

SPRING TERM - NEWSLETTER - Issue 17 21st July 2023

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Head of School Blog..

Dear parents and carers,

I can't believe that another two weeks has flown by. So much has happened at Veryan School which deserves celebration. I will attempt a whistle stop tour in chronological order!

Last Monday, I was lucky enough to accompany the Year 6 pupils (who are going to the Roseland) on an Arts Day. The day consisted of a dance / movement session and a sculpture session based upon seed pods using chicken wire, willow and fabric. Both activities were led by local artists and the quality of production was amazing. To have a look at the sculptures, please follow the link below.

https://sites.google.com/theroseland.co.uk/roseland-artscafe/home/roseland-festival-transition-project-2023? authuser=0



<u>Roseland Arts Café -</u> <u>Roseland Festival Transi-</u> <u>tion Project 2023</u>

Day 3: Drawings and Sculptures Inspired by Cornish Landscapes Year 6 pupils from Probus and Gerrans Primary Schools July 2023

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The following day was the final sailing session for our Y4 and 5 pupils who had a wonderful time and were, as usual, an absolute credit to the school. We have already booked up sailing sessions for next year and transport is confirmed.

Our next highlight, on Wednesday July 12th was the school production of Peter Pan. This was a real triumph, and the children were absolutely brilliant! The lines and songs were delivered clearly and with confidence and the characters really came to life. We have some very promising young actors at Veryan! There were so many people to thank for their valuable contributions and hard work, but I would like to say a special thank you to Mrs Bull for pulling the whole production together and her tireless organising.

The next day, Carne Class held their 'Teddy Bear's Picnic' at the park where they ate food that they had made themselves in class. This included jam sandwiches, cup cakes and even home made ice

cream!

On Friday 14th July, we held our whole school MAF day where the children learned about the Charity work that they carry out and were involved in an array of exciting activities linked to these. To find out more about MAF please see page two for details. We will be creating our own reflection area, provided by MAF, in our outside spaces in the Autumn Term.

This week has not been quite so hectic thank goodness. We had our fantastic whole school Wild Tribe day on Wednesday and reports going out on the same day. I hope you enjoyed reading about your wonderful children and how proud we are of them all..

Today we have our leavers' service which has been planned and organised by the Year 6 children and we are looking forward to this very much. It will be a lovely chance to celebrate this fabulous group of children but tinged with sadness at having to say goodbye. Later this evening will be the Leavers' Disco kindly provided and organised by a lovely group of parents. I'm sure it will be a fabulous evening and a fitting send off!

All that remains for me to say is that I hope that everyone has a safe, relaxing and family centred holiday with plenty of laughter and happy memories. We look forward to seeing you on September 5th for the new term.

With very best wishes, Caroline Jarrett





## **DIARY DATES...**

- FAMILY WORSHIP EVERY FRIDAY 14:30
- Wrap around daily (payable on ParentPay)
- 04/09/23 Inset Day
- 05/09/23 First day back
- 14/09/23 First day Sailing (We are doing this in the Autumn term this year instead) Years 5 and 6
- 16/09/23 Veryan Autumn show
- 29/09/23 Open the Book
- 20/10/23 break up for half term
- 30/10/23 first day back
- 06/11/23 Individual and sibling photos
- 15/11/23 Year 1 hearing screening
- 24/11/23 Inset day
- 19/12/23 break up for Christmas

## **Attendance**

Our Attendance this week; Carne Class - 100% Pendower Class - 84% Kiberick Class - 93.5% TOTAL - 92.5% We would still really love some help to improve our school reception area and would like some large palms or similar. Does anybody have any large pots, or even unwanted large pots? Thank you!





#### Veryan School's Peter Pan production 2023...











































#### Teddy bear Picnic...









































#### A Letter From MAF...

**Learning** 



#### Dear Parents/Guardians,

Throughout this past academic year, your child's school has participated in the life-saving work that a Christian charity called MAF does around the world, by engaging with our School Partnership programme.

#### An exciting opportunity for all year 6 children...

If your child is interested in keeping in touch with MAF, you can sign them up to our FREE quarterly youth magazine by post and they will receive a welcome pack of goodies through the door! Each edition contains stories from around the world, interviews, prayer points and some amazing competitions. Young people need to be 13 to sign up to it themselves, but you can give permission on our online form by adding your child's name and date of birth and *ticking the parental/guardian consent box:* www.maf-uk.org/youth/maf-youth-magazine.

