

Together with Love, we can Inspire, Discover and Thrive

8th October 2021

MESSAGE FROM MISS KENNEDY

Last week we had a visitor in school, Sam Lentern leads PE in our trust and she had a meeting with Mr Salway. It was lovely to hear that she was very impressed by the nice calm atmosphere. She observed classes and noted how focused the children are in their learning. It is always great to hear positive feedback from visitors and the children are very well mannered and considerate, a credit to you all!

Yesterday we held a Harvest Festival and all the classes performed in the hall. The children read some lovely poems, sang and showed crafted wreaths and harvest crowns. We learnt about the important job farmers do in providing food for us, and we gave the farmers a round of applause. We have many children who are part of the farming community and it was clear to see how proud they are. For some children it is a new experience performing to a whole school, but they all joined in with enthusiasm and it was a super event.

Miss Eastham has booked in her reading forum for the 19th October, we hope to see Trevoise parents attend.

Have a great weekend.

Head of School Stars of the week



Pupil Star of the week

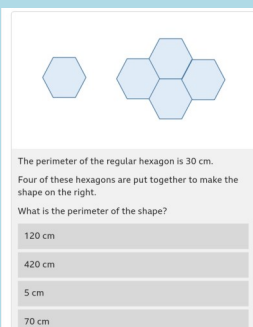
Head of school star of the week-Lucy in Trevoise for her part in the harvest festival, very clear and expressive reading, well done!

Staff star of the week

Head of school staff star of the week-Miss Warne for always being enthusiastic and happy in school.

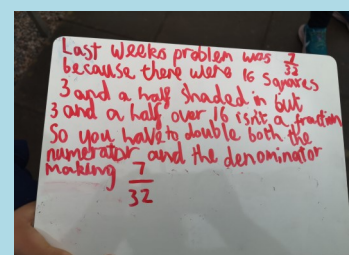
**problem
SOLVing**

Abi and Phoenix's Maths problem:



Answer for last week's

challenge



Happy birthday
to Daisy

Pendeen

Happy birthday
to Jack C

This week in Pendeen class, the children have been busy learning about repeating patterns. The children have made repeating patterns by threading beads, using different coloured cubes and colouring snake pictures. The children have also been busy learning new sounds in their phonics and are learning to blend these sounds into words. In PE this week, we have been looking at catching beanbags. In our topic work, the children have been taking photos of their friends and describing the qualities that make them a good friend.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Wilton and Miss Kennedy



Happy birthday to
Aria

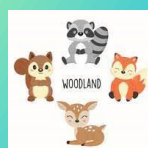
Trevose

This week in Trevose class we have been creating Harvest wreaths for our Harvest festival. We thought about what we are thankful for and created colourful wreaths to celebrate. In Maths we have been ordering numbers and learning about fact families. We have been challenged with addition and subtraction and have worked hard to solve the missing number questions.

We had great fun on Wednesday with Mr. Jory doing forest school. We used a range of natural materials to create enchanted woodland creatures and gave them a name. Our creations were fantastic!



Harvest
Festival!!



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Tater Du



We have had a brilliant week using our descriptive writing skills to describe Alice's venture down the rabbit hole and the Mad Hatter's Tea Party. I have been really impressed with their language choices and sentence openers. Well done everybody! We also learnt about Shakespeare's tragedy Romeo and Juliet using some lovely BBC Bitesize resources. They loved the story retold in the style of a song! We are also going to read a little bit of Macbeth later in the term as we concoct our own potions!

For the Harvest Festival, we read a story about "Sophie's Harvest" that shows us that we all have gifts we can bring to others, even if we don't have physical gifts. We can share our kindness and care too. We also created our own Harvest Crowns using autumnal designs.

Have a beautiful weekend. 😊



JOKE OF THE WEEK:

How do you stop an astronaut's baby from crying? You Rocket!!!!

