



15th November 2024

Dear parents/carers

Wow, this week has been jam packed!

On Monday we ensured that we marked Remembrance Day with a minute's silence straight after our break time. This was brilliantly observed by all of our children and we spoke about the importance of showing respect at these moments.



All week we have been focused on anti-bullying week and the importance of being an 'upstander', on Tuesday Mrs Law led an assembly about this. We, of course, also marked this by taking part in odd socks day – who knew there were so many funny and interesting socks out there!

Continuing on that theme, on Wednesday, we took part in 'Positive Noticing Day'. We always try to make sure that we do lots and lots of this anyway but it was fantastic to make an even bigger deal of this for adults and children alike!



Wednesday, saw us travel to Truro Prep School to take part in a tag rugby festival. I didn't quite know what to expect but I was totally blown away by how AMAZING everyone in our team was. Captained, excellently by Harry, we played five games and won each one convincingly. I was incredibly proud of everyone in the team – it was an awesome afternoon!



Finally, today we have been having fun while raising money for Children in Need with our 7 second challenge and Gladiator Eliminator course! Thank you for all of your donations.

Mr Hick

Christmas Dates – Provisional (they could change but hopefully not!)

- Tuesday 17th - KS1 nativity - am and pm
- Tuesday 17th - Carol Concert Practice - Church
- Wednesday 18th - Christmas Carol Concert - 1.45pm and 6pm - Church
- Thursday 19th - Acorns nativity



Safe in Side



Next week, we will be holding a 'Safe Inside' drill as part of our safety procedures. This will be a practice session in case we ever need to react to a critical incident in our area. For this drill, we will be imagining a scenario where the school needs to stay inside due to a swarm of wasps.

Please be assured that this is purely a practice exercise, and the likelihood of such an event occurring is extremely low. We will explain the situation to the children in a calm and reassuring manner, emphasising that this is just a precautionary measure to ensure their safety in all potential scenarios.

History Day

On Monday 9th December we will be having a whole school history day. On this day we will invite the children to come to school dressed in the period of time that they are learning about. Miss Laskowski will be sending a letter out with further detail - look out for this.

End of Term

The end of term will be Friday 20th December. Please note that there will be an earlier finish in this day – **1pm**.

Swimming – rapidly approaching – Y5



We are really pleased that we will be able to take our Y5 children (Red Oaks) swimming in over a two-week block – week beginning **18th November and 25th November**. The children will swim every afternoon at Truro Leisure Centre and will be taught by trained swimming instructors. We will travel by coach each day and hope that parents/carers will be able contribute towards the cost of transport through ParentPay.

The children will need a swimming hat, goggles and a towel for these sessions.

End of Term Assessments

Over the next two weeks we will be completing end of term assessments in school. Our children in key stage 2 will be sitting test in reading, grammar and maths. As always we will do these in a way which ensure that there is no pressure.

Class Photographs

We are very sorry that we had to cancel the photographs today but the blue background that was being used didn't work well with our blue school uniform! We have rebooked this for Monday 25th November. Any photographs that had already been taken can still be purchased.

From the PTA

CHRISTMAS FAYRE



Please join us next **Saturday 23rd Nov from 12-4pm** at Chacewater Village Hall.

Lots of craft and gifts stalls, tombola, festive games, refreshments and of course the ELF Workshops!

Book your workshop here:

Younger Elves (Christmas Crafts) - targeted at under 7 year olds

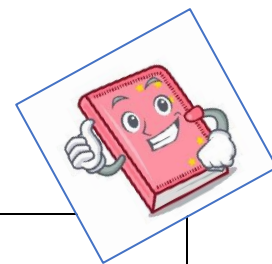
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Older Elves (Bauble Wreaths) - targeted at aged 7+

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RAFFLE TICKETS:

Please return all raffle tickets, money and unused tickets to the school office by Monday!



Dates For Your Diary

23.11.24	PTA Christmas Fayre
11.12.24	Christmas Lunch
W/b 16.12.24	Christmas Nativities and Carol Concert
20.12.24	End of Term – 1pm Finish



GOLDEN AWARD WINNERS

ACORNS	Maddie & Zane
SEEDLINGS	Harley & Harleen
BUDS	Daxon & Jesse
YOUNG OAKS	Thea & Edmon
BUR OAKS	Ethan & Ailla
RED OAKS	April, Ruby & Keaton
MIGHTY OAKS	Annabelle & Jack





SCIENCE, FOOD AND CREATIVE ARTS WORKSHOPS



Activity Day at Truro High School

FOR YEAR 6 STUDENTS LOOKING TO JOIN US IN YEAR 7

SATURDAY 23 NOVEMBER
9.15am-3.15pm



SCAN THE QR
CODE TO REGISTER



SCAN THE QR CODE or email registrar@trurohigh.co.uk to book your place



COMMUNITY FOOTBALL PROGRAMME 2024/25

A fun and friendly FA coached football session open to all reception aged children through to year 6
First session free, no subscriptions, £4 a session thereafter

Saturdays term time
At 10:00 am



**Astro Pitch, Penair School,
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More Info :

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Community Football Programme



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