





#### 24th October 2024

A shorter week but still a very full week!

On Monday afternoon we had our first school football matches of the season. A team of 10 travelled to Blackwater where we had two games in some pretty wet conditions. The team worked brilliantly together and in the first game we lost a very tight game against St Erme before coming back from three goals down to secure a draw against Blackwater. A fantastic display in our first outing and it looks promising for our upcoming fixtures.



Yesterday we had our last singing assembly with Miss Dyer. Miss Dyer has been a big part of our school and has been instrumental (excuse the pun) in making the performance aspect of our provision as strong as it is. We will miss her greatly but at the same time we are very excited for the new opportunities that have come her way. Luckily, we have a couple of expert musicians in school who are going to take up the reigns - Mr Wilson and Mrs Hoadley! Watch this space to find out more about our Christmas Carol Concert.

Finally, last night we hosted our first disco of the year. This was great fun and it was brilliant to see the children having so much fun. A huge thank you, as always, to our amazing PTA for arranging this. Thank you to our new DJ – Mr Bearham! Also a really big thank you to all of the teachers that were able to stay behind and help.

Remember that there is no school tomorrow for the children and the first day back after half term for the children is Tuesday.

I hope you all have a fantastic half term.

Mr Hick

#### Car Parking

Please, please can I ask everyone to continue to be considerate about how and where they park, particularly at the end of the day. We have reserved some spaces for staff car parking and this should ensure that there are plenty of spaces in the car park. When parking try and park with the centre of your car in front of the marking slabs. A few reminders:

- Three-point turns/parking immediately outside the school gates are both very real Road Safety issues that must be avoided at all costs.
- Where able, parents/carers of children living in the core of Chacewater Village are asked to consider walking their children to/from school, so as to ease traffic congestion.
- Parents/carers with vehicles are requested to depart as soon as possible after dropping/collecting their children, so as to avoid further traffic congestion, esp. when the Village Hall is also in use.
- Please can we try to ensure that the path through the Millennium Green is used to avoid walking on the road.
- SLOW DOWN! I am still seeing cars drive far too quickly around the area of the school.

#### **Do Not Park In These Areas**









#### Starting School in September 2025

The application window is now open to apply for a school place for September 2025. Details below. We will be hosting two open mornings on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November (9.30am) and Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> December (9.30am) for parents/carers of children starting school in September 2025. If you know anyone that would have a child due to start in September 2025 then please do let them know of these dates.



Dates For Your Diary	
25.10.24	Inset Day – School Closed to Children
28.10.24 – 1.11.24	Half Term
4.11.24	Inset Day – School Closed to Children
15.11.24	Tempest Class Photos
18.11.24	Year 5 Swimming – 2 week block
20.12.24	End of Term – 1pm Finish



### **GOLDEN AWARD WINNERS**

ACORNS	Everyone!
SEEDLINGS	Everyone!
BUDS	Everyone!
YOUNG OAKS	Everyone!
BUR OAKS	Everyone!
RED OAKS	Everyone!
MIGHTY OAKS	Everyone!

#### FROM THE PTA

#### THURSDAY 7TH NOV - CHRISTMAS FAIR PLANNING MEETING

#### **CHACEWATER WI HALL - 9am**

Come along for a coffee and help us finalise the upcoming Christmas Fair (event day Sat 23rd Nov)

Everyone welcome (we would love to see some new faces)

#### FRIDAY 8TH NOV - NON UNIFORM DAY

Wear what makes you happy

\*\*Donations for our christmas tombola will be gratefully received\*\*

# Plastic Tat Amnesty

With the aim to "'buy less tat", the PTA are asking for donations of small toys and leftover party bag items that can be used as lucky dip prizes for upcoming events.

We ask that only new / as new items are donated please 🙏

A donation box is located in school reception.

THANK YOU!!!







# 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



## JOIN US FOR A CORNISH HALLOWEEN



# **ALLANTIDE!**



### 31ST OCT 10AM-4PM

Tree Planting FREE Badge Making £1

Site Entry FREE Tulip Planting FREE Pumpkin Trail FREE Allantide Apples £1









