

Veryan Primary School News



Friday 30th June 2017

Sports Day

Thank you to everyone who came to support the children in our sports day yesterday. We were so proud of the children's efforts and they seemed to really enjoy the event, we hope you had a pleasant afternoon and enjoyed

sharing the experience with them as well.



Congratulations to the Blue 'Portholland' team who won the event overall – it was a close competition!

All of our children were great at offering support and encouragement to the other participants and



it was a delight to see them cheering for everyone. Two children who stood out in their encouragement for others were Thomas Edwards and Evie Hepworth, who were awarded a special medal for 'Sportsmanship' at

the end of the day. They received this week's award in church in place of our usual Student of the Week and Achievers Awards.



Our lunch time award this week goes to Dom Leach and Alfie Young who both helped the younger children in the lunch hall – cutting up food and helping to serve from the salad bar etc.

Well done boys, you will receive your award at church next week!

Reminder: Parents Evening

Our parent-teacher consultation evenings will be held on Tuesday 18th and Wednesday 19th July from 3.30-5pm. These are an opportunity to discuss your child's progress and general well-being in school with your child's class teacher. The appointments are only a short 10minutes and therefore we politely request that parents are mindful of this and should you require a longer discussion that you arrange a seperate appointment with the class teacher for another time. Appointment slots are available to book at:

www.veryan.parentseveningsystem.co.uk

Attendance

The expected average percentage attendance for a child is 96%.

Last week the attendance level of each class was:

- Carne Class –100%
- Pendower Class –100%
- Kiberick Class –99.2%

Well done **Carne and Pendower** you are BOTH this week's winners you are....







June INSET week evaluation

The Trust would like to gain some feedback from its stakeholders about the June INSET week. Please could you complete our survey by following this link:

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/HMYS9YY

If you would like to complete a paper copy of this survey please speak to your school office. The closing date for the survey is the 10th July and we would appreciate you taking the time to provide us with your views.

As a reminder the Trust has already agreed to continue with this arrangement for the next academic year. The INSET week for 2017/18 will be 4th -8th June 2018 and the schools will be closed during this time.



Porridge tickets

As you will be aware we have our summer production taking place on the 12th and 13th July. Tickets for this production will go on sale at 4pm on Thursday 29th June.

Adult seats are £2.00 Childrens seats £1.50 (Children on laps are free.)

On Wednesday afternoon there is a dress rehearsal for the other school children to watch, however if you are unable to attend any other performance there are a small number of seats available for this. Wednesday evening performance at 6pm is open to all. There will be two performances on Thursday. A matinee at 1.30pm and the evening performance at 6.00pm. (Please can performers be dropped at school for 5.30pm to get ready).

To book your tickets please <u>visit Parentpay to pay</u> – please be careful that you book under either ADULT or CHILD seats.

Then visit

<u>www.veryanparentseveningsytem.co.uk</u> to specify which performance you would like to attend.

We still need.....

Does anyone have any of the following that we may be able to borrow for our production?

- Cream coloured swimming cap/bald wig
- Megaphone

If you are able to provide any of the above items please inform Miss Moore or the school office. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Mrs Warburton will be on the school playground from 11am on Saturday erecting and painting the scenery for our production. She would be very grateful for any help and would be very glad to see you if you can come and lend a hand!

Maths Workshop



On Wednesday one child from each year (from 1-6) were invited to Bishop Bronsecombe School to attend a maths workshop that gave them the opportunity to work with other children across the MAT and some Year 7 children in some challenging maths activities and a shared maths themed lunch. Thank you to Mrs Berry from Bishop Bronsecombe who organised the event - she was very impressed with all our children.

New Teaching Assistant Appointment



As you know Miss Rogers will be leaving us in September and will be starting her teacher training. She will be greatly missed as she has made such a great contribution to the school. However, we are pleased to announce that we have appointed

Mrs Ella Knowles to work in Pendower class every morning as a Teaching Assistant and to cover the lunch hour as a lunchtime superviser. Many of you will know Mrs Knowles as mum to Zach and Macey. Congratulations Mrs Knowles and welcome to the team!





In September there will be an opportunity for parents and carers to come into school to meet your child's new teachers. As you will know on 17th July your child will have a transition day where they will spend the day in their new classrooms with their new teachers and friends. Miss Willcock, Mrs Coley and Miss Blayney will all be on the school playground at the end of this school day should you wish to speak to them.

Miss Willcock has already been in school several times this week working with her new class and familiarising herself with the school and your children. Miss Blayney will be working in school for the coming two weeks and Mrs Coley continues to be in school several times a week so they should all be familiar faces in school to the children ready for September.



Summer term dates dates for your diary...

10th **July** – Reception 'graduation' trip to Seal Sanctuary

12th &13th July – KS2 Summer Performance

17th July – School transition day – 'move up taster day'

18th & 19th July – Parents evenings

19th July – Internet Safety – Parents 6.30-8pm Bishop Bronsecombe School

20th July – Internet Safety – Parents 6.30-8pm Grampound Road School

21st July – Year 6 prom Bishop Bronsecombe School 6pm

22nd July – Veryan Church fete

26th July - Leaver's assembly & awards presentation

9.10am (more details to follow)

July - Pendower Class Carnival!

26th July – Last day of term finish at 1.30pm

5th Sep – New term begins

Charity Postcards for sale

In the school foyer there are some beautiful postcards created by Daisy Morse (neice to Mrs Green) who is trying to raise funds for a goodwill trip to India. 17 lower 6th pupils will be working for Goodwill Children's Homes where pupils will stay with orphans and help teach in the primary schools.

The postcards are £2.50 for 5 and packs, please place monies and any donations in the pot on the table.



This Sunday, 9th July is messy church at 4pm and we will be celebrating Sea Sunday.

We are going to be fishing in the paddling pool and making boats to sail as we tell the story of the stilling of the storm and remember our fishing heritage here at Portscatho and the importance of the sea to our community.

Hope you will be able to join us.





Thursday 27th July & Tuesday 8th August

10:00-12:00 (2-5yrs)

Join us for games, nature crafts, explorations and discover the benefits of Forest School!

Parents welcome - fireside tea and cake provided

Spaces are limited - book tickets at eventbrite.com (Search '7th Rise Forest School Tasters')

Contact alexhearth.ncw@gmail.com for more information

www.hearth-ncw.co.uk



Give us a call via the Health Promotion Service on 01209 31341