In addition, all year 6 children who are signed up to the magazine will be entered into a draw to win an EXPERIENCE DAY of their choice (examples: indoor skydiving or Go Ape)!

#### What does MAF do?

MAF (Mission Aviation Fellowship) is the world's largest humanitarian airline, flying doctors and dentists, food, shelter, educational materials and personnel from 1,400 organisations such as WaterAid, UNICEF, Save the Children, Shelter, Compassion and the BBC to remote areas in more than 25 developing countries. Soaring over deserts, jungles and mountains for more than 75 years, MAF's over 115 light aircraft enable the most isolated people on earth to receive essential help.

#### What is the MAF School Partnership programme?

Hopefully you have heard about some of the resources your school has received from MAF which included:

Assemblies delivered by an MAF representative

RE lessons featuring MAF and an MAF Discovery Box

MAF's interactive online Advent Adventure journey

An MAF fun day featuring a range of exciting activities such as the Rescue Challenge or an

**MAF Prayer Space** 

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# Building a brighter future together

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#### Wild Tribe Day...











































# GOOD BYE YEAR 6'S AND GOODLUCK...







With the summer holidays starting, many families will be struggling with meals and food, due to the energy crisis. Please find attached a list of places offering cheap or free meals to children over the six weeks of summer.



## PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING THE 6 WEEKS SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2023



COURTESY OF MONEY SAVING CENTRAL

#### ASDA

Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.

#### TESCO

Kids eat free with a purchase of 60p+ from Mon 24th July - Fri 1st September 2023

#### SAINSBURYS CAFES

Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

#### **BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE**

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

#### THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult

#### TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

#### TRAVELODGE

Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

#### HUNGRY HORSE

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays & up to 2 Kids get free breakfast with 1 adult breakfast

#### PREMIER INN

Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

#### SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

#### IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

#### MORRISONS

Spend £4.49 & get one free kids meal all day, every day.

#### **GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS**

Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day at selected Gordon Ramsay restaurants

#### PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

#### BILLS

2 kids eat FREE all day, every day from Monday 24th July - Friday 1st Sept 2023

#### **BELLA ITALIA**

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Mon to Thurs.

#### WHITBREAD INNS

Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

#### SA BRAINS PUBS

Children can eat for £1 with any adult main. Valid All Day Wednesdays

#### **FUTURE INNS**

Under 12's eat for free with any adult meal. During the school holidays

#### PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

#### YO! SUSHI

From Mon 17th of July until Fri 11th of Aug kids eat free with every £10 adult spend

#### TO BE CONFIRMED ...

M&S and Farmhouse Inns

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FYI...

(Wendy Vincent, Secretary to the Trustees of Truro Foodbank)

Good morning.

I'm writing to let you know that Truro Foodbank will be holding 2 open days in the summer holidays on Tuesday 8 and Tuesday 22 August. They will be at All Saints Church, Tresawls Road, Highertown, TR1 3LD from 10am to 1pm.

We will be offering family top-up food to families in the TR1 to TR6 postcode areas. This means that people who might be struggling to supply breakfast and lunches to children can come in and choose up to 10 items.

We will also have advice agencies there wo help with information about gas, water or electric costs or to give advice about employment or money skills. Cornwall Children's Clothes Bank will also be there to assist with children's

Please can you let families at your school know about these open days.



Preloved and affordable Veryan School uniform now available, please check it out. We will continue to collect items that are no longer required to make them available to others that could us e them, I can collect these in the office. Any money made from the sales will go towards projects or trips for the children.

Preloved Uniform

ANY ORDERS MADE FOR UNIFORM WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR COLLEC-TION ON MONDAY 4TH SEPTEMBER AT THE SCHOOL AT 10AM, WASHED AND READY TO WEAR.







# ARGYLE COMMUNITY TRUST ER HOLIDAY

MID/WEST CORNWALL | JULY - SEPTEMBER 2023

FALMOUTH SPORTS HUB Football Roadshow - Jul 28, Aug 4, 11, 14, 18, 25, Sep 1 Girls Only - Jul 31, Aug 30

PENZANCE YOUTH FC NEWLYN COOMBE Football Roadshow - Jul 27, Aug 7, 22, Sep 1

CARN BREA LEISURE CENTRE Football Roadshow - Jul 26, Aug 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

PENRICE ACADEMY, ST AUSTELL Football Roadshow - Jul 27, Aug 3, 17, 24, 31

PENAIR SCHOOL TRURO Football Roadshow - Jul 26, Aug 11, 18, 25

HELSTON ATHLETIC FC Football Roadshow - Jul 25, Aug 1, 15, 29

ST DAY FC Football Roadshow - Aug 4, 21, 31 9.30am-3.30pm **Boys & Girls** All Abilities Aged 5-15

NOW!

