## Thursday 18th October

Reception 2:45pm — 3:30pm Yr 1 & 2 3:00pm - 4:00pm Yr 3-6 4:15pm — 5:15pm

> Admission £2 Hot Dogs £1 **Unlimited Drinks** 50p Glow Accessories £1 each

£1 each **Glitter Tattoos** £1 each

Face Painting

Our fantastic PTA team have organised a fun filled disco for our children. They will be selling tickets in the playground every day after school.

On Thursday, Reception and KS1 children can change in their classrooms after school. KS2 children will need to register in their classes at 4:15pm and their teacher will then take them to the disco.

KS1 clubs will be cancelled on Thursday to avoid clashes but KS2 clubs will run as usual.



Congratulations to Miss Jarvis who won this year's Primary Teaching Assistant of the Year award! A brilliant achievement to win out of the thousands of nominations!

## SCHOOL PLAYING FIELD PROPOSALS - WE NEED YOUR HELP! Monday 15<sup>th</sup> - October 6pm – Council Chambers, One Stop Shop.

We want our children to have safe, more frequent access to green space.

The school has been in discussion with the Town Council regarding our shared use of Woodland Park. I have attended a number of working party meetings over the past few months with a representative from the local residents and a number of Councillors. Unfortunately, the group could not reach an agreement on one proposal to put forward to Full Council.

We need parent support at the public meeting on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October 6pm in the Council Chamber. Last year when we presented to the Council there were a large number of local residents and only a handful of parents, staff and governors. Councillors need to hear your views and appreciate the level of support for the school's proposals to ensure they vote in the best interests of our children. You would not need to say anything if you didn't want to just being there for support would be hugely helpful.

If you are unable to attend, then please email your views to the St. Austell Town Councillors via our Mayor, Gary King: <u>Garyking4mountcharles@gmail.com</u>

and the Town Clerk, David Pooley: <a href="mailto:david.pooley@staustell-tc.gov.uk">david.pooley@staustell-tc.gov.uk</a>

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to get in touch.



We have been celebrating harvest this week and would like to thank our families who have already sent in a food donation. Our collection for St Austell Foodbank is now being collected on Wednesday so there's still plenty of time to send in a donation if you wish.

Foodbanks provide three days of emergency food to local individuals and families in crisis who have been referred by other agencies. Please help local people in crisis by donating items from the Foodbank shopping list:

- Fruit juice (long life carton)
- Instant mashed potato
- Instant coffee
- Sponge puddings
- Cereal
- Tinned fruit
- Milk (UHT)
- Pasta sauces
- Tinned tomatoes
- Tinned vegetables
- Tinned spaghetti
- Tinned soup
- Tinned rice pudding
- Tinned custard
- Pasta
- Long grain rice
- Tinned meat
- Tinned fish
- Jam
- Biscuits
- Snack bars
- Chocolate
- Toilet rolls

yr2 have been busy harvesting their own carrots and potatoes from the gardens!

# **House Cross Country**

On Wednesday 3rd October we held our KS2 House Cross Country Challenge - we had a tremendous turnout for our lunchtime run on the field! All the participants earned Dojos for their house and there were lots of red-faced but happy children.

The top 10 finishers contributed points towards the House Cross Country Cup. This year the results were:

1st Red House 2nd Blue House 3rd Green House 4th Yellow House



Congratulations go to the Red House this year!

## **Football**

On Friday 5th the football team competed in the annual 7-a-side St. Austell Tournament held at Biscovey School. It was an excellent afternoon of football with eight schools playing in two groups of four teams. Mount Charles won all of their group games comfortably and finished top of the group!

We then played Biscovey in the Semi-Final. This was a much tougher game and Biscovey controlled the first half and led 1-0 at half time. We seemed to have lost our way and the boys looked a little shocked to have gone behind for the first time in the tournament. Fortunately, in the second half we rediscovered our form and scored two cracking goals with long range shots from Ethan T and Lukas.

We finished the afternoon with the final against St. Mewan. It was an even match with chances at both ends. It was 0-0 after extra time, so we ended as joint winners! We now progress to the next round of the

County Tournament!

All the boys played really well and their attitude was superb.
Congratulations go to:
Freddie, Tobi, Jake, Ethan S,

Lukas, Tyler, Ethan T,





# Advance Notice! Term dates 2019/20

Please note that our term dates for 2019/20 differ slightly to Cornwall Councils. We will start the year on Thursday 5th September 2019 and finish the year on Friday 24th July 2020.

