

Have a fantastic summer break! We'll be back on 5th September!

# SCHOOL IS OUT!

Please note that our term dates for 2018-19 differ slightly to Cornwall Council's dates—we start the year on Wednesday 5th September and finish the year on Friday 26th July, 2019.

We are also grouping our five INSET dates to create a two week October Half Term Break—Monday 22nd October to Friday 2nd November. This decision was made, with the support of our parents, to enable families to take an affordable holiday during term time without the need for an absence from school.



Thank you to our Year 6 children for the fantastic entertainment you provided last week. Your SuperStan performance had us chuckling from start to finish! We really enjoyed seeing clumsy Stanley Marvel transform into SuperStan to defeat Candy King—the Super-Villain! Of course he was helped along the way by his crazy Gran and some Mad Minions! What courage you all displayed to be up on stage performing in front of so many people. Well done Year 6!





### My Mum—By Daisy

Mums are like buttons  
They hold everything together  
They are little lights  
Leading you home  
When you are lost  
They are a burst of sunshine  
In your life  
When you talk  
They will listen  
Mums cook and clean  
Kiss and cuddle  
They are always there when you need them  
They have that special bond  
Where you trust to tell them anything  
This is for my Mum, the No. 1, the one I love.



On Tuesday, Mrs Strathen came in for the annual Year 5 Poetry Competition. There were ten poems picked from the year group and the overall winner was Daisy. Well done Daisy!



## Yr3

Move over Charles and Camilla, Year 3 were the talk of the town in

Fowey on Monday! To finish our final week in Year 3, we all went canoeing before sleeping

over in school! The children were exceptionally well behaved despite the heavens opening, even drawing positive comments from the Harbour Master about their exceptional teamwork. On returning to school, the children made pizzas for their tea and played lots of games, before settling down to watch a film and sleeping in their classrooms.

"The canoeing was amazing, even though my feet got really wet!" ~ Hayden

## Sleepover



School tracksuits are no longer available to buy. Children who already have a school branded tracksuit, are welcome to continue to wear these on their class's swimming day for the next academic year. Please note, only *school branded* tracksuits are permitted to be worn—otherwise normal school uniform must be worn.

### Girls Uniform

#### **White polo shirts**

Infants—all year, Juniors—summer term only

#### **White shirt or blouse and school tie**

Juniors—autumn & spring, polo shirt option for summer

#### **Mount Charles V-neck jumper or Cardigan**

#### **Grey Trousers**

Traditional school style: flares & leggings are unacceptable

#### **Grey Skirt or Pinafore Dress**

Blue & white gingham dress during summer term

#### **Grey or White Socks**

**Black school shoes - no trainers**

### Boys Uniform

#### **White polo shirt**

Infants—all year, Juniors—summer term only

#### **White shirt and school tie**

Juniors—autumn & spring, polo shirt option for summer

#### **Mount Charles V-neck jumper**

#### **Grey trousers or Grey shorts**

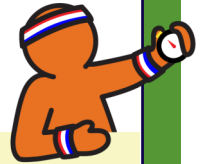
#### **Grey Socks**

**Black school shoes - no trainers**



On Monday 9th July 30 Year 5 children attended the Sugar Smart Leader Training Programme. This scheme was delivered by the Arena Sports Network and was funded through our Sport Premium money. The children had all expressed an interest in being Play Leaders next year, helping out other children during play time and lunch.

During the day they were given information on healthy eating options and did some experiments to find out how much sugar is in the foods we eat. They also were trained in setting up playtime games using our PE equipment. The trainers made a point of telling us how impressed they were with the children's knowledge in the class and their teamwork during the physical activities. Certificates will be given out and we are excitedly planning how to use their new skills next year.



## Charity Bike Ride



Mr Walters and one of our former teachers, Mr Tooke, are raising money for the charity Crohn's & Colitis UK. They support people who suffer from Crohn's Disease, Ulcerative Colitis and IBD (Irritable Bowel Disease) and raise awareness about these conditions too - they are more common than you think and have been on the BBC news recently. Mr. Walters and Mr. Tooke along with another friend are riding the Prudential Ride London 100 mile cycle event in July. If you can, please take the time to visit the following Just Giving page and read Mr. Tooke's story - it would be even better if you could sponsor us too. Every donation is appreciated and gratefully received. Thank you for your support.

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/titanium-legs>

Following Health and Safety Instruction: The top playground will no longer be used as a car park from September. This is following concerns with the number of fuel spills and the risk to children and parents using the footpaths with cars entering and leaving the car park. We would like to remind you that our families are welcome to park at B&M and St Augustine's Church.



### When UV is 3 or above be SunSmart



Slip



Slop



Slap



Seek



Slide

Don't forget to be Sun Smart during the beautifully hot weather we are being spoilt with! Remember to use a waterproof sunscreen (UV and UCA), of at least SPF30. Sunscreen should be applied twenty minutes before exposure to the sun and reapplied every two hours, as well as after swimming or sweating. For further "Slip, Slop, Slap, Seek & Slide" advice, please visit:

[www.sunsmart.org.nz/be-sunsmart](http://www.sunsmart.org.nz/be-sunsmart)

Please remember to name all pieces of uniform in September. This makes items easier to reunite with owners.

Caterlink have notified us that the cost of schools dinners will increase to £2.32 per meal in September.





# SPORTS

## Tennis

On Thursday 12th July Year 5 and 6 competed in the Mini Wimbledon Tennis Tournament. There were two competitions for both boys and girls. Those that won their first round match went into the Trophy Tournament and those that lost their first match went into the Plate Tournament. After that, it was a knock-out competition. Each match was umpired by the children, with a let played for any points that were uncertain. I was really impressed with the way the children supported each other and the good sporting attitudes that were shown. The matches were close and competitive with tennis skills really improving through the day.

