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CORONATION CELEBRATION! On Friday, the whole school had an even more Fabulous Friday than normal! The afternoon started with crown making in colour teams, which also provided the opportunity for brothers and sisters to work together. With crowns ready for action, the day ended with a whole school tea party in the playground to the sound of some joyful singing that may well have been heard across the entire village!





































THE TUDOR EXPERIENCE! Last week, as part of their history unit on the Tudors, Mr Teasdale took the Starlings to Pendennis Castle, where they had the opportunity to 'live their learning' through experiencing first hand what life might have been like for people during that time. The children learnt about when Pendennis castle was built and for what purpose. They were also given a range of Tudor style clothing to bring their characters to life. A great way to learn!





By Andy Warhol

A POP ART NOD TO THE CORONATION! Last week, our Year 4 pupils created their own Pop Art King Charles having been inspired by artists such as Andy Warhol and Keith Tomlins.



By Keith Tomlins





MINIBUS UPDATE! You may feel as frustrated as we do, waiting for our new minibus to arrive! Having continued to chase the company for further updates, I received this email last week. Unfortunately, we are still in a long queue of schools in the same position, where there is a backlog of orders taken over two years ago. It is hoped that, now production has finally started, we may see the 'fruits of our fund raising labour' in a few months time! Perhaps we may take delivery of a very exciting and long awaited for Christmas Gift for the school before the end of the year!!! We will keep you informed of any new updates.

Good morning,

Thank you for the call, it was nice to catch up.

Unfortunately as explained on the phone we still don't have a build date for your vehicle yet. These delays have all stemmed from all manufacturers producing hardly any vehicles over the past two/three years but continuing to take the orders. This month we have had 170 vehicles go into build with Peugeot which is the first time we have seen any over seas production in the past 12 months. This is a great sign if they keep this up as we will soon have a build date for your vehicle but this is dependent on them continuing this way. We are keeping an eye out for if there are any makes and models we could swap you into faster but the truth is they are all as bad as each other currently.

I apologise for the frustration this causes but we promise we are doing everything we can to get your order to you asap Kind regards

Jack Bond

Minibus Specialist

T: 01626 834333

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TEAM POINT CERTIFICATE WINNERS 4th May 2023

