



Friday 18 December 2015

Attendance Percentage: Week Ending Friday 18 December:

FAL	COBER	LERRYN	HELFORD	KENWYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
89.5	98	91.6	92	97.1	99.7	94.2

Attendance to date:

FAL	COBER	LERRYN	HELFORD	KENWYN	TAMAR	TRESILLIAN
94.63	97.06	96.41	97.63	98.02	97.45	98.23

Current whole school attendance: 97.13%

Dear Parents / Carers,

What a wonderful week! I am going to take up a lot of space as I want to say a huge

Thank you!

to the wonderful team that organised and ran the Ceilidh and raised a whopping

£900.00

for our school. It was a brilliant evening so special thanks to Antonia and Matt Mullaly, Tom and Maggie Kok, Verena and Ben Newton, Ellie James, Holly Campbell, Rachel and David Roberts, Zoe Freeman and Andy, Claire Swain, Sorcha Hitchcox and Frank Van Veen. My thanks also to everyone who supported the event. We will have a PTA AGM early next term so we can really grow from this fabulous team effort.

All of our children and staff enjoyed our Christmas Dinner celebrations on Wednesday. Thanks to Mandy and Anna in the kitchen who provided a marvellous feast. As a treat the classes this year had a Christmas Tree competition. Please see our website for the amazing results and "Well done" to Kenwyn and Fal as joint winners.

May I take this opportunity to thank you all for your support this term and to thank all of the staff in their tireless efforts to make Constantine School such a special place. Happy Christmas everyone!

Helen Bancroft

PLEASE NOTE
THAT WE
RETURN TO
SCHOOL ON
TUESDAY 5TH
JANUARY 2016

**APPLICATIONS FOR RECEPTION
2016**

Please be reminded that if you have a child or know of any children due to start school in September 2016 the deadline for applications is 23:59 pm on January 15th 2016.

Please note
there will be no
school bank on
Tuesday 5 it will
resume on 12th
January 2016.

SPORTS

Swimming:

Tamar class will continue swimming on the following dates: Friday Jan 8, Jan 15, Jan 22 and Jan 29. We also have to prepare our Y5 girl's team for the next round of the swimming gala which takes place on 29th January at Carn Brea. Kenwyn class will start their 7 week swim course on Friday 26 February.

Gymnastics:

The Y5/6 event takes place on the first Friday back - 8th January 9.30-12.30. All children attending will need a packed lunch and we will require help with driving from parents so please indicate on the permission slip if you are able to do this. We are entering one club team and two school gymnast teams. The children attending all have permission slips and a copy of the floor and body management routines that they will need to practice over the holidays. Please return the forms ASAP so we can sort transport. Good luck to: Leandros, Eiger, Lewis M, Lily, Alexander, Gracie, Edward, Marley, Jude, Charlotte B, Daniel and Hannah.

Saracens Basketball Trials:

We have been offered ten places for pupils to try out for this amazing team. Having had such a great response from many of our pupils I have been granted extra places. The training times are stated on the letters the children have. As this is a Penryn event all of those participating need to be transported by parents. Trials are held on 11th and 18th January 5-6.30pm at Penryn College in the tennis dome. I am delighted that the following children all have letters: Olivia W, Jack G, Edward, Andrew, Sarah, David, Jack R, Angus, Alexander, Oscar, Harry R, Wilf, Jude, Marley, Jess, Millie, Hannah, Molly T, Daniel, Nathan, Lewis T, Maisie and Ella D.

Please let Mrs Gilbert know if you can definitely attend both sessions then she will forward your names to Mr Ash at Penryn so he will be expecting you. It would be wonderful if you can all attend.

GOODBYE TO MR COLLINS

Dave Collins has been running the cross country club for a number of years every Friday morning. It is with regret that he is now leaving us and we wish him all the best for the future. Miss Bidgood will continue with cross country next term.

CHRISTINGLE: Thanks for all of the Christingle candles you sent in. We have heard from the Church that the amount raised was £220.57 for The Children's Society.

MATHLETICS Congratulations to everyone on their Mathletics scores this term and look out for Mathletics week next term! These are the scores for Autumn Term 2015:

Harry Drewitt Tamar 19380
Charlie Morgado Lerryn 14904
Andrew Roberts Tamar 13452
Leo Dey Kenwyn 12843
Martha Dixon Lerryn 11270

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

5 Jan 2016	Children back to School after Christmas
8 Jan	Key Steps Gym Competition pm
13 Jan	Capoeira all day all classes
14 Jan	" " " "
15 Jan	Deadline for Reception place admissions
19 Jan	Year 4 Fire safety talk 1.30-2.30pm
5 Feb	Cross Country Falmouth School 1-3pm
12 Feb	KS1 inclusion festival
12 Feb	Break up for half term
22 Feb	Back to school after half term

MUSIC LESSONS

Guitar: This may start on Wednesday 6 Jan please bring in your instruments just in case.

Brass: Please note that the day has now been changed to **Monday mornings**, starting 11 January.

Keyboard and drums: Unfortunately we have no confirmation yet of the start date in January, but it will probably be on Wed 13th.

Well done Barney Gilbert and Oliver Wood they have been secretly making a collection in Kenwyn for children who won't have a special Christmas. They have raised a wonderful £31.00! What a lovely sentiment at this time of year!

CLUBS There will be no clubs on the first week back in January 2016.