



Last week our Year 4 and 5 children took part in the St Austell Torchlight Carnival 2019 parade. They worked really hard on their Under the Sea themed entry to create their stunning sea turtle. We celebrated winning first place in the schools category! Well done team!



Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, Recover

This week, as part of their Superheroes topic, Year 1 went to visit Bodmin Recycling Centre. The children loved learning about how we reduce, reuse, recycle and recover items. They had lots of fun creating models and hats from recovered goods. They also learnt lots of new vocabulary that will be used in their writing about how to be a superhero and save our planet. The Centre were very impressed with our efforts to bring plastic-free packed lunches with us! "There was a big minion—he was made of recovered plastic" "I liked the lizard because he was made of recycled bottles!" "I made a sword and helmet out of recycled items!"





Year 4 are studying the Imaginative Learning Project (ILP) 'I am Warrior'. Clive Pigg is an international story teller who teaches history through story telling. The children were taught many things about how the Celts lived and about the Romans and their armies. He helped us to learn all about the Celts and Romans and how they have left their mark on the UK. "Mr Pigg was really funny! He dressed up as a Celt", "Before we met him, we made helmets and painted our faces. Half of us were Celts, and the other half were Romans." "Mr Pigg told us the

Celts used to dye their hair to make it white and spikey! He said they painted their faces to make themselves look scary!" "At the end of day, our classes put on a performance showing the life of a roman soldier and celtic warrior."



We held an assembly this week highlighting road safety awareness in line with Brake's Road Safety Week. We discussed ideas on how to stay safe whilst walking and cycling. Please discuss with your child the importance of 'Stop, Look, Listen' and 'Be Bright, Be Seen'.

Road Safety Week 

Our festive season is now in full swing. We look forward to sharing photos of today's Welcoming the Christmas Tree event in our next newsletter. Children in EYFS and KS1 have been given a letter today regarding their nativity tickets—please return the order forms to class teachers as soon as possible.

6th December - PTA Christmas Fayre, 3-4:30pm.

11th December - KS1 Christmas Production, 2pm

12th December - KS1 Christmas Production, 2pm

13th December - KS1 Christmas Production, 9:30am

13th December - Christmas jumper day. Wear a Christmas jumper to school in return for a £1 donation for Save the Children.

18th December - Christmas Dinner day. Normal school uniform, however children are invited to bring a Christmas hat or head piece to wear at lunch time.

Christmas Dinner choices are Roast Turkey or Quorn Roast, with all the trimmings, and festive biscuit or Christmas pudding and custard for dessert. Our Christmas lunch is the usual school meal cost of £2.41, payable through ParentPay. Class teachers will take Christmas lunch choices at registration on Monday 2nd December.

19th December - KS2 Christmas Concert, 1:30pm and 6pm—if you have not yet returned your ticket order form, please do so as soon as possible!

It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas





We are delighted that our Reception and Year 1 children can use our newly refurbished toilets; another project successfully completed!

Online updates

Christmas is around the corner and no doubt technology and console games are high on the list of many of our children.

National Online Safety's #wakeupdnesday campaign have produced many guides for parents that can be found by following this link - <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/resources/wake-up-wednesday/>

Scroll down the page for great guides for parents. We have included a link to one about FIFA20.

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Parking, please:

- Do not park in our disabled bays unless you are a blue badge holder.
- Do not block access to our disabled parking bays.
- Do not block in the taxi cars providing home to school transport.
- Do not block the driveways of residents on Woodland Road.
- Do not park by Woodland House Residential Home as emergency access is required at all times.
- Use the car parks available to us at B&M, the church on Victoria Road, and the church on Woodland Road



Our Charlies Wraparound Club have a very exciting project to complete during the festive season and would like to say a big thank you to Just Fir for very kindly donating and preparing wood for this.
Thank you!



Football

On Tuesday 19th November we played matches against Sandy Hill at home. Our A team put in an excellent performance and worked tremendously hard to win the ball and create lots of chances. The majority of the first half was played in Sandy Hill's half with Ethan and Lukas combining well in attack. The passing however was not quite up to our usual standard and good possession was not converted into goals. With so much attacking we nearly got caught out twice as Sandy broke. Luckily, both shots were not on target. After that we got our passing going and Lukas put us ahead. This was quickly followed by two more goals, both by Lukas, as he completed his first half hat-trick. In the second half we took control of the game and Sandy had few attacks. Lukas went off injured early on, but we continued to dominate and Max was able to add a fourth goal. Man of the match was shared between Lukas for his goals and Ryan for his defensive duties. The Sandy Hill manager complimented Ryan on how well he'd played.

