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Celtic Cross Education Facebook

6th May 2022

### MESSAGE FROM MISS KENNEDY

Dear pupils in year 6,

I taught you when you were little in your first year of primary school when you were in the reception class. Over the years I have seen you grow into the wonderful human beings you are today. You are all unique. All of your personalities are different, but all endearing. Some of you are musicians, some like to sing, play sports, or enjoy art, some of you enjoy the academic subjects, but all of you are kind, nurturing and compassionate. Next week you will take your SATS tests, all I ask is that you try your best. Your best will always be good enough for me. I am proud of you all no matter what.

Enjoy your weekend, have fun and have plenty of rest,  
we will see you on Monday.



### Head of School Stars of the week

#### Pupil Star of the week

**Brendan for being super helpful when setting up the library every day.**

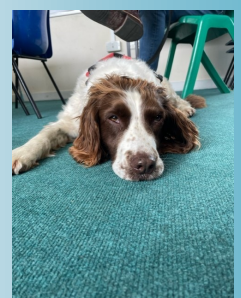
#### Staff Star of the week

**Mrs Wilton for completing her first successful school trip.**



### **The Bumble Bees were thrilled to welcome Charlie the therapy dog once again.**

Charlie and the children enjoyed playing games and reading together. There was plenty of smiles and laughter yesterday afternoon and we are so grateful to have her visit our school. We will see you soon Charlie. See page 4 for more photos



# Pendeen

We have had a busy week in Pendeen class. In our literacy work this week we have continued learning the Little Red Hen and have sequenced the story. In our maths work we have been focusing on numbers 10-20, we have been looking for patterns in these numbers and our friend Polly the parrot came in to try and count to 20 with the help of the children. This week in our RE work we talked about places that are special to us and have been looking at why churches are special to Christians. In our topic work we talked about what seeds need to grow and we have planted sunflowers seeds, we are excited to watch them grow.

Have a lovely weekend



# Trevose

This week we have enjoyed reading 'The Secret Sky Garden' in Literacy and we have been sharing our thoughts and feelings about the story and the characters. We have been describing the main character and thinking of questions that we could ask her to find out more about her.

We have also been learning about algorithms in Computing to help us make a simple code. We had lots of fun creating our own code and completing some challenges!

Well done, Trevose 😊

## Geography Lesson

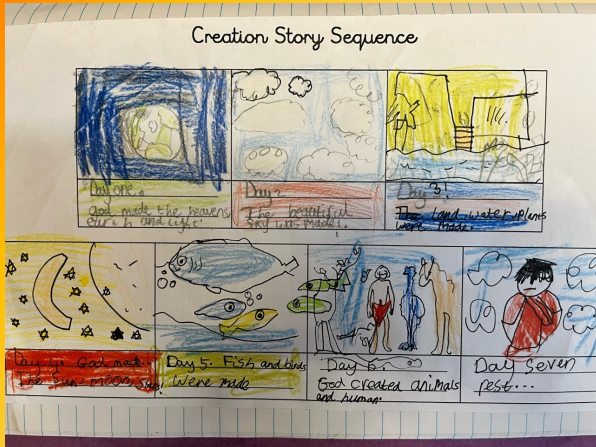






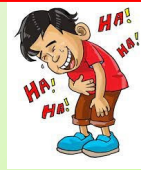
Well, it's only been a 4-day week this week but in Tater Du we have been super busy! In literacy we have been working on our diary entries as if we were the mischievous Edwin from the story The Battle of the Viking Women.

In maths the year 3s are working through fractions and the year 4s are powering through decimals. In History we have begun our topic which is Traders and raiders and in Music we have been learning the blackbird song by the Beatles. RE we have been learning the creation story and the children have produced their own timelines of this they worked hard on these and some are displayed up in our classroom. Thank you for your support with homework, timetables are a big focus and this week we have been focusing on the 7s. The children all have their TTRS logins in their homework books and we encourage the children to login and play this every day. We hope you have a super weekend.



## JOKE OF THE WEEK:

How do you make a tissue dance.....You put a little boogie in it !!!!!!!



