



Friday 18 NOVEMBER 2016

Attendance Percentage: Week Ending Friday 18 November 2016:

FAL	COBER	LERRYIN	HELFFORD	KENWYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
91.1	91.2	99.3	95.4	96.2	100	96.9

Attendance to date:

FAL	COBER	LERRYIN	HELFFORD	KENWYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
98.95	95.72	98.42	96.80	97.81	98.52	97.20

Current whole school attendance: 97.57%

Dear Parents and Carers, Thank you to everyone who came to school covered in spots today and helped us raise some valuable funds for Children in Need. We've all had a lot of fun and it is a pleasure to contribute to such a valuable cause. Many thanks to Mrs Newton and the Kids' Council for coordinating our efforts again this year. We'll announce the total raised next week.

As many of you are aware Mrs Churchley is retiring on Tuesday November 29th. On that day at 2pm there will be a special farewell assembly followed by refreshments. Please join us if you can.

On Friday 9th December we will be having a School Christmas Fayre starting at 2:45pm (No assembly that day). To help us collect for stalls, on Friday 2nd December there will be a non uniform day in exchange for a bottle for the bottle bola and on Friday 9th it will also be a non uniform day in exchange for a prize for the tombola. Thank you in advance for your support.

Best wishes, Helen Bancroft

A NOTE FROM THE KITCHEN:

Please do not give your child money for milkshakes or juice at lunchtime. Could you please hand in your money for drinks on a Monday morning in a named envelope at the school office. Many thanks, Anna (Kitchen).

SICKNESS: Parents are asked to keep children at home if they are unwell and for 48 hours following a bout of sickness or diarrhoea.

KENWYN CLASS are visiting Falmouth Art Gallery on Monday 28 November. All children will require a packed lunch as we will not be back in time for school lunch.

TAMAR CLASS VISITS

Tamar class are going to BF Adventure on Tuesday 22 November from 9am - 1pm. All children will need a packed lunch. Please return permission slips asap.

Other dates for your diary:

Tuesday 6 December - Roskilly's all day.

Tuesday 13 December at Eden Project Ice Skating in the afternoon.

KIDS CLUB A date for your diary - please note that there will be no kids club on Friday 25 November and Tuesday 29 November..

FATHER CHRISTMAS AND HIS REINDEER are visiting Constantine Church Hall on Monday 5 December 6-8pm. More details in next week's newsletter!

MATHLETICS The top two are brand new to our Leader Board this week - well done Theo and Bella!

- Theo McKinley Lerryn 3570
- Isabella Lawer Tresillian 3190
- Sara Roberts Tresillian 2220
- Martha Turner Lerryn 1830
- Lily Butler Tresillian 1623

COATS: This is a reminder that ALL children should bring a coat to school now that the weather is turning colder and wetter. Also please make sure that you put names in all uniform.

KIDS CLUB HELPER REQUIRED

We require someone to help out on Friday evenings at kids club for 2.75 hours. Unfortunately if we cannot find anyone, kids club may have to close on a Friday. If you are interested please speak to Mrs Bancroft or Mrs Beswick.

COOKERY: This is a reminder for children to bring in their £5 for the year towards the ingredients for cooking. Each child will cook at least once per term so £5 is not a lot to ask!

THE CORNISH WINTER FAIR: Saturday 19 November 2016 10-5pm Royal Cornwall Events Centre, Wadebridge. Free Entry. See poster on notice board.

SPORT: Swimming Gala: We were delighted to have won the Annual Penryn Partnership Trophy for the most points in the swimming gala this year. We took 22 swimmers in total from three year groups and they were all amazing. We received gold medals for the Y5 (Barney G) and Y6 (Edward) boys 25m breast stroke and for the Y5 and Y6 boys relay teams. We won many heats (12/20) and we even had children swimming for Flushing, Kennal Vale and Perranarworthal Schools. A special mention must go to Helen and Theo who are both Y4s and they swam in the Y5 teams. This really shows that our children are great sports players when they are willing to swim for another school to enable them to take part. All the staff, children and coaches are ecstatic with the results. Our name is now on the trophy six times. Mrs Churchley burst into tears when the results were announced as this was her final swimming gala with Constantine as she retires at the end of this month - what a fitting tribute to one of our best swim coaches.