Team : Zack, Ryan, Maban, Luke, Max, Henry, Ethan, Lukas

The B team match was much closer and the teams were evenly matched. Both teams had players that were prepared to run with the ball and dribble past players. It was a good game to watch with crunching tackles from both sides. We had several shots in the first half but they were either right at the goalie, or just past the post. Shortly before half time, Aaron got a clear run on goal after a great through ball. This time his shot was accurate and beat the keeper. We were pleased with 1-0 at half time as Sandy Hill had created problems for our defence. In the second half the competition was just as intense until Josh snuck a cheeky shot into the corner from a tight angle. Sandy Hill then lost momentum and we were able to push on and get a third goal. Aaron scored our third with a strong header from an excellent corner delivered by Kian. Man of the match goes to Toby for tremendous effort and energy throughout the game. Three wins out of three for the B team!

Team: Josh, Thomas, Dylan, Toby, Aaron, Kian, Josh

Year 3 & 4, fixture Home VS Sandy Hill

The year 3 & 4 welcomed new players again against Sandy Hill and were able to secure their first win of the season by two goals to nil.

A very good run and finish from Brynn in the first 5 minutes set the tone for the game and an outstanding shot from the edge of the area by Tyler A was enough to see off a spirited Sandy Hill team.

Jowan looked increasingly confident in goal and the addition of Hayden in defence made us look secure.

The team was Jowan, Hayden, Tyler A, Jaiden, Brynn, Jake, Freddy, Oscar and Ruby.

Player of the match was Hayden

C team match versus Sandy Hill

We were able to field a C team against Sandy Hill giving some of those players who wouldn't ordinarily get a lot of match time a chance to represent the school after all of their hard work in training.

We lost the game 4-0 after a slow start saw us 3-0 down at half time. A superb display by Tyler in goal secured the team in the second half backed by a solid defensive display from Delphie and Keira.

Callum broke away on a couple of occasions but wasn't quite able to find the net.

The team was Tyler, Caleb, Jake, Kacey, Keira, Delphie and Callum.

Player of the match was Keira

Cross Country

Mid Cornwall cross Country League – Race 2

Race 2 saw pretty horrible weather conditions with rain and an icy wind testing the bravery of all runners. Our squad is starting to take shape now and we had 32 runners available to us with several new arrivals.

Conditions underfoot were incredibly slippery and some technical problems with the starting equipment led to some confusion for runners at the start but, on the whole, we acquitted ourselves well.

Particularly pleasing were the performances of Maisie and Max in year 6 - Max was in the top 10 on his first appearance and Maisie continues to impress with her attitude to training grabbing herself a top 20 finish.

New runners are always welcome at running club (Yrs 3-6) is on Wednesday lunchtimes.

Celebrating

- Yr1— Archie, Abe, Lauren, Theo
 Yr2— Grace, Katie, James
 Yr3— Maizie, Isaac, Ellie-May
 Yr4— Autumn, Bethany, Paige,
 Lily-Mei, Amy
 Yr5— Thomas, Megan, Cassie, Keira
 Yr6— Tyler, Jake, Alexa, Bailey

Success

Reminder

Term Dates 2019/20

Please note that our term dates for 2019-20 differ slightly to Cornwall Council's dates.

We group our INSET days to give a two week October half term and we finish the year on Friday 24th July, 2020.

Our attendance trophy was won by:

1LH & 1LAH last week with 99.3%

REJ this week with 97.4%



Attendance!

Diary

December

- 2nd Projectability Sports Festival
 4th St Austell Music Festival
 Yr1 Hearing Screening retests
 6th Christmas Fayre
 9th Mid Cornwall Dance, Badminton
 and Tag Rugby Festival
 11th KS1 Christmas Production, 2pm
 ARB Christmas Party Day
 12th KS1 Christmas Production, 2pm
 Cross Country, Race 3

Dates

- 13th KS1 Christmas Production, 9:30am
 Christmas Jumper Day
 16th Christingle Service
 18th Christmas dinner day,
 (wear a Christmas hat or headpiece)
 19th KS2 Christmas Concert, 1:30pm
 KS2 Christmas Concert, 6pm
 20th Spring Clubs info comes home
 Last day of term, 1:30pm finish

January

- 6th Children back to school
 7th Year 2 trip to Shipwreck Centre



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Santa's Grotto • Storytelling
Christmas crafts and activities
See the helicopter • Meet the crew
Refreshments • Pop-up charity shop
Festive bangers and burgers from Rapid Relief Team

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