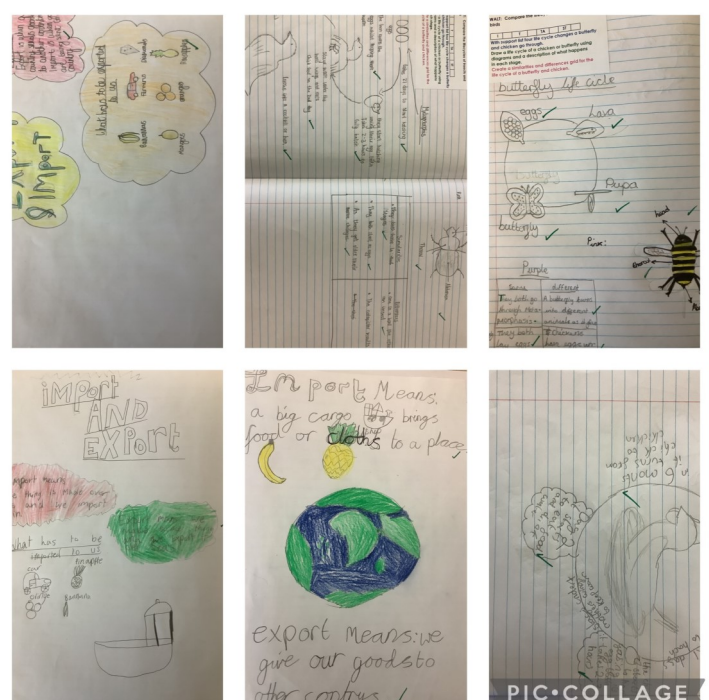
Happy birthday to Keida,  
Sarah and Noah

## Wolf Rock

Wolf Rockers have had yet another full week making up for the lost time! Preparation for SATs has continued while the year 5's have been learning about volume and have used manipulatives to help them see it visually. We have continued our work on life cycles of animals and have focused on birds and insects, we looked at a video of Miss Coon's chicks to see a real lifecycle of a bird! We have continued our work in literacy and have started to write our own witness statement!

In Topic this week we identified what economic activity is and what trade links are, we carried out a practical to see which foods would need to be imported to the UK and why. In ICT we continued our work on designing our own buildings, but we focused on changing the shapes.

I hope you all had a lovely long weekend and enjoy the weekend coming, fingers crossed for some warmer weather.





## CHARLIE CAME TO SCHOOL





# WILD TRIBE

## Happy Friday everyone

What a gorgeous Friday we've had! Not only because of the beautiful May arrival. The birds are singing, the sun is shining, the flowers are blossoming, and Mother Nature is turning the world into a colourful, inspirational land.

As an exercise in improving knife skills, we were making gypsy flowers out of Willow and Hazel. We've tried to change their colour by dipping into different colours. We are sure the children will enjoy telling you the origin of gypsy flowers. If you have some food colouring at home, the flowers can be immersed in colour water, and over time the flower will turn a shade of the colour used. You may try to use a natural food colour, like beetroot, onion, and spinach.

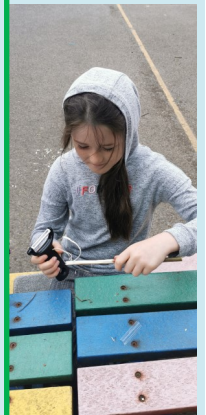
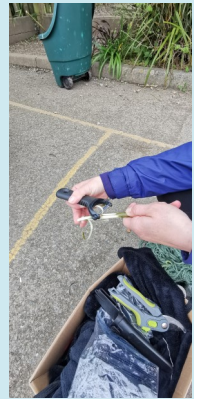
Every day is a learning day!

Some of our pupils were filling the tires with soil, preparing for planting some interesting herbs, others were learning how to make a floral wreath.

Our helpful and hard-working wild tribers have been weeding the raised beds, sowing vegetable seeds and wild flowers seeds – for butterflies and beeeeeeees.

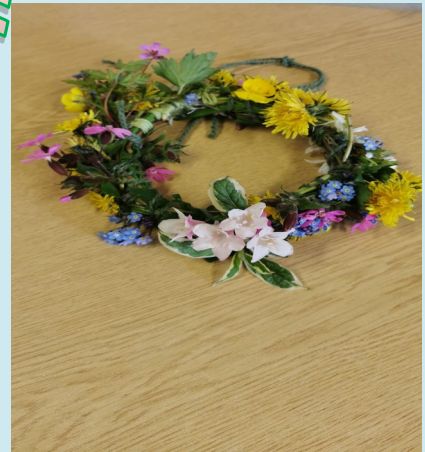
Have a wonderful weekend and see you next week

Mrs Mills and Mrs Warne





# WILD TRIBE





We are aiming to raise £30,000 at Rainbow run Cornwall 2022 and therefore your support is invaluable to us and the families we are currently providing vital care for at Little Harbour in St Austell.

We are so excited to have the event return to RAF St Mawgan for the first time since the pandemic and hope it will be a memorable day out for families who attend your school or alternatively complete it as a work team!

