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It has been a busy start to the term with a lot of changes including new equipment, new toilets, new minibus, extra outside EYFS space, another new teacher, more new children and now a Yr5 Pop-Up classroom in our school hall! Now we just need a new classroom! We have been so very proud of how quickly our new and youngest pupils have settled in to the routine of the school week. It is likely to be a year of change with a new classroom in the planning following the bat sur-

veys. As always, we aim to keep you as well informed as we possibly can, so watch out for more exciting times ahead! Please enjoy some of the pictures we have taken of your children during







First trip out for our brand new minibus! Netballers and footballers take a trip to Penryn to play their league matches and Robins take a trip to Penryn to enjoy some multi-sports. A very excited minibus crew!



We were delighted to be entertained by two of our Yr6 pupils in assembly last week, where another musical assembly was arranged to inspire our younger pupils to start learning to play an instrument. Our two Yr6 drummers certainly helped to 'drum' up some interest!

Autumn PE Welcome back to Autumn 2024. It is looking to be a really exciting term with sport. KS1 will be focussing on their Fundamental Movement Skills

with a particular focus on jumping and KS2 will be working on netball skills focussing on passing and receiving, attacking and defending strategies -moving from exploring to developing and consolidating and refining these skills.



On Fab Fridays for this term, Year 4 will be learning Quidditch (unfortunately, no flying broomsticks) and Year 5 will be focussing on consolidating their hockey game. KS2 will be looking at 'My Physical Fitness' matters in our health sessions. We will be learning about the five components of physical fitness.

This term, we have netball and football leagues taking place between the 18th September and the 9th October. There will be updates in our newsletters .

With the autumnal weather already upon us, could I ask that all children come to school prepared for PE in light showers please? Thank you.

In heavier rain, we will conduct PE in the classrooms. These sessions focus on character attributes necessary for smaller games and teamwork.



WB 7th October: Dyslexia Awareness Week

Tuesday, 22nd October: Individual and In school Sibling

Pupil Photos

Thursday, 24th October: Harvest Festival at the Village Hall.

EYFS/KS1: 1.15pm; KS2: 2.15pm.

Friday, 25th October: INSET Day—School Closed

WB 28th October: HALF TERM WEEK

Friday, 8th November: November School Disco at the Village Hall

WB 11th November: Autumn Term Progress Review Meetings

WB 11th November: Remembrance Day

WB 11th November: Anti-Bullying Week

WB 11th November: Mini Police Yr6 Programme

Friday, 15th November: Children in Need Day

WB 25th November: Whole School lantern making workshops

Friday, 29th November: Tree Decorating Service outdoors (weather per-

mitting) KS1: 1.30pm to 2pm; KS2: 2.15pm to 2.45pm.

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







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

WB 3rd February: Children's mental health week

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

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, 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.

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 arrange-

ments to be confirmed closer to the date.

Monday, 5th May: BANK HOLIDAY—School Closed

WB: Monday 12th May: KS2 SATS week

Tuesday, 20th May: Class Group Photos

WB 26th May: HALF TERM WEEK

WB 9th June: Final Term Progress Review Meetings

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 performance

Tuesday, 15th July: Yr6 Production 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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