



# Veryan CofE Primary

## School News



Friday 16th October

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You will have received a letter home explaining the plans for our annual harvest festival this year.

This is a gentle reminder to bring any food donations for the Foodbank to school on **Thursday or Friday (22nd/23rd) next week** ready for collection and distribution to those in need by Truro Foodbank.

Donations of non-perishable food only please.

The letter sent home outlined some of the most needed items and items that were not required at this time as a guide.



We also sent home a letter detailing plans for the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal.

To remind you, the next class to have the box of fundraising items will be:

Pendower - wk beginning 19th October

Kiberick—wk beginning 2nd November  
(school closed for inset day on 2nd)

We ask that your child has their donation, as per the suggested donation on the letter, in a labelled envelope. We cannot guarantee colours or availability of items on offer.

We hope to be able to share some of our Remembrance and Harvest activities & preparations on the school website for you to share at home.

### Message from Ms Jarrett

At this time of year, we would ordinarily hold our parent-teacher consultations to review your child's progress and development in school. Aside from the current restrictions of being able to meet face to face, it also does not seem appropriate to consider our children's progress when we are still in this period of recovery; where the most important thing is our children's health and wellbeing. With this in mind, teachers will be writing a brief mini-report to keep you up dated and informed about how your child is doing in school in general terms.

We hope you agree that the mini reports are a good means of communicating how your child is getting on so far this term—we had considered several possibilities, for example, phone conferencing, but as we only have one phone line in school this would be prohibitive and logistically quite difficult for parents, so we feel the reports are the best way forward. We aim to have these to you before the half term break.

We hope the information in the reports is helpful and you enjoy sharing them with your child. If you need any further information from your teacher please contact them via Class Dojo or your usual channels.

### Autumn term dates

**Friday 23rd October**—Deadline for all Rudolph cards designs and payments on Parentpay to be returned.

**Friday 23rd October**—School harvest celebration (letter sent home and see box left)

**Monday 2nd November**—Inset day. School closed

**Tuesday 3rd November**—Tempest individual photographs. To be confirmed (no sibling photos permitted)

**Wednesday 11th November** —Remembrance service in school (letter sent home and see box left)

**Friday 13th November**—Children In Need celebrations. (Details to follow from the school council.)

**17th November**—Nasal flu vaccines. Consent forms and information to follow

**18th December**—Last day of term

**Monday 4th January**—New term begins

# Funky Friyay Club

**In this week's club we are making puppets (refreshments and entry into the lotto included in subs).**

**To help us ensure that everyone is included when they want to attend, and ensure fairness to all, please can we ask that Friyay subs are paid by 8.30am Friday at the very latest.**

**Thank you, from the Year 6s**

(Feel free to put a lump sum on Parentpay for Friyay Club if this is easier, it will be deducted each week from the account so you can keep an eye on your balance.)

## celebrate!

Each week, in our Friday collective worship we will celebrate the achievements of each class by hearing about something the class have done together well as a group.

This week our class celebration awards go to:

**Kiberick** for— recognising and celebrating our own strengths, our own challenges; not being afraid to say how good we are and being proud of that!!

**Pendower** — For showing maturity and sensitivity in learning about Martin Luther King and the I have a dream speech

**Carne** - for being super scientists this week; using lots of observation skills when discovering the properties of materials.

Well done everybody!



Expected average attendance for a child is 96.1%

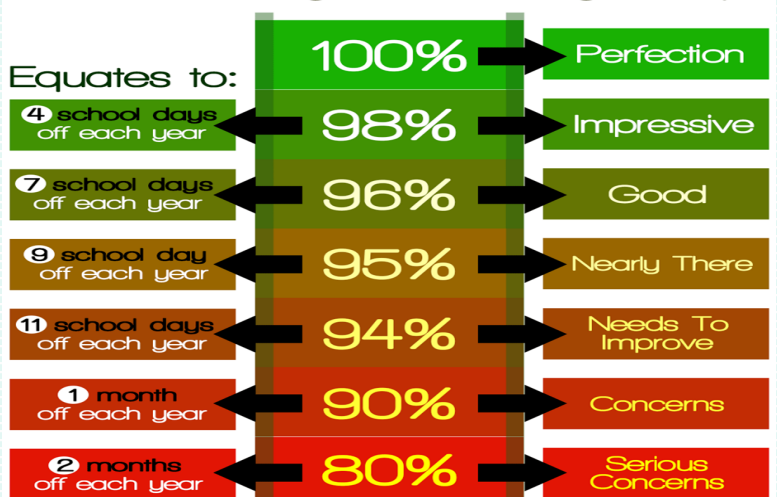
Our whole school attendance last week was 99.76%

Well done **Kiberick and Carne**—you were both the attendance champions with **100%** last week!

Pendower class **99.41%** So close!

## Attendance Ladder

How close are you to reaching the top?







Carne class have been busy little scientists this week, they created treasure boxes made up of materials with different properties.

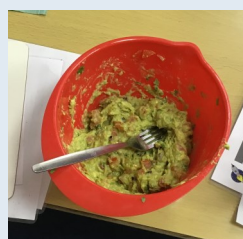
Perhaps your child can remember some of the properties their objects had?



