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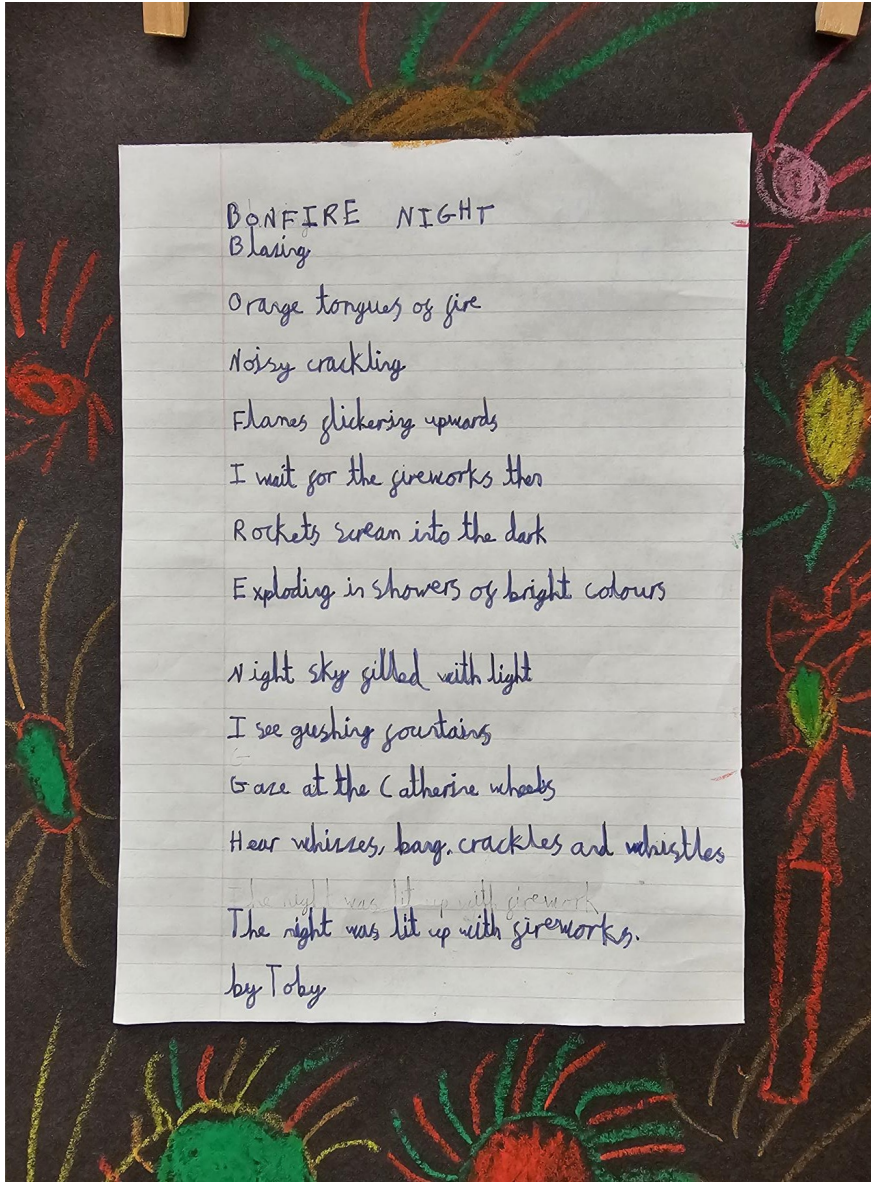
WHAT DO WE DO AT FOREST SCHOOL? This week, we wanted to share with you some pictures of the range of activities that our pupils enjoy as part of their Forest School experience. You will see our Yr3 children involved in team building games based on trust; learning how to plant successfully and light a fire safely; building strong shelters that stay upright; clearing leaves to help keep our Forest school area as clear as possible; creating Andy Goldsworthy art; cooking outdoors (with thoroughly washed hands!); making fat balls for the birds and replenishing the bird table with some yummy treats for our feathered friends...and, of course, having fun with our friends!





If you want to come and join in the fun, just let us know! We are always looking for volunteers for our Fab Friday sessions.

TALENTED ARTISTS AND POETRY WRITERS! Our Starlings have also been busy back in the classroom creating poetry from their early morning energiser writing sessions and decorating their classroom with these amazing dragon eyes designed by the children in preparation for the exciting writing about their mythical creature! We look forward to seeing their inspirational writing that will describe their mythical creature in detail.



Basketball 3 v 3 November 2023



Perran-ar-Worthal had two squads competing in the Penryn Partnership Basketball Competition. Every student played brilliantly. Students impressively scored some brilliant 1 and 2 pointers. It was nerve-racking and emotional as P.A.W 1 versed P.A.W. 2 in one of the matches.

Thank you to every student for representing the school so positively.

Miss Davies.





HELLO AND WELCOME! You may have met this friendly chap on the school gates helping with the traffic congestion. This is Mr Viv Townsend who started with us a few weeks ago as our full-time caretaker. We are delighted to have Viv join our team as we now have someone on site full-time to sort all those problems with school buildings that we are not able to fix ourselves.



22nd November, 2023.

Dear Mrs Heffer,

On behalf of the Penryn Branch of the Royal British Legion a big thank you to the children and staff of Perran-an-Worthal School for their generosity in our recent Poppy Appeal.