**Your invitation to be a part of our  
Rainbow Run School's Challenge 2022**



**THE QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE CELEBRATIONS  
IN LADOCK VILLAGE ~ 2<sup>ND</sup> TO 5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2022:**

**SCARECROW COMPETITION**  
Place your Scarecrow Outside your residence by Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May.  
**PRIZE for BEST SCARECROW!**

**THURSDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> JUNE:**  
9:30am: QUARTER PEAL of Ladock Church Bells.  
12 noon: CRICKET EXTRAVAGANZA at Ladock Cricket Ground:  
Junior Cricket Match followed by Ladock XI v Rest of Village XI.  
Children's Entertainment + Traditional Tea + Bar + BBQ.

**FRIDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> JUNE:** 11:30am in Ladock Playing Field:  
CHILDREN'S FANCY DRESS PICNIC PARTY in the PARK-  
Dancing • Games • Magician • Face Painting • Portraits  
Popcorn • Ice Cream • Cold Drinks • Bring a Picnic  
**Prize for Best Fancy Dress!**

**SATURDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> JUNE:** 10am - 12 noon:  
PLATINUM JUBILEE COFFEE MORNING  
in Ladock Community Hall  
Tea, Coffee, Cake & a Good Old Chinwag!  
**Prize Draw for FREE Tea at Duchy Nursery.**

**SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> JUNE - (the BIG DAY!)**  
11am: Commemorative Church Service with Bells.  
12 noon onwards: On the Road outside the Church  
(or in the Community Hall if wet - but it won't be!)  
STALLS: Tombola • Home-made • Low Carbon Ladock  
Toys & Games • Gifts & Collectables • Books etc.  
Cake Decorating Contest • Have-a-go at Bell-ringing.  
1pm: the BIG LUNCH - Opened by Karen Glasson.  
Bring Food to Share + Chair. Bar & Refreshments.

2:30pm: Acappella Sound ~ Fab Ladies Choir!  
3:15pm: 'A Dog's Life' - Play by Lane Theatre Group.  
4pm: GRAND DRAW & PRIZE GIVING ☆  
5pm: Falmouth Arms BBQ + Bar (in Hall Car Park).  
6pm: GRAND CONCERT in the Community Hall:  
1) Tracy Mack & Annie Binding ~ Singing Stars.  
2) Ladock Players ~ '70 Years in 70 Minutes'.  
(Tickets for Concert: £5 on sale from 25<sup>th</sup> April  
from Ladock Shop & P.O. - 01726 883603).

**Come and Join the Celebrations!  
Fun and Laughter for Everyone!**



## Thumbs Up!

George H  
for being calm, cool  
and  
collected and sorting  
things out logically and  
responsibly.

A HERO!



## THUMBS UP

Thumbs Up!

Isaac P



Wow! So independent this  
week, making sensible  
mature choices.

Thumbs Up!

Campbell and Phoenix for helping  
Mrs Godwin. Thank you.

**Congratulations to  
Miss Warne who  
got married this  
week and is now  
Mrs Wicks.**



Thumbs Up!

Maisie for her great Maths  
and



Diddy for working hard with his  
Literacy. Well done!

Thumbs Up!

To Mrs Mills and Mrs Warne  
For all their hard work each week with  
the Wild Tribe.













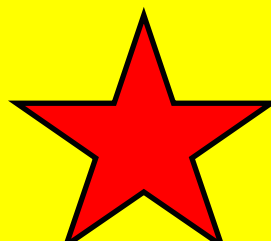

Thumbs Up!

To Sam and her staff in the  
kitchen who work very hard  
ensuring all our children are  
well fed.





# ★ STARS OF THE WEEK ★

Class Name	Star of the week	Values Forgiveness	Whole Class
P E N D E E N	 Abby for doing the right thing and always helping others to tidy up.	Flora for being such a kind and forgiving member of the class. 	Class award for good work in learning the story of the Little Red Hen. 
T R E V O S E	Chace for his brilliant number and place value knowledge. 	Harry J For always being forgiving to others and showing kindness to everyone in our class. 	Class award for listening to each other and showing compassion in PSHE. 
T A T E R  D U	Rhyley for his hard work on his diary entry and hand writing 	Miles for working hard in Maths 	Class award for super focusing in Literacy. Well done! 
W O L F R O C K	Amelia for fantastic contribution in all lessons. 	Harley for his outstanding determination in Maths 	Class award for producing some brilliant life cycle diagrams of butterflies and chicks 



