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Nurturing God's gift with compassion and drive so that all our children succeed, learn and thrive.

Compassion, wisdom, forgiveness, perseverance, trust and respect. Newsletter 19/07/19

Attendance Ladder
How does are you to reacting the top?
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Expected average attendance for a child is 96.1%. Our attendance for last week was:

Gribben: 99% Trevose: 97.1% Wolfrock: 94.6% Tater Du: 97.3% Longships: 97.5%

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.

#### TREVOSE CLASS NEWS!

Trevose enjoyed a well-deserved treat day last Thursday. The children loved using their bikes and scooters on the large playground. We were very impressed by their agility and control. Everyone understands why it is important to wear helmets to keep safe. We also read some new story books together. We will look forward to having more events and trips in the next school year.



#### **WOLFROCK CLASS NEWS**

We had some interesting discussions last week when thinking about relationships and what makes a family. In Literacy, we acted out the short film that we have been studying called "Dangle", and in Maths we are finishing off our measurement units. We successfully achieved our 5000 dojo target last week, so we are busy planning our final treat day of the year. Our transition morning was great, and it was fabulous to meet some new classmates and work in our new, larger classroom! Our photos shows a task we worked together on that morning: make a clock that shows quarter past eleven! Thank you to the parents for your support this year and have a brilliant summer.





### LONGSHIPS CLASS NEWS!

Peter Pan rehearsals are well under way. The children have put so much effort in this week and it is looking great- we are so excited for you to see the show during our final week of school. Don't forget we have a dress rehearsal for Peter Pan on Friday morning. Please bring all costume items into school.

Longships were fantastic during sports day. They have done themselves proud with such a great attitude, especially when supporting younger pupils and their peers. Amazing role models- well done!

#### TATER Du CLASS NEWS!

This week, Tater Du have been busy practising - practising for Sports Day, Geevor Dance Festival and Peter Pan. These activities have really helped to bond the class and the children have been super-supportive to one another. The Year 6 children are really getting excited for the Prom on Friday and the Leavers Service next Tuesday. Peter Pan rehearsals are really coming along but children need to make sure they are learning their lines at home.

## **GRIBBEN CLASS NEWS!**

Gribbin class enjoyed going off into house teams this week to make their team flags. The children's first school sorts day was a great success. They took part in a running and an egg and spoon race. We have been reflecting about the children's successful first year of school and the children have all been stars as usual!!



## Stars of the week!



Gribben - Charlie

Trevose - Tom

Tater Du - Ava & Leo

Longships - Laura

Wolfrock - Euan

# DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

KS2 Swimming last one 18th July 2019

Thursday 18th July Geevor Mine Dance Festival

Friday 19th July Year 6 PROM

Monday 22nd July Peter Pan Evening show

Tuesday 23rd July Leavers service & awards 9.15am

Tuesday 23rd July Peter Pan afternoon show

Wednesday 24th July Last day of Term!

Wednesday 4th September INSET DAY

Thursday 5th September Return to school

# Writing Wonders!

Gribben: Maisie

Trevose: All of Trevose class

Tater Du: Luke M

Longships: Robin

Wolfrock: Noah

## **INSET DAYS FOR THE YEAR 2019/2020**

Wednesday 4th September 2019

Monday 28th October 2019

Friday 5th June 2019

Wednesday 22nd July 2020

Thursday 23rd July 2020

# Maths Masters!

Gribben: Lucy

Trevose: All of Trevose class

Tater Du: Bethany C

Longships: Skye

Wolfrock: Sarah

# **Building Learning Power Heroes!**

Gribben: Phoebe

Trevose: Dylan

Tater Du: All of Tater Du for achieving their targets

Longships: Reuben

Wolfrock: Fearne

# **Grampound Road Sports News!**

Don't forget we still want to hear about your sporting achievements outside of school. If you attend a sports club or have a hobby you would like to share, we would love to hear where you go, what days you attend and see any photos of you taking part. This will be added to our Sports Wall of Fame.

The first awards presented to us were the

**Tournament winners and the Football Trophy.** 

Reya and Fraser were presented with individual awards and then Grampound Road School were



awarded Gold for Tournament participation. Well done to them both for achieving these

trophies.

**Reva T and Fraser A** 

Year 6

# The A-Z Maths Dictionary

Base—the bottom of something

#### **JOKE OF THE WEEK!**

What did the ground say to the earthquake? You crack me up!

## Message from Miss Kennedy

As we near the end of another school year. I would like to take this opportunity of thanking all our parents and carers for their support. All the staff have worked tirelessly at steadying the school and ensuring that the children received good teaching, learning and emotional support. We feel we have been successful in many areas, results have improved and the school feels calm and friendly. Next year we will be developing a broad and balanced curriculum with more trips and events. We would like to invite parents into school more for project days, collective worship, workshops and forums. I wish all the children, parents, carers and staff have a wonderful summer. I hope we can all work together and continue to raise standards at Grampound Road School. I firmly believe we can make our school a great school.



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