



Grade Ruan C of E School Newsletter



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Our Vision Statement

Setting sail on life's journey, with an anchor to keep us safe and sails to let us fly with God to calm the storms along the way.
Luke Chapter 8 verses 22-25

Truro Cathedral Zoom Service

If you look very closely you will see we were joined by the Archbishop of Canterbury this week on a mega-zoom assembly along with several schools from across the county plus the choristers at Truro Cathedral. We were led by the Director of Music, Christopher Gray, and learned two new songs which we then performed altogether. Next week the Bishop of Truro will be visiting on Wednesday to meet the children.



Thank you! Happy faces all round playing with our lovely, new long skipping rope kindly given to the children by Anna Berry, grandmother of Trixie, Wylf and Ettie as thanks for a wonderful Grandparents' Day.



Christmas Productions

Yes it's fast approaching and we are busy rehearsing!! This year Rose Class is performing Baarmy Bethlehem with Tamarisk Class supporting with the singing for both the 2pm and 6pm performances. Tickets will be free and available soon from the office. Socoa Class will be leading the end of term service in the Church on the last day of term at 9.15am—it will be a tight squeeze but all are welcome!

PTFA AGM

Thank you to everyone who has supported the fundraising efforts through participation in events, donations and by giving their time. Without this the children would not have enjoyed many of the little extras. Over the last year this included theatre company visits, Christmas gifts & party bits, high viz safety vests, leavers hoodies, plants and the new maypole. Summary of accounts: Income £971.65, expenditure £1357.76. We continue to be supported by parents who have children across the classes. Some are lay members and others have taken on the following positions for the next academic year, all of whom are greatly valued for their contribution. Chair Rebecca Goldie and Alison Strickland, Secretary—Tara Oates and Treasurer—Rachael Brandreth. If you'd like to know more about how to support your school please ask any of them.

Readathon

The total raised so far is an amazing £311.95. We will be banking this at the end of next week so if anyone has yet to hand their sponsorship money in please can you do so as soon as possible. Thank you.



Request from Rose Class

Occasionally the children may not get to the toilet in time and need a change of clothing. We keep a stock of spare underwear, tights, leggings, trousers etc but have run out. If you have any items that you think would be helpful and no longer need, Rose Class would be very pleased to have them. Thank you.



Birthday wishes to:-

Jack L, Isla, James & Elowen

Attendance Counts

Your child's attendance in school does matter although we do understand young children are often poorly!



This week's attendance:

Whole School	-	98.3%
Tamarisk Class	-	99%
Rose Class	-	98.3%
Socoa Class	-	97.8%

Well done to **Tamarisk Class** who won the Attendance Trophy this week

Dinner Money

School dinners should be paid for in advance or on the day that they are taken. Please make sure your child's/children's accounts are paid up to date before the end of the term, ahead of our move to Aspire. Please contact Mrs Walsh-Newton in the school office if you have difficulty in logging onto Parentpay.



Stars of the week



Rose	-	Josie for fantastic writing and ambitious vocabulary.
Tamarisk	-	Laurie for challenging himself in Maths.
Socoa	-	Finn for amazing writing—giving 100% effort.

Last day of Autumn Term—Friday 16th December, 2022. INSET Day—Tuesday 3rd January, 2023. First Day of Spring Term—Wednesday 4th January, 2023



Christmas Adventure Club

December 19th, 20th, 21st & 22nd 2022
Tregullas Farm, Lighthouse Road, Lizard
TR12 7NL

09:00 - 13:30

19th and 20th Land Based
21st and 22nd Beach Based
(Activities subject to weather and sea state)

£30. Free entry for children eligible for Income Related Free School Meals

Email: hello@beyondthewave.org.uk
Facebook: Beyond The Wave CIC

TIME MOVE
Holiday Programme

Diary Dates

Thurs 8th Dec & 6pm	-	Xmas Performance, 2pm
Mon 12th Dec 3.15pm, School Hall	-	PTFA Jumble Sale—
Tues 13th Dec	-	Bag2School collection
Weds 14th Dec	-	Christmas Lunch Day
Thurs 15th Dec	-	Christmas Party Day
Fri 16th Dec	-	Last Day of the Autumn Term, Service in the Church at 9.15am
Tues 3rd Jan	-	INSET Day
Weds 4th Jan	-	First Day of Spring Term
Sun 15th Jan	-	Deadline to apply for a place in a reception class in September 2023.
Friday 10th Feb	-	INSET Day
13th –17th Feb	-	Spring Half-Term
3rd—14th April	-	Easter Holidays
Mon 1st May	-	May Bank Holiday
8th—12th May	-	SATs Week
29th May-2nd June	-	Summer Half-Term
5th—7th June	-	Yr5&6 School Camp—Bristol Trip
Mon 24th July	-	INSET Day
Tues 25th July	-	INSET Day
Weds 26th July	-	School Holidays



School Lunches

We have been informed by Chartwells that as of next week Tuna will only be available as a Jacket Potato option on Wednesdays and Fridays.

Information Classification: CONTROLLED



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Parenting offer – what's new in January 2023?

Our Parenting Team continues to support parents and carers. From January 2023, we will offer Parent Support Programmes through virtual and face to face sessions.
All Requests for Help to be received through the Early Help Hub.

Early Years (1-3)

Being Passionate About Parenting Early Years (1-3 years)

Tuesdays 17th, 24th and 31st January 1-2.30pm on Microsoft Teams
Thursdays 2nd, 9th and 16th March 1-2.30pm on Microsoft Teams

Primary School Age (4-11)

Being Passionate About Parenting (4-11 years)

Mondays 16th, 23rd and 30th January 10-11.30am on Microsoft Teams

Being Passionate About Parenting with an introduction to ADHD (5-11 years)

Mondays 23rd, 30th January and 6th February 6-8pm at Hayle Family Hub
Thursdays 23rd February, 2nd and 9th March 10am-12pm at Redruth Family Hub
Wednesdays 8th, 15th and 22nd March 10am-12pm on Microsoft Teams

Being Passionate About Parenting with an introduction to the Spectrum (5-11 years)

Tuesdays 17th, 24th and 31st January 10am-12pm at Redruth Family Hub
Wednesdays 22nd February, 1st and 8th March 10am-12pm at Hayle Family Hub
Tuesdays 7th, 14th and 21st March 6-8pm on Microsoft Teams

Secondary School Age (12-17)

Being Passionate About the Teenage Brain (12-17 years)

Mondays 6th, 13th and 20th March 1-2.30pm on Microsoft Teams

Take 3 – Supporting Teenagers (12-17 years)

Tuesdays 10th January – 21st March (excluding half term) 5.30-7.30pm at Hayle Family Hub
Wednesdays 1st February – 8th March (excluding half term) 6-8pm on Microsoft Teams

Living with Parents (12-17 years)

Friday 24th March 9.30am-2.30pm at Hayle Family Hub

COMING SOON – Dates to be confirmed

Introduction to Teenagers with Traits of ADHD

Introduction to Teenagers with Autistic Traits

Introduction to Sensory Challenges for Teenagers

These will be 2 ½ hour workshops facilitated virtually on Microsoft Teams. These sessions will be available to parents who have completed the Take 3 parenting support programme.