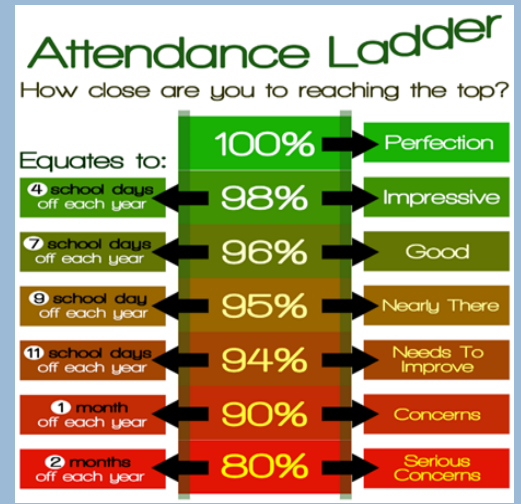
## ATTENDANCE

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

Pendeen: 98.5% Trevoise: 90.9 % Tater Du: 97.9 % Wolfrock: 93.4 %

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 (lunch time is 12.30—1pm)

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



#### CUBERT 1 MILE FUN RUN IS BACK!

Thursday 2nd June 2022

Venue: Cubert Church Field

3PM - Toddler Trot for under 5's

£3.50 per Competitor (entries will not be accepted after 2.50pm)

3.30PM - 1 Mile Fun Run

£4.50 per Competitor, £5 on the day. Registration will be open from 2pm on the day (entries will not be accepted after 3pm) at the Church Field

Trophies to be won! Medals & Goodie Bags and much more!

Scan below for online Registration form or email:

[cuberttraces@gmail.com](mailto:cuberttraces@gmail.com) to request an online Form.

For enquiries, contact Lesley Richardson on: 07792 900 675



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## 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 Trevoise 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 Trevoise and Tater Du eat in the hall.



# Pin me on the fridge

## Term Dates 2022

### May 2022

9-12th May Year 6 SATS

Thursday 18th May—Burger Shack Please book via ParentPay

Thursday 18th May—X country at The Roseland Y4,5,6

16th-20th May—WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK

Tater Du Swimming Mon 16th-Fri 20th May

Wolfrock Swimming Mon 23rd-Fri 27th May

Friday 27th May 2022- Last day of Summer term

Half Term: 30th May - 3rd June 2022



### June 2022

**Monday 6th June—Extra Platinum Jubilee Inset Day**

Tuesday 7th June 2022 First day of Summer term 2

Wednesday 8th June—KS2 6 aside football at St Mawes

Jubilee lunch—Tuesday 14th June please book via ParentPay

Residential Barton Hall Years 5 & 6 22nd June—24th June 2022

Wednesday 29th June Dance Festival at The Roseland

Thursday 30th June 2022—Art Transition Workshop

### July 2022

Tuesday 12th July Athletics Y4,5,6 at The Roseland

Monday 11th & Tuesday 12th July Bikeability Years 5 & 6

Wednesday 13th & Thursday 14th July Global Surfing Year 5 & 6

**Friday 22nd July END OF TERM**

INSET DAYS:  
Monday 25th July 2022

### **INSET DAYS 2022-2023**

5th September, 6th September and 31st October 2022

24th July and 25th July 2023



Can we please stress the importance of NOT taking children out of school during testing period.

2021/22 academic year

**Key stage 1**

The key stage 1 tests should be administered during May 2022.

Date	Activity
May 2022	Key Stage 1 test period
Week commencing Monday 6th June 2022	Phonics screening check week

**Key stage 2**

The key stage 2 tests are timetabled from Monday 9 May to Thursday 12 May 2022.

Date	Activity
Monday 9 May 2022	English grammar, punctuation and spelling papers 1 and 2
Tuesday 10 May 2022	English reading
Wednesday 11 May 2022	Mathematics paper 1 and 2
Thursday 12 May 2022	Mathematics paper 3

**Multiplication tables check**

Schools should administer the [multiplication tables check](#) within the 3-week period from Monday 6 June 2022.

**AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**

These start week beginning 2nd May and finish week beginning 11th July 2022. Please book via Parents Evening System [www.grampoundroad.parentseveningsystem.co.uk](http://www.grampoundroad.parentseveningsystem.co.uk)

**Monday** KS1 Multi Games and Sports

**Monday** KS2 Cricket

**Tuesday** Early Years Gardening

**Tuesday** Year 3 & 4 Dodgeball

**Thursday** KS1 Creative Club

**Katie Bell Dancing—Please book direct with her on 07788653977.**