacy, using our amazing imaginations to write exciting stories about adventures of different sea creatures.

On Wednesday, we enjoyed getting creative using different shells and netting to make patterns and doing observational drawings of some beautiful shells.

Well done for a great week, Trevose!



Happy birthday to Chace, he will be 5 on the 18th July.

Pendeen

We have been making the most of the beautiful weather this week in Pendeen class. We have been getting outside as much as possible and using our sheltered area to stay safe in the sun. The children have been using nonfiction text in their Read Write Inc. work this week and have enjoyed spotting the set two sounds in the playground. In our maths work we have been focusing on doubling and halving. For our topic work the children have made frozen flower ice cubes and enjoyed making naturally scented 'soap' in the water table. We have also looked at keeping our bodies healthy through healthy eating. The children enjoyed learning the song 'The Sun Has Got His Hat On' and playing musical instruments to the beat whilst singing.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Wilton, Miss Kennedy and Miss Buckley



A MESSAGE FROM MR JORY

Forest School

"Hello everyone. I would like to take this opportunity to show the incredible progression of our vegetable raised beds, as shown in the pictures below, culminating in a small crop of potatoes, carrots and dwarf peas. The Forest School group proudly showing off their harvest have obviously invested plenty of time themselves but, perhaps one could argue, that this group had the luxury of sowing the seeds and harvesting the veg. Consequently, we must not forget all of the other groups who have grafted hard clearing out loads of stones (and weeds) starting back in September 2020. A massive well done to all 😊.



"It's been fantastic to see girls from Wolf Rock building a den this week, which has given them a quiet space to eat their lunch and have a chat. Great work 😊 "

Mrs Colclough

Weather report

From a weather viewpoint warm/hot, and sunny, looks the order of the day over the weekend and into next week. I do love a good storm, which tend to be rare in Cornwall, and only minimal signs of such an outcome during the middle of next week."

BUMBLE BEES

Our topic in Bumble Bees this week is Anger. We created our own 'Worry Friend' who helps us make the right choices if we feel we are angry. We also made some worry pouches to keep our worries in.

Mrs Tapson



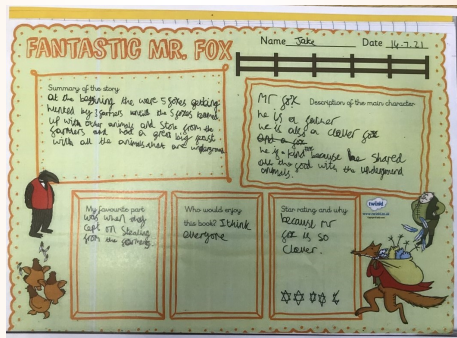
BUMBLE BEE OF THE WEEK

WELL DONE TO FEARNE

As she had shown us, just because she had a bad day, with time to think and using strategies that she had learnt, Fearne managed to complete tasks and was proud of what she had achieved.

Readers Review : By Jake M

Title: Fantastic Mr Fox



Your shout.....

Your
Voice
Matters

I love listening to the baby birds in the nest chirping

Wow look at the sunflowers miss



Tristan's Riddle

Which letter of the alphabet has the most water? The "C"

Mrs Godwin's Brain Teaser

What is at the end of the rainbow?

W!





STARS OF THE WEEK



Class Name	Star of the week	Values Trustworthy	Whole Class
P E N D E E N	Amelia For her excellent attitude towards learning Brilliant!	Mylee For being a trustworthy member of Pendeen and always doing the right thing. Lovely!	To all of Pendeen For always working together as a team and supporting each other in their Learning.
T R E V O S E	Grace For a brilliant attitude to learning, always trying her best and working with her friends in a calm and sensible manner. Well done	Alice For always being a trustworthy member of our class and following our school rules faultlessly. Fantastic	To all in Trevose For wonderful focus in topic, using creativity and imagination to design our own sea creatures. Brilliant work everyone
T A T E R D U	George For his maturity, helpfulness and hard work across the curriculum this week.	Dylan For trusting his friends and being kind towards others. Lovely to see	To all in Tater Du For working hard on your times tables and being incredible mathematicians—we're so proud of you all!
W O L F R O C K	Sarah For personally going up to members of staff and thanking them for their hard work. Your manners and attitude are lovely.	Rufus for his consistent manners, respect and empathy to peers and staff alike. Well done!	To all of Wolfrock for their brilliant attitude with Mr Mayman and embracing the project on their favourite topic. Brilliant!

ATTENDANCE

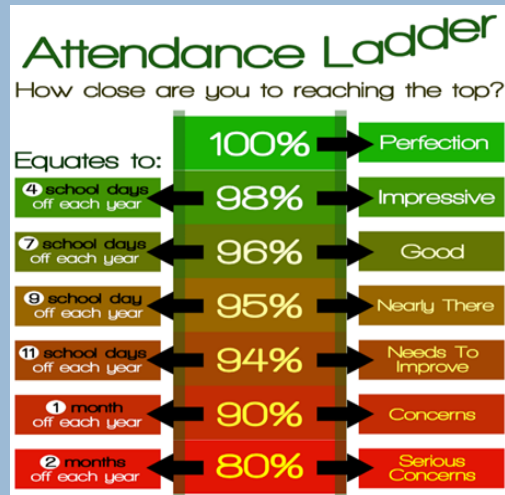
Expected average attendance for a child is 96.1%. Our attendance for last week was:

Pendeen: 94.2% Trevose: 97.6 % Tater Du: 83.3 % Wolfrock: 98.6 %

In accordance with our attendance policy we will be sending some children home with attendance letters during the term to help keep you informed of your child's attendance in line with the new RAG (red, amber, green system). Below are the band widths, as a reminder, if your child falls into one of these coloured bands a letter will be sent home.