BRANNEL SCHOOL Football Roadshow - Jul 28, Aug 29 Girls Only - Aug 10

TRETHERRAS SCHOOL NEW Football Roadshow - Jul 25, Aug 8



Book now 01752 562561 ext. 6 www.officialsoccerschools.co.uk/argyle/courses.html



# FOOTBALL Saturday Mornings

# WHEN

9am-10am Reception Class/Yr1 9am-10:30am Years 2-7



# WHERE Probus School

## DETAILS

All abilities welcome Qualified FA coaches No need to book

# BRING

Football boots AND trainers Suitable clothing Shin pads Drink

**NO NEED TO BOOK, JUST TURN UP READY TO PLAY!** 



@probusyouthfootballclub

# EACH SATURDAY

In association with Probus Youth Football Club

AGES Reception to Yr 7

PRICE Reception/Yr1£4

Yr2- Yr7 £5

# COACHES

Steve Flack Will Ferguson Other PYFC coaches

## FUN...

Outdoor football skills, drills and matches with experienced coaches



#### Free School Meals

If you think you may be eligible for Free School Meals the criteria and link you will need to follow are below. Not only would your child receive free meals but this enables the school to access additional funding. If you would apply by post please contact the office for a paper application form.

Free school meals eligibility criteria if you receive benefits

A child is eligible for free school meals if their parent/carer (or the child themselves) receives any of the following benefits:

Universal Credit (provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400, as assessed by earnings from up to three of your most recent assessment periods).

Income Support (IS)

Job Seekers' Allowance (Income-Based) and equal based Job Seekers Allowance

Income Related Employment and Support Allowance (ESA-IR) and equal based Employment and Support Allowance

Child Tax Credit (CTC) with an annual income of less than £16,190

Working Tax Credit run-on - paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

Guarantee Element of Pension Credit (GPC)

Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 (IAA) Supports

If you are claiming the benefits listed below you are not eligible for free school meals. This is regardless of what other benefits/credits are being claimed.

Working Tax Credit

Contribution-Based Job Seeker's Allowance and/or Contribution-Based Employment and Support Allowance

#### Link to Cornwall Council Website for Free School Meals

https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/schools-and-education/schools-and-colleges/ school-meals/apply-for-free-school-meals-and-pupil-premium/











If you have a LOVE and TALENT for singing, join us for a taster session and audition at one of our rehearsals. We sing many different styles of music and work with professional vocal mentors. The choirs have performed at many venues across the country and we will be returning to perform at the Royal Albert Hall in November 2021.





#### You can audition for the following choirs:

**Cornwall Boys and Cornwall Girls** (Y4-Y7/8)

**Cornwall County Youth Choir** (Y7/8 depending on voice maturity - Y13)

Email julia.knight-bennett@cornwall.gov.uk for more details





#### Cornwall Music Service Trust - office@cmst.co.uk

17th July 2023

Dear Colleague,

We are currently in the process of implementing a new administration system for September, which will change how things work with our Service Level Agreements.

At this stage:

- We do not require information on current and required instrumental and vocal lessons, as these contracts are ongoing, either direct with parents or through yourselves, unless 6 week notice is given for pupils to stop. Should you currently charge your students but would like CMST to manage direct billing, please contact us as soon as possible.
- We will assume any existing Curriculum Support, School Funded\* Whole Class Lessons or School Ensembles will continue as per this term/academic year unless you give the normal 6 week notice to cancel.
  (\*First Access and other Projects charged to you by CMST but funded by ASONE will be dealt with separately.)

We will inform you of the new process for requesting any new delivery for curriculum support etc once the system has been implemented. To that end, please would you complete this short form to advise us of the best contact person..

As always you can view and download CMST's most up to date Letter of Assurance which includes detail of our insurance cover at: <u>https://www.cornwallmusicservicetrust.org/letterofassurance</u>

Finally many thanks for your continued support and if you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely,

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Gareth Churcher MA, LCTL (Hons), MAAT Head of Service

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