Happy birthday to
Betty who will be 9

Wolf Rock

This week in Wolf Rock, we have been finishing our suspense stories and have spent two days analysing Charles Cauley's poem, 'Lulu'. The questions posed throughout each stanza prompted fantastic discussion and every child had something to offer the debate. Within the poem is mention of a crumpled note and the children will now write what they believe was written on the paper. I will photograph some of the responses for you to check out next week. Rockers have been working hard crunching numbers - Year 6 have been using formal methods to multiply numbers and Y5 have been adding four-digit numbers. Do you know what a Drunkard's Cloak is? How about a Ducking Stool?

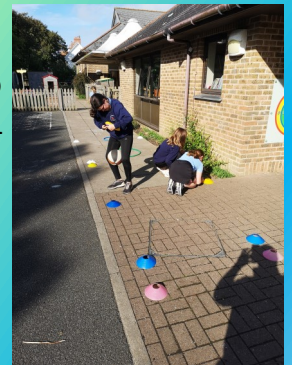


These are terms now familiar with the class as we looked at forms of punishment from the torturous Tudor times.

We discovered that the punishments during this time were brutal and were there to cause as much pain as possible.

Finally, in PE, we have been creating our own circuits with the aim of increasing heart rate. Thank you, Mr. Jory, Mrs. Warne and Mr. Reece for all your help this week.

Have a super weekend.



Wolfrock Class whole class collaboration with assistance from Mr Reece

Wolf Rock Harvest Festival Poem

Harvest is a happy time...

Apples and tomatoes that are red when ripe.

Rejoice, and thank the Lord, for these types.

Vehicles bring vegetables to our plates.

Eating and sharing vegetables with your mates.

Seeds are tidied – they're on their way.

Time to thank and celebrate – harvest is here today.

Farmers working hard in their field.

Extracting fruit, and fluffy caulis, as their yield.

Sweet sound of smiling choirs singing their songs.

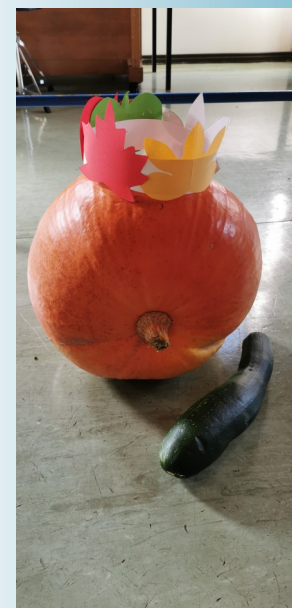
The church bells greet parishioners as they bong.

I love this amazing, happy time.

Vegetables, fruit and bread are so sublime.

Autumn's golden leaves falling down.

Lasting, loving memories in our town.



Harvest
Festival!



Forest School with Mr Jory

On Wednesday, Trevoze created their own 'Enchanted Characters' from leaves, twigs and other 'bits' that they had previously collected. Each character was given a name (Magic, Buttercup, Violet, Hedgehop and Flap to name a few). As you can see from the pictured collage, there are some creative imaginations within the class - potential budding artists and designers 😊.



Mr Jory's weather predication

On the weather front high pressure looks to be taking control, therefore generally settled is the theme over the weekend and into next week.

Cam and Maisy's Family Fitness Challenge

Cam and Maisy's family fitness challenge: Complete 10 Jumping Jacks for every goal England score against Andorra on Saturday.





STARS OF THE WEEK



Class Name	Star of the week	Values Respect	Whole Class
P E N D E E N	Ellie for having a great attitude to her learning. Lovely to see!	Ryley For being respectful to adults and children throughout the school and showing such lovely manners.	To all the children in Pendeen For working so hard to learn the words for the Harvest Festival Song Thank you!
T R E V O S E	Thomas KJ For his brilliant knowledge of number in Maths! Fantastic!	Allexis For showing respect to others, listening thoughtfully, and reflecting on how other people might feel.	To all in Trevoise class For brilliant focus on Phonics. You were all amazing.
T A T E R D U	Arlo For his fabulous contributions in Maths. Well done!	Dylan For always being super respectful towards adults and children. Lovely to see.	To all of Tater Du For being STARS In their Harvest Festival performance. Great effort!
W O L F R O C K	Ellie-Maii Thank you for all your hard work this week. You always work hard and can be relied upon To support others in their learning.	Martha You are kind, you are thoughtful, you are polite and you listen well to others in discussion. Thank you for being so respectful.	To all in Wolfrock For creating a wonderful Harvest Festival poem It is lovely. Thank you

ATTENDANCE

Expected average attendance for a child is 96.1%. Our attendance figures for last week were as follows:

Pendeen: 92.1 % Trevose: 86.7 % Tater Du: 95.8 % Wolfrock: 92.7 %

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.



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

DON'T FORGET

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRE BOOK ALL WRAPAROUND CARE IN

ADVANCE TO ENABLE US TO HAVE THE NECESSARY STAFF ON SITE FOR THIS PROVISION.

THIS MUST BE DONE VIA PARENTPAY AND PAID FOR AT THE TIME OF BOOKING.

THIS ALSO APPLIES TO SCHOOL DINNERS WHICH MUST BE BOOKED IN ADVANCE.

Thank you

ASTHMA REGISTER



If your child has asthma please let us know, you will need to fill a form in and return to school along with an in date inhaler IN A CLEAR BAG WHICH IS NAMED.

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 Trevose collected from pedestrian gate.

3.15pm Tater Du and Wolfrock collected from pedestrian gate.

Pendeen will have their own transitional plans next week.

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

12.30-1pm Trevose and Tater Du eat in the hall.

Pin me on the fridge

Wolfrock Class trip to Bodmin Jail Wednesday 13th October

Trevose Class Reading Forum with Miss Eastham

Tuesday 19th October 2021

Parents Evening Consultations for Trevose, Tater Du and Wolfrock class are open for bookings via [grampoundroad.parentseveningsystem](http://grampoundroad.parentseveningsystem.com) on Monday 8th November and Wednesday 10th November.

There will be No Creative Club on Monday 8th November

Term Dates 2021-2022

Autumn Term: Monday 6th September - Friday 17th December 2021
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 - Friday 22nd July 2022

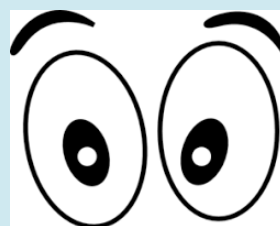
Bank Holiday: Monday 2nd May 2022

Half Term: 30th May - 3rd June 2022

Bank Holiday: Monday 6th June 2022.

INSET DAYS:
Don't forget 01/11/21,

25/07/22, 26/07/22.



PTA all welcome

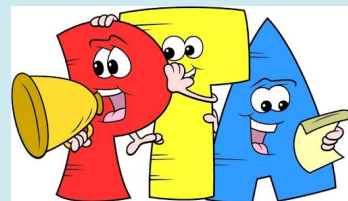


The PTA are reforming and looking for new members to come along and join us.

A meeting will be on

Monday at 7:30pm at the cricket club.

All welcome and we need the support of the parents and carers.



Your guide to social networks, apps and games.

As more children are using TikTok and other social platforms

Net Aware brings together the NSPCC's expertise in protecting children and O2's tech know-how, we've got everything you need to help you keep your kids safe online. Whether you're an online expert or you're unsure of where to start, we're here to help.

Stop the spread of Covid-19 in schools

Wear a face covering in communal areas



Wash your hands regularly



Take a PCR test if you have symptoms



cornwall.gov.uk/coronavirus

Celtic Cross Education Initial Teacher Training School Direct

Open Information Sessions for 2022-2023

Have you thought about training to be a teacher?

Already have a degree or currently working on one and considering teaching for the future?

Want to stay local or within our Trust?

Then why not find out more about the School Direct process for teacher training offered by CCE in conjunction with Plymouth Marjon University.

Join us on one of our Open Information Sessions and find out what the process entails and what CCE can offer.

The sessions are on:

Tuesday 19th October 2020 – 5.00 – 6.00pm

Thursday 25th November 2020 – 4.00 – 5.00pm

Wednesday 8th December 2020 – 6.00 – 7.00pm

If you are interested in joining one of our Zoom Information sessions, please email:

karen.holmes@celticcross.education stating which session, you would like to join.

We look forward to meeting you.