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Nurturing God's gifts with compassion and drive, so that all our children succeed, learn and thrive. Compassion, wisdom, forgiveness, perseverance, trust and respect

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

The Advent season is upon us and we welcomed the 'Open the Book' group into Collective Worship on Wednesday to share the Nativity Story. The group will be running Messy Church today from 5:15pm, please come along if you are able!

Please remember that next Monday we are welcoming families into the school from 2pm to make some Christmas decorations with your children. Please sign in at the office and enjoy the festivities. Thursday is our visit to the Hall for Cornwall to see Sleeping Beauty – oh yes it is! We will be travelling by coach for the matinee performance and would ask that you collect your child from school at 5:00pm on this day. After School Club will not be running.

Today we celebrate St.Piran's Cross joining with The Saint's Way to become Celtic Cross Education! The children across the MAT have been given a pencil each as a momento of the day and today in Collective Worship we lit a special candle and said a special prayer as our schools join together.

Claire Gabriele

Our Stars of the Week

Gribbin Class - Carter

Trevose Class – Jacob

Tater Du Class – Sam

Longships Class – Gil

Wolf Rock Class – Elena

Congratulations to all of our stars!

MESSY CHURCH

Tonight at 5:15pm

This Week's Attendance

Gribbin	Trevose	Tater Du	Longships	Wolf
				Rock
97.2%	94.7%	90.3%	95.6%	93.9%

Government guidelines state that attendance should be 96.1%.

FS and Y1 Nativity

This very special celebration of Christmas will soon be upon us. Please reserve your tickets using...

grampoundroad.parentseveningsystem.co.uk

and enjoy the show!

Ladock Parish Christmas Tree Festival

Dec 2nd to 10th 10am-5pm
In Ladock Church
Free Entry
Refreshments for sale

Sun 3rd Dec 'Carols Round the Trees' at 6pm. All Welcome.

Useful dates

02/12/17 – 10/12/17 Christmas Tree Festival at Ladock Church

04/12/17 Families invited to make Christmas decorations with the children

07/12/17 School trip to the Hall for Cornwall

12/12/17 FS and Y1 Nativity 9.30

13/12/17 Christmas dinner day

13/12/17 FS and Y1 Nativity 3.30

15/12/17 National Christmas Jumper Day

15/12/17 Friends of Grampound Road Village CE School Christmas Disco 5-7

18/12/17 Outdoor Family Christmas Carol Service with performances from Y2-Y6 5.30

20/12/17 Last day of the Autumn Term

04/01/18 First day of the Spring Term





Dear Parents or Guardians,

It is that time of year again when we are asking if you could please help the Friends of Grampound Road School to raise money for all of the wonderful children at our school.

This year we are hoping to raise enough money to purchase equipment so that each class can have a designated reading corner/den. This will benefit each child as it will provide them with a quiet area in which to develop their reading skills.

With special thanks to the very hard work of all of our members, we have some fantastic prizes to be won, which include:

1st Prize:

A £300 family photography session voucher from Sharkfin Media

2nd Prize:

5 x 3 Day Guest Passes for Water World Newquay

3rd Prize:

A Selection Hamper of Wine

4th Prize:

A Family Visitor Pass to The Lost Gardens of Heligan

Plus many other prizes including -

- A Day entry for two to Camel Creek
- 1 x Zip Wire Ride at Adrenaline Quarry
- 1 ticket for a Family swim session for 4 people at Atlantic Reach
- A dry trim/cut & blowdry from Essential Hair by Louise Barnes (Grampound Road Village)
- A voucher for a meal at Alfredo Linguini's
- A visitor Pass to Caerhay's Gardens
- A voucher for a Gel Manicure from Nails by Kelly

- 1 x Free jump for 1 person at I-Bounce
- A Christmas Veg Box from the Cornish Food Box Company
- Case of Beer from the Wooden Hand Brewery
- A Glittered Wine bottle and Glass Set
- · A Selection Box of Fudge from 'Oh Fudge It'
- A Jar of Roseland Sea Salt Scrub
- A £20 Mary's Pasty Voucher

There will also be a separate prize for the child who sells the most raffle tickets which will be a treasure jar with £25 cash and lots of goodies inside. The challenge is now on...so have fun, good luck and ensure that your child's name is on each stub that's sold.

Please ensure that all sold and unsold raffle tickets are returned to the office by no later than Monday 11th December 2017.

The raffle draw is due to take place on the evening of the Christmas Disco which is the 15th December 2017.

With great thanks and kind regards,

Friends of Grampound Road School.

Dear Parent / Guardian

I am sure that as a parent, given the many physical, mental and social benefits of physical activity you are as keen as we are that your child participates in as much exercise as possible. In order to encourage this participation we strive for an 'All Change' policy within PE. This policy means that ALL students should bring their PE kit even if they are not going to be actively involved as a performer. They may be given another role such as refereeing, umpiring, scoring, coaching or helping to organise resources. In addition, this policy will prevent school uniform from getting wet/dirty/damaged or pupils getting cold whilst the groups are outside, but ultimately and most importantly, it increases the amount of physical activity that your child will undertake.

Throughout the year, pupils will get to participate in a wide range of activities within PE. This is to ensure that your child has access to a broad and balanced curriculum to help them develop active, healthy lifestyles. Alongside this, teachers and support staff run a variety of clubs to further engage pupils in an active lifestyle.

Last academic year (2016-2017) we had many successes within the school and took part in a range of sports, which we hope will continue into this year. We fully appreciate the support that the School receives from parents although as always, we are continually looking for ways to improve. If there are any parents who feel they have the time and/or expertise to help run a club/team/activity then please feel free to contact the school or email: pe@thesaintsway.org

Finally, if any of our pupils take part in Sport or Physical Activity outside of school then please let us know, so that you can join our 'PE Wall of Fame' and we can share your success.

Yours Sincerely

Claire Gabriele and Antony Cornish





PE Learning Ready - Code of Conduct

- If you have forgotten any part your PE kit please see your teacher/PE teacher as soon as possible so that you can be given spare kit to wear.
- If you have a note and are excused from the practical elements of the PE, then please get changed into your PE kit, as you will have another role within the lesson.
- Please ensure your drinks bottles are filled up before the start of the lesson & that you take them with you, as you will not be able to leave during the lesson to fill them up or collect them.
- For yours and others safety no jewellery is allowed to be worn in PE.
- If your hair is long enough, it should be tied back, this applies to both girls and boys.

Always try your best - we are here to help you achieve and want you to succeed in every way that you can!

Remember that there is a SPORT or PHYSICAL ACTIVITY out there for everyone - you just need to find it, so make sure you give ALL activities 100% effort!