

Dear Parents/Carers,

Happy Holidays

School finishes at 1.30pm on Wednesday 26th July. We welcome children back to school in September on Monday 4th September. Enjoy a fantastic summer holiday – fingers crossed for some sunshine!

Attendance

On Friday 14th July, class 3ML won the trophy for 'Good Attendance' with 99.5% and on Friday 21st July, class 4SG won with 98.9%. Well done to class 3ML and 4SG!

On Friday 21st of July we drew the raffle for the winners of our two fantastic bikes donated by Pave Velo Bike Shop in town. Well done to Caleb (2AB) and Kiana-Rose (3JH) for fantastic attendance this school year. Pave Velo have presented the children with a voucher for them to select a bike suitable for them. Thank you again to Pave Velo!



202 children had 100% attendance for the second half of this summer term and 30 children had 100% for the whole academic year – Wow! What an achievement.

Charlie's Wrap Around Childcare

Mrs Wilkins and Mrs Bishop will be leaving Mount Charles at the end of the summer term. We would like to thank them for all their hard work managing Charlie's. We are delighted to have appointed Helen Gray and Zoe Skipiol as our new Wrap Around Childcare Leaders. Charlie's Wrap Around Childcare will start on Monday 4th September.

We will be offering a Breakfast Club 8-8.30am each morning, starting next term.

We will be reviewing our arrangements for Wrap Around Childcare next half term to ensure that families receive value for money but that the school also covers the costs of running the service. Families **MUST** complete the booking forms that have been sent out

separately to ensure that you secure a place in September. We will be planning our staff ratios based on firm bookings and will not be able to guarantee that your child will have a space if you have not pre-booked.

Infant Sports Day

We managed to find 2 hours of dry weather last week for our infant sports day. Well done to all the children involved – it was a great morning of sport! Thank you again to Asda for supporting and donating prizes and water.

Sponsored Walk

Well done to everyone who made such a great effort to enter the spirit of this year's sponsored walk – we raised a total of £2527.65 for our chosen charities (Leukaemia Research and MacMillan). Thank you so much!

Air Ambulance Supermarket Collection

Air Ambulance have counted our collection buckets and the children, supported by Mr Grigg, raised £409.19 – Well done!

Change of Menu: Tuesday 25th July

Sausages / Vegetarian Sausages
Burgers / Vegetarian Burgers
Chips / Baked Beans
Jacket Potatoes will also be available
Yoghurt / Jelly / Fresh Fruit / Ice Cream

Summer Fair

The weather was not in our favour last week, however, the rain did not dampen spirits and everyone had a great time! The total amount raised on Friday afternoon was: £980.

Thanks to all our PTA for their hard work this year to raise funds to support the school and our parents. One school trip coach will be funded again next year from money raised.



Staffing Update

We welcomed our new teachers to the school again on Friday. Hopefully you had the chance to meet them at the start / end of the day. The children really enjoyed their transition session in their new classrooms with their new teachers and are all looking ready for September!

Mrs Chenoweth will now be supporting Mrs Behennah in reception to cover a long term absence. Mrs Rosario will be supporting Mr Rosevear in Year 4 and Mrs Body will be supporting Miss Nile in Year 5. We have also appointed Mrs Carter to support teaching a third smaller group in Year 6 each morning and she will also teach across KS2 during the afternoons.

Year Group Welcome Meetings

Each year group will hold a welcome meeting for parents during the first week of term to share topics covered, trips, routines etc.

Mon 4th Sep. - 2.30pm Year 3 / 3.00pm Year 4

Tues 5th Sep. – 2.30pm Year 5 / 3.00pm Year 6

Weds. 6th Sep. – 2.30pm Year 1 / 3.00pm Year 2

Please come along to find out important information about the year ahead.

School Website

Please visit our website for some great photographs of the last few weeks. You will also find a copy of the new school prospectus. Please make reference to the uniform section in our prospectus when buying any new uniform for September. Please support us to ensure that children are wearing the correct school uniform. There is also an updated copy of 'Essential Information for Charlie's' for you to make reference to.

Pirates of the Curry Bean

Congratulations to all our Year 6 performers who thoroughly entertained their audiences last week with fantastic acting and singing. You can see some of the pictures from the performance on the front of the school website.

Drumming Workshop

What a fantastic Friday! We welcomed a group of African drummers to the school last Friday. As well as working with classes throughout the school in individual workshops, they also performed to the whole school in an assembly. You can see and hear a small part of the performance in the videos on the front page of our website.

