

Date: 5 November 2021



OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT

GODREVVY: Grace

FISTRAL: Stanley

MOUSEHOLE: Maisie

TREEN: Noah Y

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!



This week, and for half term, birthday wishes go to:

Nina, Olivia, Dillon and Bella B

Looking ahead

Welcome back everyone. I hope that you all had enjoyable half terms. The children are clearly happy to be back in school and have excellent starts. This is always one of the more busy half terms of the school year with Christmas fast approaching. I know that many of you will be wondering whether the school's regular Christmas events will be taking place this year as they were disrupted by Covid restrictions in 2020. We plan to hold our annual events such as: Key Stage 1 Nativity, Key Stage 2 Choir concert and the FOSS Christmas fayre this year, with parents attending. However, there will need to be some control measures in place. You will also be aware I'm sure that there is a national plan B for controlling the spread of Covid. We will also be subject to any controls that will be required should this happen. As we approach these events we will communicate with you in detail about arrangements.

Parents evenings

Parents evenings will be held on Monday 22nd November and Thursday 25th November. They will run from 3:30—6:00 each evening. We will communicate next week with detail on how you can book a slot, so please look out for this.

Mr Coleman

Teaching Assistant position

This position is now live on the TPAT and Council websites if you are interested in applying. The role is for 2 mornings and lunchtimes, Thursday and Friday, in Godrevy Class, working from 8:50-1:30 each day. If you would like to discuss the position with Mr Coleman, then please get in touch. The deadline is next Thursday.

Current Clubs

Monday - Cookery club

Tuesday - Multi-skills, Craft and Golf (16 November, 30 November and 14 December only)

Wednesday - Football and All-sorts

Thursday - Cross Country and Hockey

School Admissions September 2022

The online application system for places in our Reception class for next September is now live. A leaflet about this was sent home a couple of weeks ago to any families that we know have younger children at home and can also be obtained from the office. Detailed information about the admissions process is available online at:

www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

The deadline for application is 15 January 2022

Meet one of our Governors . . . **Alison Haskell**



After running my own business for seventeen years I decided upon a career change and started teaching in 2007. Over the next decade I gained a wide range of experience, having taught from Nursery through to Key Stage 2,

mentored student teachers and developed various projects within Buckinghamshire. I have also been a staff Governor and have enjoyed the role immensely. I found it to be a rewarding position as I became involved in a part of the school that I wouldn't have normally been involved with. Since moving down to Cornwall in August 2017, due to my husband's new job, we have enjoyed becoming part of the St Erth community. I have a young child in Primary School and currently work part-time at St Erth School as a Teaching Assistant as well as in the office. Becoming a Governor has given me a further opportunity to keep active in the 'Education world' and put my teaching experience to further use.

COME JOIN THE PARADE, FANCY DRESS OPTIONAL.
MEET ON NORTH QUAY (OPPOSITE CLIFTON TERRACE)
4.45PM FOR 5PM START. FOLLOWED BY
ENTERTAINMENT AND HAYLE CHRISTMAS LIGHT
SWITCH ON AT 6.30PM AT THE DAY CENTRE
ALL UNDER 14'S MUST BE ACCOMPANIED BY A
RESPONSIBLE ADULT.

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Updated Coronavirus Guidance -Following the notification we sent to you all earlier today regarding a positive test result for Covid within the School community, please read this updated guidance from Public Health Cornwall:

The number of COVID-19 infections in Cornwall continues to increase, with more than half of the total number being recorded in Cornish Schools.

Because of this, Public Health Cornwall is asking parents, carers, teachers and school staff to follow some new guidance.

We request:

- You book a PCR test if you are a household or close contact of a confirmed COVID-19 case
- We are asking for household contacts of a case who attend an educational setting to take a daily rapid LFD test for 7 days

This additional testing recommendation applies to children in secondary schools and additionally primary schools if parents/carers feel comfortable in doing so.

The daily testing recommendation for Cornwall is not mandatory but designed to identify children and young people who develop COVID-19 a few days after their sibling or other household member and therefore reduce the risk of COVID-19 spreading in schools.

If they do not have COVID-19 symptoms and are testing negative they can continue to attend their setting. If they test positive on an LFD test or develop new symptoms, they should self-isolate and take a PCR test.

We also request that all parents, carers and older siblings of school aged children test twice weekly, using a lateral flow test, in line with the continued government guidance.