Pendower— In science this week we behaved like different particles.



We are really proud of our Mayan work—we think our classroom looks fantastic with all our work displayed and wanted to share it with you.



We all enjoyed making (and tasting) our delicious guacamole dip.

What a state we're in

Kiberick— Attached with this week's newsletter are the stories that Kiberick class have been working on together. Why not pour yourselves a drink, cuddle up on the sofa and share them with your children....beware some of them are quite scary!



## Autumn Menu 2020

Vegan  
Wholemeal

		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Week One</b> 19/10 16/11 7/12	Option 1	Pork Sausage in a Bun with Pasta	Ham and Cheese Pizza with Rice	Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken and Broccoli Pasta Bake	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fish Fingers with Chips
	Option 2	Veggie Sausage in a Bun with Pasta	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Rice	Quorn Roast Fillet with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Macaroni Cheese	Freshly Made Vegetable Sausage with Chips
	Vegetables	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Cauliflower Cabbage	Carrots Green Beans	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Baked Beans Peas
	Dessert	Apple Flapjack Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Pear Crumble with Custard Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Jelly with Fruit Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Syrup Sponge with Custard Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Cinnamon Cookie Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
<b>Week Two</b> 5/10 2/11 23/11 14/12	Option 1	Meatballs with Mashed Potatoes and Gravy	Sweet and Sour Chicken with Rice	Roast Gammon, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Spaghetti Bolognese	Fish Fingers with Chips
	Option 2	Linda McCartney Sausages, Mashed Potato and Gravy	Lentil and Sweet Potato Curry with Rice	Cheese Whirl with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Veggie Bolognese	Cheese and Tomato Quiche with Chips
	Vegetables	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Peas Cauliflower	Carrots Green Beans	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Baked Beans Peas
	Dessert	Pineapple Cake Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Chocolate Cake with Chocolate Drizzle Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Apple, Cheese and Crackers Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Fruit with Ice-cream Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Orange and Lemon Shortbread Yoghurt Fresh Fruit
<b>Week Three</b> 12/10 9/11 30/11	Option 1	Cheese and Beef Pizza with Pasta	Sausage Roll with Potato Wedges	Roast Turkey, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken Stir Fry with Noodles	Battered Fish with Chips
	Option 2	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Pasta	Vegan Sausage Roll with Potato Wedges	Quorn Roast Fillet with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Vegetable Stir Fry with Noodles	Cheese Frittata with Chips
	Vegetables	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Swede Carrots	Peas Cauliflower	Green Beans Carrots	Baked Beans Peas
	Dessert	Chocolate and Orange Brownie Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Banana Sponge with Custard Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Jelly with Fruit Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Fruit with Ice-Cream Yoghurt Fresh Fruit	Oaty Cookie Yoghurt Fresh Fruit

**Available Daily:**  
- Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings (where advertised)  
- Bread freshly baked on site daily  
- Daily salad selection

**ALLERGY INFORMATION:**  
If your child has an allergy or intolerance please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of cross contamination.

We are pleased to announce that our kitchen can now begin serving hot meals again and return to a normal menu. Meals will be served in special 'flight trays' to allow the children to remain in their bubbles for meals and these will be served by members of their bubble staff.

Meals are now available to book on your child's Parentpay account. 'Autumn menu 2020' this menu will run until Christmas. We will distribute special dietary menus as soon as we have them from Caterlink.

Please note: we will return to school on Tuesday 3rd November on week 2 of the menu rotation.



**WHEAL MARTYN CLAY WORKS**

### HALF TERM ACTIVITIES AT WHEAL MARTYN

Enjoy nature in the Wheal Martyn woodlands this half term with autumn inspired, hands-on activities: clay modelling, art and a pumpkin trail!

Our woodland offers the perfect place to be an explorer, play hide-and-seek, get creative, have a picnic or simply relax and enjoy nature! Get involved in our three Autumn Roots activities this October. **All FREE with museum entry**

- Clay modelling in nature:** create a clay insect, animal, plant or landscape using objects in the woods as decoration.
- A picture tells a thousand stories:** be inspired by our outdoor photo exhibition and create your own stories.
- Woodland pumpkin trail:** track down our hidden pumpkins and crack the secret code.

**UNDER 5s GO FREE**  
**FAMILY SAVER TICKETS**

**01726 850362 St Austell PL26 8XG**  
**www.wheal-martyn.com**

Please pre-book via our website



## SEN online survey 2020

Your feedback. Our focus.

<https://www.netigate.se/ra/s.aspx?s=909416X244556692X79410>

Welcome to the Special Educational Needs (SEN) Survey 2020.

The SEN Online Survey 2020 is your opportunity to tell us about your experiences of SEN support in Cornwall.

What is working well? What can we develop further?

We will use your answers to form our SEN Strategies for 2021. This will ensure we are focusing on the areas that you feel we need to improve.

We will publish the findings here. More information about SEND events, consultation and feedback is on [www.cornwall.gov.uk/senfile](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/senfile).