Our contributions here and within the Partnership are truly valued and are a direct link to our school values which I'd just like to remind you of:

At Constantine we support the Olympic values: friendship, courage, equality, determination, excellence, inspiration and respect. We encourage all children to enjoy and achieve through a range of challenging opportunities to be physically and mentally active and promote positive attitudes towards healthy lifestyles both in and out of school.

Gymnastics: The children who have been selected for the gymnastics competition have been given permission slips for next Friday's event. We had so many wanting to do this and some have gone above and beyond with learning their routines in preparation for selections. Well done to all those who spent some time on this and thank you. The team this year is as follows: Gracie, Lily B, Eiger, Alexandra, Lydia, Skye, Valerie, Helen, Jameson, Mawgan, Taya, Kaiden, Charlotte B, Maya, Martha P, Zoya, Polly, Isabel, William, Harry. We will need **volunteer drivers** to help transport the children, so if you can help please indicate this on the form when it is returned on Monday. Mrs G will also attend this event to support and team manage the children.

Netball: Report by Olivia Webb and Olivia G: "*On Wednesday we played Mabe School and won 9-2. Edward scored 4, David 3 and Olivia W 2. Well done to everyone who played*".

Another great game...you made it look easy on Wednesday night - what a team. We have two more match nights to attend before the end of the league. Next week we play Penryn B on Court 3, match 2 (4.20pm start). Our team will be made up of the following children: Olivia G, Olivia W, Edward, David, Sarah and Taya. We have Sarah Hayes, Hayley, Katie and myself driving there but may require a further adult to help return the children to the village.

Football: Wow what a week for our netball and footballers! This week we played Penryn B team and won 5-4 with Ethan J scoring 4 and Alexandra 1, and we won again Falmouth Primary 6-0 with goals from Ethan (3), Jack R (2) and Alexandra (1). We have really good results so far in this league series! Next week we have another 2 matches against St Francis and King Charles. Our team will be Ethan J, Jack G, Jack R, Kaiden, Angus, Gracie, Alexandra and Josh L. The last match will finish approx 5.10 so children will not be back to Constantine until approx 5.30pm.

CULDROSE THEATRE GROUP are putting on a production called Adventures in Pantoland on Wed 30 Nov, Thurs 1 Dec, Sat 3 Dec and Sun 4 Dec. Tickets available from LWTR Armstrong 07773 025343. *P.S. The dress rehearsal is cheaper, phone above no. for more info.*

ADVENT CAROL SERVICE:

The Annual Carol Service in aid of the Helford River Children's Sailing Trust is on Monday 28 November 2016, 7pm at St Constantine Church. The choir will be singing and they will need to be at the Church at 6.45pm.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

21 Nov	Hearing Screening Year 1
22 Nov	Tamar class trip to BF Adventure
24 Nov	Gym competition 10-12.30 Leo Club Penryn
24 Nov	Visitor in school for Kenwyn class 'Wrecks & Rescue'
25 Nov	No Kids Club
28 Nov	Kenwyn class to Falmouth Art Gallery
28 Nov	HRCST Advent Carol Service, 7pm Constantine Church
29 Nov	2pm Farewell assembly to Mrs Churchley
29 Nov	No Kids Club
2 Dec	Non uniform day bring a bottle for bottle bola
5 Dec	Father Christmas & Reindeer Church Hall 6pm-8pm
6 Dec	Tamar class at Roskilly's all day
6 Dec	Christingle, 2.30pm, Constantine Church
9 Dec	Non uniform bring a tombola prize
9 Dec	PTA Christmas Fayre in school
12 Dec	KS1 nativity, dress rehearsal 11am, matinee 2pm
13 Dec	Tamar ice skating Eden Project
13 Dec	KS1 nativity evening performance 6.30pm
14 Dec	Pre School Nativity 9.30am
14 Dec	Christmas Dinner
16 Dec	Break up for Christmas holidays at 1.15pm
4 Jan 2017	Back to school for start of Spring Term 2017