



**Friday 8 July 2016**

Attendance Percentage: Week Ending Friday 8 July 2016:

FAL	COBER	LERRYYN	HELFFORD	KENWYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
98.2	97.23	99.2	100	96.9	100	95

Attendance to date:

FAL	COBER	LERRYYN	HELFFORD	KENWYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
94.39	97.23	96.07	95.89	97.14	96.77	97.74

Current whole school attendance: 96.52%

Dear Parents/Carers, What a week for Lerryn Class! They started on Monday with their amazing Brazilian Carnival accompanied by the school Samba Band. The masks were marvellous and the whole performance was an exciting recreation of a Brazilian Carnival. Well done Mr Anjari and Mrs Moyle for carrying off this spectacle. As I write Lerryn are having a wonderful time on their first school camp so I think they will be particularly exhausted this week. They need to rest up at the weekend as on Monday they are performing 'Bambi' at 2:15pm in the school hall. The rest of the school will watch it in the morning but all parents and extended families are very welcome to attend. My thanks go to Mrs Massey who has organised the whole thing to enhance our drama and music provision even further.

As we near the end of term there are so many events happening but I want to particularly highlight a couple of future community events that our children have had input in: On Saturday 16th July is the Constantine Cottage Garden Society Summer Show. All classes have submitted entries. Also on 6th and 7th August is an exhibition and weekend of activities at the Tolmen Centre called Constantine Remembers - this is our parish commemorating its contribution to World War 1. Tresillian Class have contributed to the exhibits. Our local community is really important to us so please do support. A timetable of proceedings is on our notice board so please take note as there really is something for everyone.

You should receive your child's report on Monday. Please note that the attendance figures were from a cut-off date of June 26th. The Surf Camp assembly is on Thursday 14 July at 2.45pm, everyone is welcome to attend. **There will be no assembly on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July.**

**One other IMPORTANT DIARY DATE: Autumn Term will now start on WEDNESDAY 7th September as staff have INSET training on Mon 5th and Tues 6th.**

No School Bank on Tuesday 12 July, please pay any outstanding trip money to the office.  
Best wishes, Helen Bancroft.

**SAILING** Sailing will take place on Monday 11 July; drivers will be: Zoe Freeman, Verena Newton, Kim Potts, Katie Pledger, Caroline Keenan, Rosanna Brown, Len Cheshire, Cathy/David Drewett .  
Many thanks.

**REHEARSAL SCHEDULE FOR END OF TERM PERFORMANCE YRS 4,5,6**

There are some performances taking place at the Tolmen Centre over the next week. Two of those days are full days at the Tolmen Centre (Friday 15 and Monday 18 July) and children in Tresillian, Tamar and Kenwyn will need to bring a packed lunch.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

11 July	Year 2 'Bambi' Production 2pm for 2.15pm start
13 July	Yrs 4,5,6 'School Daze' am Tolmen rehearsal
14 July	Yrs 4,5,6 'School Daze' am Tolmen rehearsal
14 July	Surf Camp assembly 2.45PM
15 July	Yrs 4,5,6 rehearsal 'School Daze' Tolmen all day EVERYONE NEEDS A PACKED LUNCH
15 July	End of term disco
16 July	Cottage Garden Show
16 July	'Brass on Grass' 7-8.30pm
18 July	Yrs 4,5,6 rehearsal 'School Daze' Tolmen all day EVERYONE NEEDS A PACKED LUNCH
18 July	Yr 4,5,6 performance 'School Daze' Tolmen 7pm
19 July	Teddy Bear's picnic 2-2.45pm
19 July	Yr 4,5,6 performance 'School Daze' Tolmen 7pm
21 July	Breakup for summer holidays 1.15pm leavers assembly, approx. 2.15pm finish.

**\*WEDNESDAY 7 SEPTEMBER BACK TO SCHOOL**

**ALL SCHOOL**

The dress rehearsal of 'School Daze' is on Monday 18 July and the whole school will be walking down to watch during the afternoon. **Please collect your children from the Tolmen Centre at 3.15pm.** Many thanks.

**BAMBI, Monday 11th July, 2pm for  
2.15pm start**

Come at watch Lerryn's class performance of Bambi on Monday in the hall.

**SPORT - National Sport Week 2016**

Although we missed the actual week we will be celebrating National Sport week next week when all classes will be taking an extra 20 minutes physical activity time each day. A box/bag of equipment will be placed in each classroom and this will be rotated daily to ensure all classes get a variety of equipment to use. Y4 children will be delivering the kit and we hope to see plenty of activity going ahead on the playground and in the field additional to the 2 hours PE timetabled and also on top of the mile a day running time (that some classes have maintained at this busy time of year). Enjoy yourselves.

**Parking fine!** The children have been selling raffle tickets this week to raise some money to pay for a parking ticket we unfortunately got on camp last week. This was due to the mini buses being too long for the parking bays. Mrs G has purchased and donated a body board and skim board (as surf camp was so good and all the children loved their time in the sea) and raffle tickets are being sold for £1. If you would like a ticket then please see Y6 who will add your name to a ticket and plop it in the box. The draw will take place at our camp assembly next week. Many thanks and good luck.

**CPS sports kits:** Please, please, please look very carefully at home for any items from our school sports kits. There are items from our football, cricket, cross country and netball/hockey kits that are missing. We have spent a lot of money in the last year in ensuring all our kit is smart and something to be proud of when out playing against other schools. We'd like to make sure that next year's teams can also look good when representing us. If you have any items lurking at home they must be returned asap and definitely before the end of term please. Anyone who finds an item or two **will be rewarded** by Mrs G - so bring anything you find to her. Many thanks.

