



# Veryan Primary School News



Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> September



## Stay and Play Together

We had our first Stay and Play Together group on Thursday this week – it was lovely to see some of the younger members of our village and school community coming in to school to enjoy a play, songs and making friends.

All parents with pre-school children and babies are welcome to join the fun from 1:15pm-2:45pm every Thursday in term time in Kiberick2.

The sessions are led by Tanya from Truro Nursery School for a charge of £3 per family (up to 2 children).

We have delayed the beginning of clubs this term to allow the children to settle into their new classroom routines and embed all the changes in school.

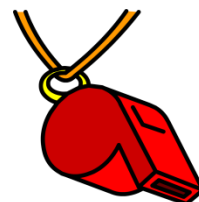
Clubs will begin from the week beginning the 2<sup>nd</sup> October and run until Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December and all will finish at 4pm. Mrs Allan will inform you as soon as the clubs are open for booking and how to do this.



Tuesday	Multi Sports Yr 3-6 children Max no. 20	Mr Jarvis
Tuesday	Construction Yr1-2 Max no.15	Miss Blayney
Wednesday	Lets sing and move Yr1-2 children Max no. 20	Mrs Coley
Thursday	Dance club Yr3-6 children Max no.30	Miss Willcock
Friday	Friday Club All Yr1-6 children	Mrs Hawkins/Mrs Hocking/Mrs Spears

## The early bird...

As you will know Mrs Warburton runs a breakfast club from 7:45am and then supervises children arriving on the school playground from 8.30am. The new routine for Kiberick and Pendower class is that a first whistle is blown at 8:40am for children to line up in their class before Wake and Shake. Can we request that when the children are asked to line up that parents/carers quickly say their goodbyes and move to the gate. We would ask that parents/carers do not line up with the children as this prolongs goodbyes for more emotional children and slows down our morning routine. Once lined up the children will take part in a range of activities to wake up their bodies. Immediately after this the children are led into school for morning maths. Officially school starts at 9.00am, however there are huge benefits in taking part in the extra morning activities (particularly for those that find maths challenging) and we would encourage **all** children to be in school for 8:40am to make the most of these valuable learning opportunities.



## Veryan Autumn Show



Well done to all the children of our school who took part in this year's Veryan Autumn Show. There were some super entries and our very own Mrs Michell was there to open proceedings and thoroughly enjoyed being part of the event!

Some of the winners from Veryan school are listed below, but we were also very proud to say that many children entered individual categories



and achieved many awards – well done everyone on such a great effort!

### **Opener's Choice – Best Exhibit in Children's Section 10 years & under** - Sam Taylor

**The Dawson Cup** - Rose Kendle for Best in Handwriting & Lord's Prayer.

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#### **Faces on plates Carne class**

1. William Kendall
2. Sennen Young
3. Florence Trounce

#### **Pencil Drawings**

1. Mimi St-Barbe
  2. Lottie Beetham
- Joint 3<sup>rd</sup> – Isaac White-Tiller & Kayden Busby

#### **Pendower**

##### **Pencil Drawings**

1. Sylvie Trounce
  2. Eleanor Kendall
  3. Amy Bullen
- "Well done" Ellie Lobb, Caleb Kendle, Rory Beetham

#### **Paintings 7 years & under**

1. Amy Bullen
  2. Evie Lobb
  3. Charlie Green
- "Well done" Oliver Oldham & Merryn Edwards

#### **President's Plate**

Joint Winners Amy Bullen & Evelyn Hepworth  
Joint 2nd all other entries

#### **Poems**

1. Evelyn Hepworth
  2. Samuel Taylor
- Joint 3rd - Chloe Hick & Kayleigh Vincent  
All the other poems were highly commended

#### **Lord's Prayer**

1. Rose Kendle
2. Ysella Young
3. Jemima Hetherington

**Thank you to everyone for coming along and supporting this community event!**

### **Book bags**

A plea from Mrs Coley – please could every child in Carne class have a book bag in school each day for books, reading records and letters. It makes changing of books etc much easier for the children and staff if all the bags are together and ensures no-one is accidentally missed. Book bags cost £4.00 and can be purchased from the school office using your Parentpay account under 'uniform.' Mrs Coley has also added coloured

rings to the handles of the book bags for quick year group recognition to speed up the process of changing books.