GREEN Band 96% to 93% **AMBER** Band 93% to 90% **RED** Band Below 90% (PERSISTENT ABSENTEE) This is a government definition.

TATER DU CLASS RETURNED FOR ONE DAY AFTER BUBBLE REOPENED.



How to contact us:

The office is open Monday-Friday 8.30am-3.30pm

Outside these hours, please leave a message on the answer machine or email

grampoundroad.secretary@celticcross.education. We will endeavour to answer your emails during office hours.



Contact the class teachers through dojo or if you would like to speak to the class teacher or head of school please call to make an appointment. Dismissing pupils at the end of the day is a very busy time, if you would like to discuss something in detail please call the office between the above hours and we will pass the message onto the teacher. We thank you for your patience and understanding.



Supporting young people, and their families, with positive mental health

We recognise that this time of national lockdown may be difficult for children and young people. How a child or young person reacts to being away from school, and their normal routine, may vary according to their age, understanding, their previous experience of lockdown and how they typically cope with stress. Addressing the mental health of your child, and those in your family, can be supported with some of the following resources:

Public Health England have produced the following set of guidance for parents and carers: <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/covid-19-guidance-on-supporting-children-and-young-peoples-mental-health-and-wellbeing>

Every Mind Matters: A website that explores expert advice and practical tips to help you look after your mental health and wellbeing: <https://www.nhs.uk/oneyou/every-mind-matters/>

May we remind you that, if you have concerns about your child's wellbeing, or the wellbeing or safeguarding of another pupil, please contact the school immediately on: Miss S Kennedy 01726 882646

IMPORTANT

We break up on Friday 23rd July 2021 at the usual time.

Please remember to book school dinners via ParentPay. Menu options different due to provisions being used up.

Please see Page 9 for alternative menu options



Drop off and pick up times:

8.45 am—All children dropped to pedestrian gate teachers will line children up and take them to classes.

3.10pm Pendeen and Trevose collected from pedestrian gate.

3.15pm Tater Du and Wolfrock collected from pedestrian gate.

Lunch Plan

12-12.30 Pendeen & Trevose eat in the Hall then go out to play.

12-12.30 Tater Du have lunch in class then go out to play.

12.30-1pm Wolfrock come inside and eat lunch in classroom,.

Term Dates 2021-2022

Autumn Term: Monday 6th September - Friday 17th December 2021 (**Monday 6th & Tuesday 7th September are INSET DAYS**)

Half Term: 25th - 29th October 2021

Spring Term: Tuesday 4th January - Friday 8th April 2022

Half Term: 21st - 25th February 2022

Summer Term: Monday 25th April - Tuesday 26th July 2022

Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022

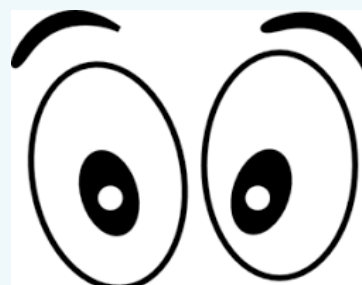
Half Term: 30th May - 3rd June 2022

Bank Holiday: Monday 6th June 2022.

INSET DAYS:

06/09/21, 07/09/21, 01/11/21, 25/07/22,

26/07/22.



Ladock Church Children's Sunday Club

Resuming on Sunday 23rd May!

11am

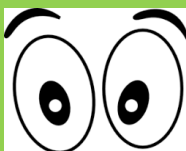


Please join us every 4th Sunday of the month for exciting activities, arts and crafts, games, bible stories and lots of fun in a Covid safe environment.

Roxana

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WPC
SCHOOL SUMMER HOLIDAY
CRICKET CAMPS
IN CORNWALL

WHERE?
FIND A CRICKET CLUB VENUE NEAR YOU

WHO?
• MIXED & GIRLS ONLY CAMPS
• CAMPS FOR 5-15 YEAR OLDS

WHY?
A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO HAVE THE KIDS ENTERTAINED AND TO IMPROVE THEIR CRICKET SKILLS

WHAT?
SOFTBALL/EQUIPMENT PROVIDED (COVID CLEAN)

GRAY-NICOLLS
ALL PARTICIPANTS TO RECEIVE 20% OFF GRAY-NICOLLS ONLINE SHOP & CORNWALL CRICKET CERTIFICATE

WIN ONE OF TWO GRAY-NICOLLS BATS BY SIMPLY ATTENDING CORNWALL CRICKET HOLIDAY CAMPS BETWEEN NOW AND SUMMER 2021. YOU'LL BE AUTOMATICALLY ENTERED FOR EACH TIME YOU PARTICIPATE. DRAW TO BE MADE AUGUST 2021.

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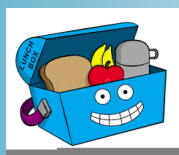
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<https://blackbirdreads.turtl.co/story/blackbirdpie-2021-summer/>

or use the shortened version: <https://bit.ly/3hFUmC9>



**MENU OPTIONS FOR WEEK COMMENCING 19TH JULY. THESE WILL BE THE ALTERNATIVE
MENU PLEASE BOOK VIA PARENTPAY**

THEY WILL NOT BE THE OPTIONS ON THERE BUT THESE ARE THE EQUIVALENT REPLACEMENTS

Day	Meat	Veg	Jacket
Monday	Macaroni Cheese	Veg Mexican Roll	Jacket
Tuesday	Sausage roll	Veg Sausage	Jacket
Wednesday	Roast chicken	Quorn roast	Jacket
Thursday	Chicken Pasta bake	Cheese n tomato French bread pizza	Jacket
Friday	Fish Fingers	Veg sausage	Jacket