**Gymnastics mats for sale:** Having ordered some new gym mats back in November we are delighted that they have finally arrived! As we have lovely new mats that Velcro together (thanks to our sport premium money) we no longer need the mats we were using. We have 15 mats for sale. If you would like to purchase one to practise your gym on at home (or indeed for yoga mums) then please come in and pick one. The blue and green older mats (with Velcro) will sell at £10 and the newer blue mats will be £20 each. What a bargain (£70 each new)...they will be sold on a first come, first serve basis and they must go as we have a buyer waiting for the lot if they don't sell to school families.

**Sports Clubs 2016-2017:** Many thanks for your interest in what sports clubs your children would like to see and try next year. We have devised a timetable alongside Go-Active Cornwall who will be providing some of our provision here as follows:

Autumn 1st half term: Tuesday - Tag Rugby KS1&2, Thursday - Zorbing KS2.

Autumn 2nd half term: Tues - multi Skills for KS1&2, Thursday gymnastics KS2 and Friday - Street Surfing KS2.

Spring 1st half: Tues - Street dance KS2, Thurs - Gymnastics KS1, Friday- Fencing KS2.

Spring 2nd half term: Tues - Street Dance KS1, Thurs- Dodgeball KS1&2.

Summer 1st half term: Tues- Alternative sports KS1, Thurs - Tennis KS2, Fri - Street surfing KS2.

Summer 2nd half term: Tues - Athletics KS1, Thurs - Athletics KS 2 and Fri - Archery KS2. How exciting! There will be a fee for these clubs that will run for six weeks each half term, for an hour after school. We will also continue to run Netball (Monday), Sailing (Monday), Football (Friday pm), surfing (Friday pm) and cross country (Fri am).

League nights will still be on Wednesdays starting with netball and football in the autumn term, in the Spring term the basketball and hockey league will take place and new for the summer term will be a Tag- rugby league! If there are any football mums, dads or grandparents who would be willing to help with football club on Friday after school and who can attend the football league on Wednesdays we'd love to hear from you. If not it is unlikely we will be able to take part in the league matches this next year.

How exciting and what lucky children!

**Sainsbury's School Games Award - GOLD!!!:** For the third year running we have achieved the top award for our provision of physical activity, school sport and competitive sports. We are delighted with this, especially as our numbers are shooting up and the boundaries increase each year making it harder to achieve. Well done Constantine Primary School. Our annual Sports report to Governors is on the website at the top of the PE page if you would like to read it.

**Summer Reading Challenge 2016 - The Big Friendly Read** The scheme is offered in every library, we hope that you can encourage the children to take part. The launch day is Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> July and runs until Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September - signing up early gives the maximum time to complete the challenge. Taking part is **free** and new members of the library are always welcome. Children choose books to read independently or with family and friends, and then talk to library staff about their reading. They collect 'rewards' to mark their progress and children who finish the scheme, by reading a minimum of 6 books, receive a certificate and a medal. We are running a series of "make and take" sessions on the 26<sup>th</sup> July, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> August from 2pm - 3.30pm. these sessions are also **free**. To join the library is easy and only takes a few minutes. For an adult all that is needed is one piece of identification consisting of name and address for example a utility bill, council tax bill or photo driving licence. To get a card for a child again it's something with the adults name and address - basically the adult joining the child then is responsible for any lost or damaged items. Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 9.30am - 5pm, Wed and Fri closed, Sat 10am-1pm. You can have up to 18 items on each ticket. **Books** are issued for 3 weeks. If you need to renew your books you can do so in person, over the phone or online. Make sure you have your library card and book ready. For further information about what other services and events are on offer you can visit Falmouth Library.

**LIBRARY:** Could all library books not currently being read be returned in the coming week and all other books at the beginning of the week after. Just to save an enormous deluge on the last day of term!  
Thanks, Maggie

**Wanted:** Hamster-sitter!  
Would anyone like to care for Amy Hayes' friendly hamster in the summer holidays please? Food etc provided.

**TAMAR CLASS**

Next week Mr Wild will be teaching Sex Relationship Education (SRE) to Year 5 children. If any parents would like information about the content, please speak to Mr Wild.

**SURF CAMP ASSEMBLY** This is on THURSDAY JULY 14 AT 2.30PM. ALL WELCOME. Please note that there will be no celebration assembly on Friday 15 July.

**KIDS CLUB**

There will be no kids club on the last day of term Thursday 21 July.

**RAINFOREST EXTRAVAGANZA IN COBER CLASS!**

Please come to Cober class to see your child's work anytime between 2.45-3.15pm on Friday 15 July.

**END OF TERM DISCO**

The end of term disco is on Friday 15 July 2016: KS1: 6pm to 7pm; KS2 7.15pm to 8.15pm.  
£1 entrance fee and our parent helpers will be selling drinks and sweets.  
Many thanks to Ellie James who has organised a team of volunteers to support this.

**DINNER MONEY**

Please ensure that dinner money is brought into school in a named envelope stating names, classes, days when lunch is required and amount paid.  
If your child is having a milk shake at lunch time this should also be put in an envelope on MONDAY morning and instructions as to which day it is required.  
The kitchen staff are very busy and only want to handle money on Monday mornings. At the moment money is being brought in every day!

**THANK YOU**

Bethan Kent would like to say a huge thank you to all the families who donated clothes for children in orphanages in Swaziland. The children were really appreciative and the items of clothing made such an impact on their lives.