BRONZE CERTIFICATE - 50 TEAM POINTS

Year 6: Daisy, Jack and Millie

SILVER CERTIFICATE - 100 TEAM POINTS

Year 5: Casper

Year 6: Chikamso, Phoebe, Florence D and Howard

GOLD CERTIFICATE – 150 TEAM POINTS

Year 4: Seth and Jamie

Year 5: Ella

Year 6: Austin, Harry, Martha, Anna and Jonah

MEDAL - 200 TEAM POINTS

Year 1: Logan and Senara

Year 2: Pippa

BADGE – 250 TEAM POINTS

Year 2: Daphne







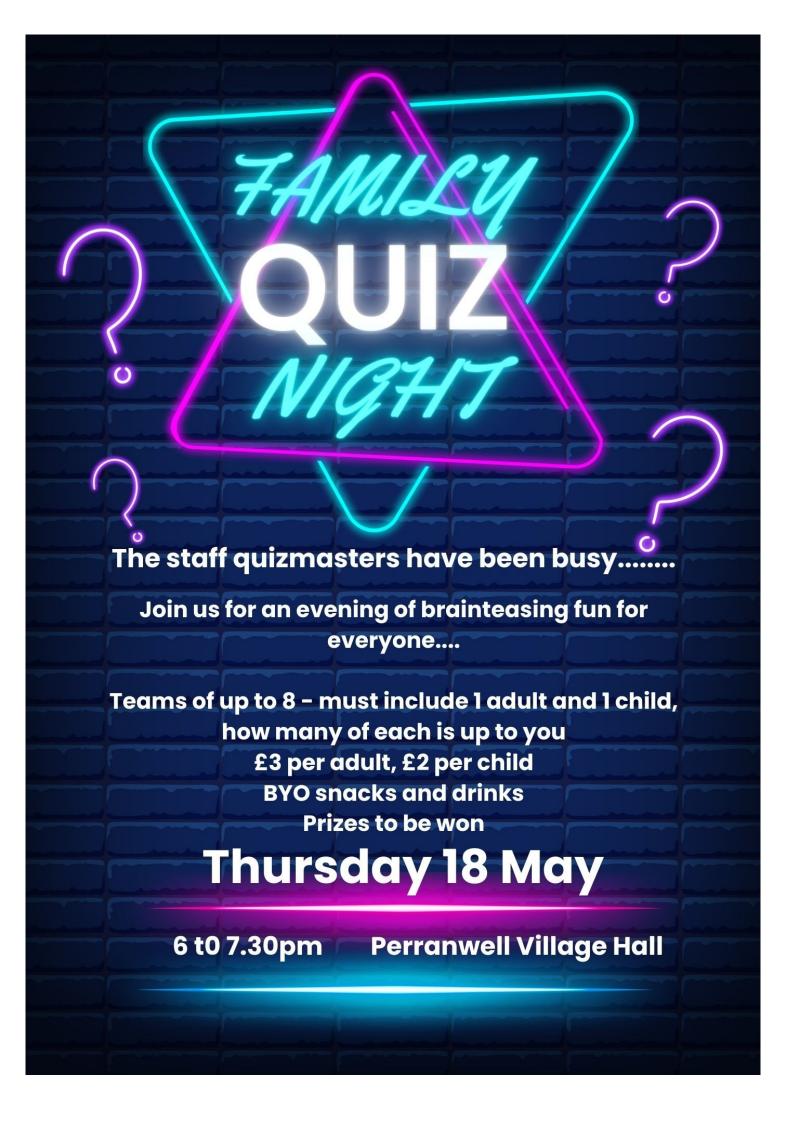
ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL FUND RAISING CAKE SALES! It was the turn of the Robins' class to sell their delicious cakes to a very eager group of pupils and parents. An amazing £209 was raised by these expert little salespeople! A huge thank you to all the parents and our FOPS team for their continued support with our regular cake sales, which never fails to put a smile on our faces. A great way to end the week!

PLEASE SEE THE FOPS NEWSLETTER (sent out as a separate pdf document this week with lots of very useful links) FOR MORE UPDATES ON FORTHCOMING EXCITING EVENTS!



Tempest Class Photographs:

Please make a note in your diaries that class photographs will be taken on the morning of Monday 22nd May.





CONFIRMED SUMMER TERM DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Tuesday, 9th May to Friday, 12th May: Year 6 SATS Week

Thursday, 18th May: Family Quiz Night at the Village Hall at 6pm

Monday, 22nd May: Tempest Class Photographs

Tuesday, 23rd May: Year 6 Trip (tbc)

Friday, 26th May: INSET DAY (school closed)

WB Monday, 29th May: HALF TERM

WB Monday, 12th June: Progress Review Meetings

WB Monday, 12th June: Yr6 Camp week at Porthpean

Thursday, 22nd June and Friday, 23rd June: Yr4 Surf and Sleep with Global Boarders at Gwithian

Monday, 26th June to Wednesday, 28th June: Yr5 Camp Kernow at Malpas

Wednesday, 28th June: TRLC Awards night at Truro Cathedral (7 pupils to be awarded)

Thursday, 29th June and Friday, 30th June: Yr3 Seal and Sleep

WB Monday, 3rd July: Sports Day (day to be confirmed closer to the time)

Tuesday, 11th and Wednesday, 12th July: Redruth School transition days.

Monday, 17th July: Yr2 Camp day

WB Monday, 17th July: Yr6 Production (days and times to be confirmed closer to the time)

Friday, 21st July: Yr6 Leaver's Assembly at 9.10am in the school hall.

NB: If, due to unforeseen circumstances, there is a need to change any dates or times, we will notify you as soon as possible.