



## St Merryn School Newsletter June 2019

### Sports day

What a super day we all had on Monday - the children thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon. Thank you to all those who helped and well done to Treyarnon, who were the overall winners.

### Mr Cotton

Mr Cotton has been with us for three years and has worked tirelessly in the Early Years department. Sadly for us, in September, he will be moving back to Trenance Learning Academy, which is part of TLAT, and the centre of the newly formed English hub. Mr Cotton is passionate about teaching phonics and literacy and will be continuing his work within the hub. Although we will miss him, we know that he is going to be a fantastic support to teachers throughout the county.

We are delighted to tell you therefore, that we have appointed two new teachers to our school, Ms Muller, who will be teaching in Robins class and Mr Watson, who will be teaching the Barn Owls. Ms Muller lives locally and is currently working in Liskeard and Mr Watson will be transferring to us from the St Austell area. We are looking forward to welcoming them into school in September. We are also delighted to announce that Mrs Berrington will replace Mrs Mitchell in Kestrels. She is well known to us all, has a wealth of experience and will be a great asset to the to the Kestrels team.

### Class structure for September 2019

Class	Teacher/s
Robins	Ms Jenny Muller
Wagtails	Mrs Bateman/Mrs Curtis
Starlings	Mrs Golay
Kestrels	Mrs Cooper/Mrs Berrington
Barn Owls	Mr Watson

### Classes for September 2019

Many thanks once again for your patience regarding the class structure for September, we were hoping to let you know by May half term but due to Mr Cotton' movement, we had to wait until everything was confirmed. You will receive a letter informing you of your child's/children's classes for September by the end of the week. Any children with a new teacher will meet them for transition before the end of the term.



### **Sun cream**

As the weather improves, please don't forget to include a sunhat and sun cream in your child's school bag.



### **Friends of St Merryn School (FOSMS)**

FOSMs are pleased to have purchased a mud kitchen for the nurse; they are going to have a lovely time making mud pies and potions. This week is Science Week at school and FOSMS have paid for an interactive science roadshow to come in to school on Friday. All of the children will get to join in with this exciting show – a great way to end the week.

We are planning a Race Night to be held at the Farmers Arms on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June starting at 7pm. We are asking for volunteers on the evening to take the bets. Please see Ellie Mayor (Finley and Fraser's mum) if this is something you can help with.

Preparations are also under way for our annual Arts Night, inspired by our topic 'Cousin Jack around the world'. More details to follow, but remember to save the date!

Thanks to the wonderful support of 'Sperry Tents', we are able to hold our Community Evening again this year, on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July. Keep the date clear for what will be a great evening of music, food and dancing in a beautiful marquee on the field! We are looking for bands who would like to have a slot. Please see Donna if you know of anyone who would like to be involved.

### **Arts night**

We are looking out for any local artists who would like to exhibit on our annual arts night. Please see Mrs Worrall in the office.

### **Wadebridge library news**

## **SUMMER READING CHALLENGE CUP COMPETITION.**

Make a model out of recycled materials to celebrate space adventure and exploration.

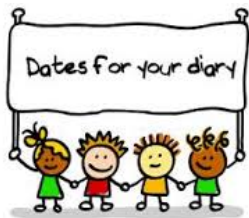


- Entries to be no bigger than 50cm<sup>3</sup>.
- Open to all schools and clubs in the Wadebridge and surrounding area.
- One entry per school/club.
- Entries to be delivered to Wadebridge Library by 6/7/19 for judging.
- Entries to be displayed at the library until 14/9/19.
- For any further information pop into Wadebridge Library or email [wadebridge.library@liscornwall.org.uk](mailto:wadebridge.library@liscornwall.org.uk)



### Nits

Please continue to check your child's hair for nits. You need to 'Once A Week, Take A Peek' in order to keep nits at bay. Remember to check using a metal nit comb when hair is wet, but still has conditioner on. There is lots of information on [www.onceaweektakeapeek.co.uk](http://www.onceaweektakeapeek.co.uk)  
If you see live lice the NHS recommend Headrin. It is the UK's number one selling brand.



### June

June 3rd – 7th Science Week

7th Science Roadshow (PM)

10th Starlings (Year 3) and Kestrels Optional SATs

13<sup>th</sup> Park Chambers dental visit (KS2)

17th -19th Barn Owls Camp @ Porthpean

17<sup>th</sup> Travelling African workshop (Wagtails and Kestrels)

17th Kestrels surfing week

20<sup>th</sup> Rounders festival @ Wadebridge Secondary

21<sup>st</sup> Kestrels trip to Brannel School

24<sup>th</sup> Robins new parents meeting 5.30pm in Robins class.

28th School Closure Day July

### July

1-4<sup>th</sup> Wadebridge School Year 6 transition (information to follow)

4<sup>th</sup> Whole school transition day

5th Starlings trip to Geevor Tin Mine.

10th Arts Night – children back 5.40pm for a 6pm performance

12<sup>th</sup> Nursery graduation 1pm in the marquee

12th Community night

15th Reports home

16th Beach Day @ Constantine Bay

23rd Leavers assembly @2.15pm

### **INSET Days**

Friday 28th June (instead of Monday 1st July), Wednesday 24th and Thursday 25th July