Our student of the week for:  
Kiberick class – Jemima Hetherington  
Pendower class – Ellie Kendall  
Carne class – Edward Morgan

We are trying to improve the lunchtime experience for all our children and will be reviewing our lunch time routines shortly. With this in mind we wondered whether there were any parents/grandparents/friends of the school who would consider volunteering a day or some days a week from 11:45-1:00pm to help the children in the lunch hall and/or in the playground.

If you are able to offer any help please inform Mrs Allan in the school office. Thank you.



### **Autumn term dates dates for your diary...**

**12<sup>th</sup> September-19<sup>th</sup> October** - Year1-4 Swimming

**15<sup>th</sup> – September- – 20<sup>th</sup> October** Year 4&5 Sailing

**29<sup>th</sup> September** – Macmillan World's Biggest Coffee 'morning' 2-3.15pm

**16<sup>th</sup> October** – Flu immunisations (see information leaflet sent home)

**17<sup>th</sup> November** – Year 1 hearing checks

**22<sup>nd</sup> November** – Health and weight checks Reception and year 6

### **Veryan Community Cafe**

Parents why meet outside the school gate in the mornings when you could be in the Parish Hall enjoying tea/ coffee/cake in the warm and dry. The Veryan Community Cafe opened last week and takes place fortnightly every other



Wednesday from 9.00 - 12.00. The cafe is run in partnership with the Roseland Surgeries Patient Group who have obtained grants for the project. *Why not try it out next Wednesday?*



If your child is in Year 1,2,3 or 4 you would have received a letter and information leaflet regarding the nasal flu vaccine. Please can we ask that the consent forms for the vaccination programme are returned by **Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September.**

**(Forms need to be returned whether you agree or refuse the vaccination opportunity.)**

## Paperwork!!

Please can any outstanding data collection sheets or Home School Agreements be returned to school as soon as possible.

If your child is in Reception or Year 6 they will also have come home with a booklet regarding child health checks. This works on an 'opt out' system so if booklets are not returned to decline checks these will go ahead in a few weeks time.



## JOIN US!!

On September 29<sup>th</sup> we are helping to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support by holding a coffee 'morning'...we say morning but as some of our children are out of school we thought it would be better to hold it in the afternoon!

Please bring friends & family to join us for a slice or two of cake and a nice brew and help us to raise funds for Macmillan.

You are all welcome from 2.00pm-3.15pm



In addition to your donations at the coffee morning this year, you can also Text 2 Donate!

Text the code: **MUG NCK1** to **70550** to donate £5.\*

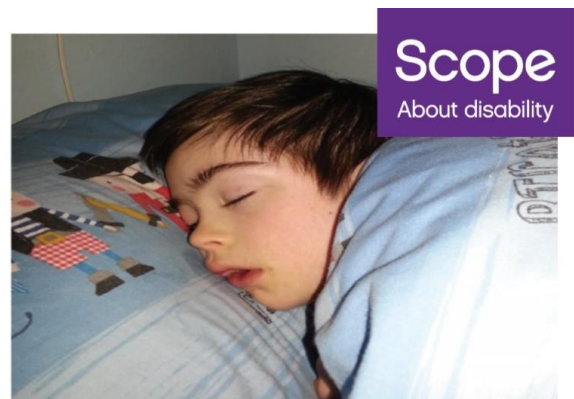
(\*Texts cost £5 + your standard network charge. [Find out more](#) information about Text to Donate )

*No one should face cancer alone. And with your support no one will.*

If you have any questions about cancer, please call Macmillan Cancer Support on 0808 808 00 00



Of course our children will be busy leading up to the coffee morning making treats to sell but any donations of cakes on Friday morning would be greatly appreciated and will help to make our afternoon a brilliant success!



## Sleep success

Helping your child to sleep

A free workshop for parents of children with additional needs that raises awareness of good sleep practice, strategies for parents and discussion time to share.

The session includes the impact of sleep disorders, the bedroom environment, a good bedtime routine, night waking and keeping a sleep diary. Refreshments provided.

**Address** Tregolls Children's Centre, Chellew Road, Truro TR1 1LH

**Date** Thursday 19 October 2017

**Time** 9.30am to 1.30pm

Booking essential please call or email Julia Donnell 07767 777 867  
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