They collected £ 238.71

This is an outstanding amount and will help the Royal British Legion in their vital work. I have enclosed a poster for your board.

Thank you again,

Gill Grant Poppy Appeal Organiser

Thank you for all your contributions towards this worthy cause as part of Remembrance Day. The school received this lovely letter of thanks from the Poppy Appeal Organiser, Gill Grant. Well done to our school councillors, who did a great job with selling the items from the Poppy Appeal box.

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE AT ST PIRANS CHURCH

On the **10th December at 10am** there will be a family service where the children have been invited to be part of the Christingle Service. Any children wanting to take part will have the chance to make their own Christingle in school with members of St Pirans Church. A lovely service for the whole family! **Please let the office know by Monday, 4th December** if your child would like to take





Well done to our enthusiastic cake bakers in Skylarks. An amazing £158.85 was raised at their bake sale on Friday. A huge thank you to all involved in helping to run the very busy cake stall as well as bake the amazing range of yum-my cakes.



Levelling the playing field

You are invited to a public consultation on Thursday 7 December 2023 to examine the proposals for levelling the playing field.

The event will be held in the west room of the Perranwell Centre from 4:00pm to 8:00pm, with a presentation at 5:00 that will be repeated at 7:00. Various drawings will be on display to fully illustrate the proposed scheme and experts will be available to answer any questions or queries.

The proposals include not just the playing area, but other improvements for the benefit of the whole community. Come along, see what's proposed and share your comments.

If you are unable to attend the presentation but would like to know more, please get in touch with the chairman of the parish council (contact details are shown elsewhere in Perran News).

TEAM POINT CERTIFICATE WINNERS 22nd November 2023

BRONZE CERTIFICATE – 50 TEAM POINTS

Year 1: Samuel, Jessica, Harry and Jack

Year 3: Hugo

Year 5: Ollie and James

Year 6: Max, Ella and Elwood

SILVER CERTIFICATE – 100 TEAM POINTS

Reception: Ivy, Bertie, Ruben, Jago, Artie, Isabelle, James and Jack.W

Year 4: Adella

Year 5: Leo

GOLD CERTIFICATE – 150 TEAM POINTS

Year 3: Maddox





Diary Dates



Tuesday, 28th November: Whole School lantern making workshops (Thank you to those who have contacted Mrs Pallôt to volunteer to help)

**Friday, 1st December: Tree Decorating Service outdoors (weather permitting)
KS1: 1.30pm to 2pm. KS2: 2.15pm to 2.45pm.**

Wednesday, 6th December: Non-Uniform Day (please bring raffle donation for Christmas Hampers—please see FOPS newsletter for raffle prize suggestions)

Friday, 8th December: Festive Film Night at the school for the children with a BBQ for the hungry parents and a festive Log Cabin Bar for the thirsty ones!

Wednesday, 13th December: Xmas Dinner—Wear your favourite Christmas Jumper or Christmas outfit on this day (please don't forget to order your child's Xmas lunch on parent pay)

Thursday, 14th December: KS1 Christmas Nativity at 2pm at the Village Hall (KS1 parents will receive more information from your child's class teacher)

Thursday, 14th December: KS2 Christmas Concert and Lantern Parade at the Village Hall at 5pm with mince pies and mulled Christmas drinks.

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

Wednesday, 20th December to Tuesday, 2nd January: CHRISTMAS BREAK

*Please note any new dates may be added as the term year progresses. If any dates need changing due to unforeseen circumstances, then we will give you as much notice as possible. **Please check this list regularly for updates and changes!***

PLEASE READ THE FOPS NEWSLETTER PAGE FOR MORE EXCITING NEWS!



FOPS newsletter

Friends Of Perran-Ar-Worthal School

Upcoming Events

Wednesday 6th December 

Non Uniform Day

(Christmas Hamper donations)



Friday 8th December

Festive Film Night & Log Cabin Bar & BBQ!(Wreath Workshop cancelled)



THANK YOU!!



Thank you to Skylarks for putting on such a wonderful bake sale last Friday!

With your support and generosity we raised a fantastic

 £158.85 

Christmas Hamper donation ideas

We will be holding a raffle at the KS1 Christmas Nativity and KS2 Christmas Concert on Thursday 14th December. There will be a non-uniform day on **Wednesday 6th December** and we are asking for Christmas Hamper donations.

Here are some donation ideas:



Soaps or Smellies

Candles

Stationary

Christmas paper napkins

Eco friendly gifts



Chocolates

Biscuits

Dried fruit

Crisps

Christmas chutney



Non Alcoholic beverage

Alcoholic beverage

Festive coffee or tea

Mulling spices

Hot chocolate



Please could we ask that all donations are in date and unopened

Thank you!



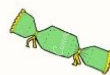
BAG 2 SCHOOL

Collection date

Tuesday 23rd January 2024

Bag2School is a free eco-friendly fundraising scheme that helps raise funds through textile recycling as well as spreading textile recycling awareness.

For more information visit their website:
www.bag2school.com/how-it-works



Roll up! Roll up!



It's that time of year again where we ask if families could save any unwanted kitchen roll cardboard tubes as we use them to make Christmas crackers for the children's school Christmas lunch.

There will be a collection box in the shelter on

Monday 4th December

Please note, kitchen rolls only please, not toilet rolls!

Many thanks