



Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Last Friday our Cross Country team raced at Cotehele. All of the children ran superbly on what was a hilly and muddy course. I was extremely proud of all of the team for their outstanding efforts and also wish to thank Anna Gough for her continued support with this.

As you all will have noticed, Parent Consultation dates have been published opposite. Please note that in order to secure a time that is convenient to you, please sign the sheets which will be in the foyer from week commencing 3rd February.

We will be holding our next Open Morning on Wednesday 12th February. These have been well received and are an opportunity for existing parents as well as prospective ones to come in and see the school at work. There is no need to book, simply turn up on the day, our doors will be open from 9 - 10.30am.

A big thank you to both parents and children for the rapid improvement in our attendance figures.

Please can we request that all cars are parked, at both drop off and pick up times, with due consideration to the residents of Hawks Tor Drive. It has been noted that the road at these key times is becoming increasingly difficult for residents to access their properties.

The road is significantly narrowed by parking on both sides and this does present a potential safety risk to our children when arriving at and leaving school. Thank you.

I have been dropping in to lessons in all classes and I am pleased to report that the children are really engaged in their learning, there has been evidence of some fantastic work and learning taking place.

Thank you to all of those parents who regularly hear their children read at home. It really does make a huge difference in terms of outcomes for those children. Even 10 minutes a night/ 3 times a week has been proven through research to have significant impact.

I hope the weather remains kind to us all and I wish you all a lovely weekend.

Best wishes
Mr Fugill

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

January 2020

Monday 27th January - PTA Meeting @ 2pm

February 2020

Friday 7th February - TT Rockstars / NSPCC Non School Uniform Day
Friday 7th February - League Cross Country Race @ Lanhydrock
Wednesday 12th February - Open Morning 9-10.30am
Wednesday 12th February - Weights & Measures (Yr R & Yr 6 only)
Friday 14th February - Last day of half term
Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February - Half Term
Monday 24th February - Back to school
Monday 24th February - Otter Parent Consultations
Tuesday 25th February - Kestrel Parent Consultations
Wednesday 26th February - Owl Class Parent Consultations
Thursday 27th February - Fox Parent Consultations

March

Friday 6th March - League Cross Country Race @ Bake Lakes
Wednesday 25th March - Tempest Class Photo's
Friday 27th March - Last day of term (Non school uniform)
Monday 30th March - Tuesday 14th April - Easter Holidays

April

Tuesday 14th April - Inset day (no school for pupils)
Monday 20th - Thursday 23rd April - Literacy week and travelling book fair

Weekly Attendance

Year Group	% Attendance	Year Group	% Attendance
R	98.5%	4	93.8%
1	91.3%	5	98.3%
2	96.7%	6	97.3%
3	96%	Whole School	95.9%

ICT Club

If you have any broken electronics lying around at home that you were going to throw away, please don't! Mr Masters and his ICT club would massively appreciate it if you could 'recycle' them by letting them use it. Whether it is an old camera/mobile phone/tv/computer monitor or anything similar, they would love to have them.

Thank you in advance.