We will be grouping our five INSET days together to create another two week October half term break next year:

Monday 21st Oct—Friday 1st Nov

### **INSET DAYS**

Monday 28th October 2019
Tuesday 29th October 2019
Wednesday 30th October 2019
Thursday 31st October 2019
Friday 1st November 2019

### Parent Consultations—eSchools

Parents evenings will take place on:

Tuesday 6th November, 3:10pm-6:00pm

Wednesday 7th November, 3:10pm-6:00pm

There are still appointments available, please speak to our office team if you need help booking through eSchools.

Sign up for Parents Evening opened on Saturday 29th
September at 8am and will close on Monday 5th
November at 12pm.

## Our PTA Summer Fayre raised an amazing £1000!!

Mrs Poole, one of our parents who works for Barclays bank, kindly arranged for Barclays bank to match our fundraising!

Thank you!

This means our Summer Fayre raised £2000!



Reminder! Secondary school applications from our current Year 6s need to be with Cornwall Council by October 31st.

Have you changed your telephone number or email address?
Please update our School Office!

We have a small stock of school sports socks in small and medium.
They have cushioned soles and cost £5. Please speak to the office if you would like to buy a pair.

For safety's sake, children should not wear jewellery in school. Watches are permitted at your own risk. If earrings have to be worn because the ears are newly pierced, then children must wear *studs only*. These will have to be removed or taped over by the child during PE. Long hair must be tied back throughout the school day.



Yr1— Beth, Jack,

– Annaliese, Maizie, Oscar,

Yr3- Hope, Taylor,

Yr4- Caleb, William,

Yr5— Morgan, Phoebe,

Yr6— Cody, Ethan S,





Last week's champs!

Ryan-2AB

Ameira-3LR

Luke-5RN

This week's champs!

Edward—1GB

Oliver-3AW

Kimberley-6TW

Our attendance trophy was won by:

4BR on Friday 5th October with 100%

1SC on Friday 12th October with 99.3%



### <u>Octobe</u>r

15th Yr1 Hearing Screening

15th School Field Meeting, One Stop Shop

PTA DISCO! 18th

Tag Rugby, 3:10pm—4:10pm

October Half Term, (two weeks) 22nd

### **November**

School resumes after half term break 3rd

6th Parents Evening, 3:10pm—6:00pm

7th Parents Evening, 3:10pm—6:00pm

EYFS Open Day—Reception 2019 12th

14th **School Photographs** 

- individual and sibling

15th Flu immunisations, YrR-5

Swimming Gala v. Truro 15th

20th Weigh and Measure, YrR-6

21st **PSA Pantomime Treat Day** 

Swimming Gala v. Truro

27th Clive Pig Visit, Yr4

### December

26th

3rd **Autism Coffee Morning** 



Are you interested?

Primary age children from all PLT schools are welcome to attend.



Limited availability!



22<sup>nd</sup> October- 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2018

For further information ring St Mewan School on 01726 74887 or email

<u>kwalker@st-mewansch.org</u>



## HALLOWEEN AT THE

MUSEUM EVENING

## CHARLESTOWN SHIPWRECK CENTRE

- FREE ADMISSION TO CHILDREN IN COSTUME AND THEIR FAMILIES 'WITCH' INCLUDES A FREE GLOWSTICK TO TAKE HOME
- SPECIAL SPY TRAIL FOR A TREASURE TREAT
- 'HAUNTED' HANDS ON HISTORY TABLE WITH **EDUCATIONAL MUSEUM ARTEFACTS**
- NOW OFFERING CHILDREN'S UNIVERSITY PASSPORT FOR LEARNING ACTIVITIES



Autumn Fun Day Wheal Martyn

Forest School fun activity sessions for all the Family in Wheal Martyn woods

On Friday 26th October from 11.00-1.00pm

Take part in a range of exciting outdoor activities:

- - Shelter building Autumn crafts and masks
- Campfire cooking
  - Trails and nature hunts
- Storytelling Team games

Drinks and snacks are provided. Museum Entry is included with the one-off payment.

or pay on the day at Wheal Martyn (if spaces are available)

ww.badgerforestschool.co.uk







£4 adult



For 2019 reception intake

Come along and meet our children and staff

Thurs 27th September - 1.30pm | Tue 9th October - 1.30pm | Mon 12th November - 1.30pm

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