The Year 6 girls played a total of 35 games with 24 girls taking part! The attitude with which the tournament was played was brilliant and they can all be proud of taking part. The winners were as follows:

Main competition: Millie triumphed over Tilly with a super comeback. It was a match certainly worthy of the final. Well done to both!

Plate competition: Jasmine was victorious against Jess in what was a close final. Again, well done to both!

Yr5 Girls Trophy Winner: Phoebe

Yr5 Girls Trophy Runner Up: Zennor

Yr5 Girls Plate Winner: Olivia

Yr5 Girls Plate Runner Up: Maisie



The Year 6 boys played a total of 33 games with 23 boys taking part. Again, the behavior and conduct of the children during the tournament was a joy to behold. The winners were as follows:

Main competition: Owain defeated Finlay in an outstanding final with a super high standard of tennis.

Plate competition: Freddie was the plate champion by beating William in an exciting final—both players did very well!

Yr5 Boys Trophy Winner: Tobi

Yr5 Boys Trophy Runner Up: Stanley

Yr5 Boys Plate Winner: Jake

Yr5 Boys Plate Runner Up: Jamie



## Judo

Toby in 5RN won gold at the Primary Schools Judo competition at Mullion. Fantastic! Well done!



## Cricket

Our cricket team recently played in the county games at Hayle Cricket Club and came 8th out of the whole County!



## Celebrating

Yr1—Alexander, Alexis, Kallum & Mia

Yr2—Harry & Liam

Yr3—Maja & Megan

Yr4—Asha, Caleb, Lily & Oliver

Yr5—Jamie

Yr6—All of Year 6 for their incredible end of year production!

## Success

## MATHS CHAMPS



Last week's champs!

Abe — RGB

Autumn — 2AB

Zennor — 5LB

Our attendance trophy was won by:

3AW on Friday 13th July with 98.7%

3AW on Friday 22nd June with 100%

Twenty eight children received a prize for achieving 100% attendance for the whole academic year! Congratulations!

We are pleased to report that 204 children achieved 100% attendance for the second half of the summer term! Brilliant!



# Attendance!

## Diary

## Dates

### September

5th Back to school!

12th Yr4 Aquarium Trip

19th Yr6 Poltair Taster Day

24th Autism Coffee Morning, 8:30am

27th Yr6 Penrice Taster Day

Penrice Open Evening, Yrs4, 5 & 6

### October

15th Yr1 Hearing Screening

22nd October Half Term, (two weeks)

### November

3rd School resumes after half term break

14th School Photographs

- individual and sibling

15th Flu immunisations, YrR—Yr5

Swimming Gala v. Truro

21st PSA Pantomime Treat Day

26th Swimming Gala v. Truro

### December

3rd Autism Coffee Afternoon, 1:30pm

19th Christmas Dinner Day

20th Last day of Term, 1:30pm finish





## Summer Fun at St Austell Library!

**"Mischief Makers"**  
Summer Reading Challenge!  
For ages 4-11. Read 6 books over 8 weeks  
and collect stickers and prizes as you go!  
Sat 14th July – Sat 8th September. FREE to join!

Thurs 2nd August 10am, 11.15am, & 2pm. For ages 4-12.  
Cassandra Wye's "Tales of Mischief, Magic & a Little  
Bit of Mayhem!" brings the magical and mischievous  
world of the rainforest to Cornwall, with tales told  
through a magnificent array of textile tactile props -  
and of course with lots of audience participation!

Tues 7th August, 2-4pm. For ages 4-12.  
Library Garden Ground Force! Join the gang from  
Naturally Learning to help build and plant a raised  
sensory garden. Lots of lovely plants to feel, smell and  
taste! £5 per place. \*All places must be booked in advance\*

Thurs 16th August, 9.30am-11am. For ages 4-12.  
Bonkers Beano Bonanza! Brilliant Beano artist  
Nick Brennan will be here for a cartoon drawing  
workshop and Q&A. Sharpen your pencils! FREE!

For more information or to book a place at any of  
these activities, pop in to the library, call 0300 1234 111,  
or email [staustell.library@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:staustell.library@cornwall.gov.uk)  
Facebook: St Austell Library  
St Austell Library, 2 Carlyon Road, St Austell. PL25 4LD

## Porthpean Family Fun Day

Sunday 5th August

10.30 am to 4 pm  
Porthpean Outdoor Centre  
Porthpean Road, St Austell

Free  
Entry!



Fun Dog  
Show, 1pm  
Lots of classes!

BBQ  
Refreshments

Meet Winston  
the Biffa Lorry

Ice Cream

Cake Stalls

Indoor Climbing Wall ~ Archery

High & Low Ropes ~ Bouncy Castle ~ Go Karts

Toddler Playzone ~ Wipe Out

Plus lots more!

Pay separately for each activity...



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# SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMPS

**WHERE?** In Local Cricket Clubs near you!  
**WHEN?** 6th – 23rd August  
**TIME?** 10am – 4pm  
**HOW MUCH?** £15 per day OR 2 days for £25  
**WEBSITE:** [www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps](http://www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps)

## Bonkers BEANO Bonanza!



Brilliant Beano artist Nick Brennan will be here  
at St Austell Library for a **FREE** cartoon drawing  
workshop and Q&A. Sharpen your pencils!

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**For ages 4-12**

Please book your free place in advance in person at the Help Desk,  
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