

21st October, 2022

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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

Readathon—raising money for reading books in hospitals.

Following the great success of last year's Readathon when we raised a fantastic £338, we will be holding another one during the week beginning Monday 7th November.

More details will be sent home after half-term.

The money we raise will provide books and storytellers to all of the UK's major children's hospitals and help fund projects encouraging children to read for fun. A love of reading improves a child's life beyond measure.

Thank you for helping make this happen.

Visit our website for loads of tips and downloadable extras or give us a call, we love to talk about reading!

readforgood.org

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Attendance Counts

Attendance

Motivating kids to read

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

This week's attendance:

Whole School	-	88.9%
Rose Class	-	92%
Tamarisk Class	-	88.1%
Socoa Class	-	87.1%

Well done to Rose Class who won the Attendance Trophy this week



Design Technology

Socoa have been carrying out some biscuit experiments. We firstly tried some different shop bought biscuits and ranked them 1 to 5. Then we made some biscuits following a recipe and finally we made up our own recipes and made the biscuits. Yum Yum! Brayden Yr 5



Parent Consultations

The teachers would like to thank all the parents and carers who came to talk to them this week. There was an overwhelming feeling of gratitude and joy amongst staff for all your positive comments and support! The next parent consultations will be in Spring and there will also be an Open Afternoon coming too.

Bonfire Menu

Thursday 3rd November Change of Menu Sausage & Mash Or Veggie Sausage & Mash

Year 1 Hearing Screening

Laura, from the audiology department, will be in school on Tuesday 1st November for the Year 1 hearing screening.



PTFA Funky Hair Day

The PTFA are holding a fundraising Funky Hair Day on Friday 4th November. Children can come to school with a funky hair-do for a donation to PTFA funds.



Last day of Autumn Term—Friday 16th December, 2022. Autumn Half-Term Mon 24th – Fri 28th October, 2022

Diary Dates Week beginning

Fri 21st Oct Camp Deposit

Mon 24th-Fri 27th Oct Mon 31st Oct

Tues 1st Nov

Fri 4th Nov Tues 8th Nov

Fri 11th Nov

-	Deadline for Yr5&6
-	Autumn Half-Term
-	Deadline to apply for a place in year
	seven at a Secondary School.
-	Yr 1 Hearing Screening & Rose Class
	Trip to Rosuick Farm
-	PTFA Funky Hair Day
-	X Country Race 3 KS2, Porthleven 4pm
-	Remembrance Worship at the War
	Memorial, 11am & Grandparents Day

Tempest Individual Photographs PTFA AGM 9am in the school staffroom Xmas Performance, 2pm & 6pm

Last Day of the Autumn Term, Service in the Church at 9.15am First Day of the Spring Term Deadline to apply for a place in a reception class in September 2023.

Bag2School collection Christmas Party Day

PTFA Jumble Sale—3.15pm, School Hall

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THE WAVE



/ Larder News

will have seen the pop-up larder outside school on fternoons between 3 and 4pm.

nunity Larder is an exciting project to tackle food waste, help reduce carbon emissions and give local people access to good nutritious food that would otherwise be thrown away. We're also building community connections and local resilience, while addressing food insecurity.

The main community larder is based at Helston Family Hub off Bulwark Road every Tuesday 2.30-4.00pm.

Food production accounts for 30% of the world's greenhouse gas emissions, yet a third of all food goes uneaten. Wasting food generates more greenhouse gas emissions than all the commercial flights in the world. In the UK an incredible 9.5 million tonnes of food gets wasted each year, 70% of which could have been eaten - this is the equivalent of 15 billion meals.

Community larders are a really good way of tackling food waste locally, distributing food from supermarkets, local farmers and other local businesses that is perfectly good to eat, but would otherwise be thrown away. This is so unnecessary, especially when so many families are having to rely on foodbanks to put food on the table. Some of the changes we need to make to address the climate emergency we know are out of reach of many people. But this is something we can all do, and it will help address food insecurity too.

As the availability of waste food has dropped off after the summer, we have decided to hold the larder in Ruan Minor on alternate weeks with a larder being held at Mullion Primary School at the same time on the other weeks. See the poster for the dates. If we have a surplus of food we will hold an extra pop-up larder which will be advertised on social media.

The larder is open to everyone so bring a bag and help yourself!