Online Safety

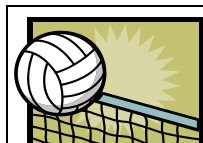
During the holiday it is likely that your child may spend some time online. Please visit the Online Safety pages within the Parents section of the school website. You will find safety guidance for parents and updates on recent changes in some of the apps your children may be using. In addition, please take the time to watch the video our Y5 and Y4 Digital leaders have recently made entitled 'Dan's Big Mistake' with an important online safety message.

A Message from Laura & Tracy Ryan BabyZ & Beyond

We are the organisers of Cornwall's Baby & Children's Nearly New Sales. We have recently started a new sale in Newquay and we are asking Schools within Cornwall to help us spread the word of this sale. We have families from all across Cornwall and even Devon attend our events. This is a family event and offers an excellent opportunity for parents to get bargain priced baby and children's items or the opportunity to sell some of their own items to earn some much needed extra pennies and clear out unwanted items.

DIARY DATES		
July		
Mon. 24 th	Year 6 Leavers' Disco 4-6pm	
Tue. 25 th	100% Attenders Treat Afternoon	
Wed. 26 th	End of Term. School finishes at 1.30 p.m.	
September		
Mon. 4 th	Children back to school	
Mon 4 th	2.30pm Welcome to Year 3 meeting for parents	3.00pm Welcome to Year 4 meeting for parents
Tues. 5 th	2.30pm Welcome to Year 5 meeting for parents	3.00pm Welcome to Year 6 meeting for parents
Weds. 6 th	2.30pm Welcome to Year 1 meeting for parents	3.00pm Welcome to Year 2 meeting for parents

Please visit the new calendar page on www.mount-charlessch.org to see these, and other dates, as they go into the Diary.



SPORTS NEWS

Year 6 Cornwall Schools Cricket Finals

On Wednesday 10th July our A team played at Truro Cricket Club

Round robin stage

Mount Charles 205-5 lost to Newquay Junior Academy 229 - 2

Truro Preparatory 246 –1 beat Mount Charles 241 – 1

Knock out stage

Perranporth 208 – 3 lost to Mount Charles 227 - 5

Mount Charles V St.Just – match awarded to Mount Charles

Kieran N and Kieran M were the top wicket takers with two each whilst Kieran M (14) and George (17) were the top run makers.

Mount Charles finished 9th in the county

Team: Ross, Rodrigo, George, Kieran N, Kieran M, Stanley, Joe, Jude, Zak, Jake

Many thanks to Mrs.Meens, who helped on the day

Mr.B Year 6 coach

Year 5 Mini Wimbledon Competition

On Monday 10th July all of the Year five girls and boys took part in a Mini Wimbledon tennis competition at school using six courts and a cup/plate format. Everyone was guaranteed two matches with the winners from round one going into the main cup and those who lost their first game going into the plate competition. The children umpired each other's games and it was great to see that all the matches were conducted in a very sporting way – we are rewarding them with strawberries and ice cream this week (I'm looking forward to that!)

The girls played 39 matches in total which resulted in **Millie** winning the **cup** (Tilly runner up) and **Jasmine P** winning the **plate** (Mahala runner up).

The boys played 34 matches in total which resulted in **Freddie** winning the **cup** (Finlay runner up) and **Bobby** winning the **plate** (Kian runner up).

Well done to all of the children, it was a great event.

Mr.B

District Field Results

The field events went ahead on a warm, dry evening in June at Poltair School and the children deserve credit for their effort against seven other local schools. Our team was placed third overall after all of the points were added up prior to the track events which were due to take place two days later. Unfortunately the track events were cancelled due to the weather, rearranged and then cancelled a further two times, as schools found it increasingly difficult to fit it in to what is one of the busiest times in the school calendar. In the end it did not take place, which was very disappointing for our KS2 team, who had worked hard in training.

FIELD EVENTS RESULTS

Girls Long Jump	1 st	Angel	Boys triple jump	5 th	Kewin
Boys ball throw	1 st	George B	Girls triple jump	5 th	Jess
Girls ball throw	2 nd	Veronica	Boys speed bounce	6 th	Ross
Boys high jump	4 th	Russ	Girls speed bounce	5 th	Lilyah
Girls high jump	6 th	Lizzy	Boys long jump	7 th	Lewis

In Peninsula Judo Championships held at Mullion School on Wednesday 19th July

Libby - gold
Adrian - silver
Toby – silver



Cornwall Cricket

HOLIDAY CAMPS

WHERE? In Local Cricket Clubs near you!

WHEN? Throughout the Summer Holidays

TIME? 10am - 4pm

HOW MUCH? Pre Booking: 1 Day (£15), 2 Days (£30)
3 Days (£40), 4 Days (£50). £5 Extra on Day

WEBSITE: www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps