

What a week it has been! So many important thought provoking events and so many things to celebrate. Thank you for all your support with the range of activities the children have been involved in recently. Please enjoy the pictures below, which we hope will give you a flavour of what our wonderful children have been up to recently. We are so proud of them all!

Last weekend, as part of the many Remembrance services being held in various locations across Cornwall, two of our Yr6 pupils played their part in representing The Stithians' Scout Group and The Penryn Sea Cadets. Below you can see one of our Yr6 pupils standing in front of the war memorial dressed in his scout uniform and also Junior Cadet First Class Neale standing with his fellow cadets having carried the Sea Cadet poppy ring to the church as part of the service. A proud representation from both of our Yr6 pupils.



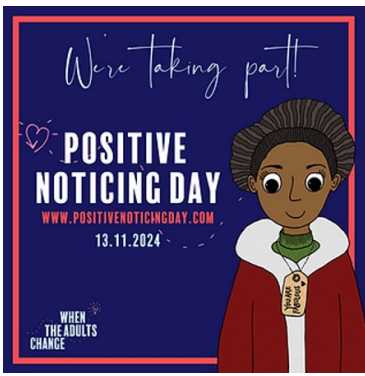


A very colourful array of footwear was on show last week in support of National Anti-Bullying Week. It was a great day to mark the importance of this Nationally recognised event where our Anti-Bullying Policy was reviewed and pupils took part in discussions about the importance of respecting the uniqueness and rights of others.

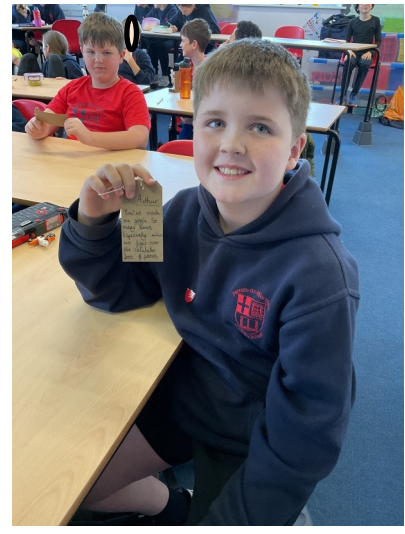


Last week, two of our local police officers delivered four Mini Police discussion sessions to our Yr6 Pupils. The Mini Police program is a partnership between local police and primary schools that aims to build trust and confidence in young people, their families, and the community. The program also helps participants develop skills and self-esteem.

Some benefits of the program include; Teaching children about issues like anti-social behaviour and how to stay safe online; Helping children visualize themselves as police officers in the future; Developing positive relationships with children.



Last week we spent time in our classes thinking about the power of positive noticing. Being positively noticed by others builds self-esteem, supports behaviour and promotes good mental health. During this whole school activity, the children were all engaged in writing a positive message on a label to give to another child in their class. Every child and member of staff left school that day with a special message from another person.



An amazing range of spotty outfits, Pudsey ears and designer face painting was being worn in school on Friday last week in support of Children in Need. Thank you all for donations which raised a fantastic £189.11 in total. A great way to show support for those in need.





On Wednesday sixteen excited young Recorder players set off for the Camborne Festival where they were performing with three other schools, Cusgarne, Parc Eglos and Devoran in the morning's classes. They were a real credit to the school, all tried their best and one of our Yr6 pupils was named as 'the most promising young recorder player under 12s'. One of our Yr3 pupils came 2nd in the under 10 descant recorder class, and two of our upper KS2 pupils were the only entrants in their Treble recorder Classes but they played really well and gained Honours marks. Two of our pupils also won the duet class out of 8 entries. All the groups did incredibly well and should be very proud of their performances. Many thanks to Mr. Teasdale for driving the minibus and Mrs Dunkley for transporting some of the Year 4 players.



Treble Recorder Duo Awarded Honours Mark.



Our Talented Musicians.



Most Promising Performer Under 12s.



2nd in Under 10s Recorder Solo.



Recorder Duet Winners.



One of our Yr6 pupils being awarded with the impressive trophy for 'The Most Promising Young Performer Under 12' having been invited back to perform at the Camborne Gala Evening in front of a large audience.

A very proud moment!





TEAM POINT CERTIFICATE WINNERS 14th November 2024

BRONZE CERTIFICATE – 50 TEAM POINTS

Reception: Rosie, Jasper, Capucine, Pearl, Zoe, Toby and Finlay

Year 1: Ruben, Jago, Rafe, Jack.H, Isabelle, James and Tiber

Year 3: Elodie, Bella and Kaiser

Year 4: Raffy, Evelyn, Daniel, Anoushka and Pippa

Year 5: Finn

Year 6: Rosie.S



We have been asked to remind families that tomorrow (Tuesday) is 'National Wellie Wearing Day in Support of British Farmers'. If you wish to support this event, then please do feel free to wear your wellies to school. All we ask is that they are mud free, PLEASE! Thank you for supporting our local farmers!



WB 25th November: Whole School lantern making workshops

Friday, 29th November: Tree Decorating Service outdoors (weather permitting) KS1: 1.30pm to 2pm; KS2: 2.15pm to 2.45pm.

Tuesday, 3rd December: International Day for People with Disabilities

Monday, 9th December: Non-Uniform Day for donations for Xmas Raffle

Tuesday, 10th December: Human Rights Day

Wednesday, 11th December: Xmas Dinner—Wear your favourite Christmas Jumper or Christmas outfit on this day.

Friday, 13th December: Festive Film Night at the school

Tuesday, 17th December: KS1 Christmas Nativity at 2pm and KS2 Christmas Concert at 5.30pm

Thursday, 19th December: Last day of term – Christmas Party Day (Wear your favourite Christmas Outfit)

Friday, 20th December: INSET Day—School Closed

Monday, 23rd December to Friday 3rd January: CHRISTMAS BREAK

Please note that there will be further dates added as the year progresses. If any dates need changing due to unforeseen circumstances, then we will give you as much notice as possible. We will keep you informed of any changes and additions on our weekly newsletter and via dojo.

Diary Dates



Monday, 6th January: First day of Spring term—School open to all pupils

Friday, 10th January: PAW School Building Birthday (Opened in 1879)

WB 3rd February: Children's mental health week

Friday, 7th February: February School Disco at the Village Hall

Tuesday, 11th February: Safer Internet Day

WB 17th February: HALF TERM WEEK

WB 3rd March: Spring Term Progress Review Meetings

Monday, 3rd March: National Offer Day for Secondary School Places

Wednesday, 5th March: St Piran's Day

Thursday, 6th March: World Book Day (Come dressed as your favourite book character)

WB 10th March: Cornwall Music Festival for those taking part

Wednesday, 16th March: Songfest at Truro Cathedral for Yr6 singers

Friday, 21st March: World Poetry Day

Friday, 28th March: Yr3, 4 and 5 Spring Play and KS2 Spring Concert at the Village Hall. More information about arrangements to be confirmed closer to the date.

Wednesday, 2nd April: World Autism Awareness Day

Friday, 4th April: Last day of term

Monday, 7th April to Monday, 21st April: EASTER BREAK

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Monday, 16th April: National Offer Day for Primary School Places

Tuesday, 22nd April: First day of Summer term—School open to all pupils

Thursday, 24th April: Non-Uniform Day for Choccy Bingo

Friday, 25th April: Choccy Bingo at Village Hall. More information about arrangements to be confirmed closer to the date.

Monday, 5th May: BANK HOLIDAY—School Closed

Thursday, 8th May: Victory in Europe Day

WB: Monday 12th May: KS2 SATS week

Tuesday, 20th May: Class photos (TBC)

WB 26th May: HALF TERM WEEK

Thursday, 5th June: World Environment Day

WB 9th June: Final Term Progress Review Meetings

Thursday, 12th June: Science Day

WB 23rd June: Yr6 camp at Porthpean (TBC)

17th June, 24th June, 1st July 2pm to 2.45pm: Learning Together sessions

Thursday, 3rd July: Yr3 Seal Sanctuary and Tea (TBC)

Wednesday 9th July to Friday 11th July: Yr5 Camp at CampKernow

Thursday, 10th July: Yr4 Surf and Sleep (TBC)

Tuesday, 15th July: Yr6 Production Matinee and Evening performance

Thursday, 17th July: Sports Day

Monday, 21st July: Back up Sports Day

Tuesday, 22nd July: Yr6 leavers assembly 9.30am to 11am and last day of term

Wednesday, 23rd July: INSET day—School Closed

Thursday, 24th July to Tuesday, 2nd September: SUMMER BREAK

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MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM - MHST



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Parents and Carers -
please join us at our
1hr online
Worry Workshop

Monday 13th January - 9:30am & 2pm
Tuesday 14th January - 11am & 4pm
Wednesday 15th January - 09:30am & 1:30pm
Thursday 16th January - 11am & 4pm

This workshop aims to provide psychoeducation on "What is worry?" and "Why does my child worry?" Also includes practical strategies for helping children manage their worries.

To book a place please complete the online form [HERE](https://forms.office.com/e/YR5MeEwtEF)
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Resilience Workshop

Monday 20th January - 9.30am & 4pm
Tuesday 21st January - 11am & 2pm
Wednesday 22nd January - 11.30am & 4pm
Thursday 23rd January - 9.30am & 1.30pm

This workshop aims to talk about the meaning of resilience, explore building resilience and look at how and when a young person should ask for help.

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Behaviour Workshop

Monday 27th January - 9.30am & 2pm
Tuesday 28th January - 11.30 am & 4pm
Wednesday 29th January - 9.30am & 1.30pm
Thursday 30th January - 11.00am & 4pm

This workshop provides parents with practical strategies to foster positive behaviour and communication at home.

To book a place please complete the online form [HERE](https://forms.office.com/e/1PwGDXSQ40)
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Sleep Workshop

Monday 3rd February - 11am & 4pm
Tuesday 4th February - 9.30am & 2pm
Wednesday 5th February - 9.30am & 1.30pm
Thursday 6th February - 11am & 1.30pm

This workshop aims to provide psychoeducation on sleep hygiene and sleep routines. Also includes practical strategies for helping children

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