

St Day and Carharrack School Newsletter



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LIVING OUR VALUES OF:

ENJOYMENT

Laughing, loving, learning

ENGAGEMENT

Communicating, collaborating, contributing

EXCELLENCE

Be your best, be even better, be brilliant

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Dear Families

It is lovely to welcome spring! The children are back out on the field and enjoying learning outdoors. We have been busy as always – celebrating Comic Relief, Science Week, Singing, Sporting competitions and The Minack Theatre performing and leading workshops in school!

We have had an incredible response to raising money for the families suffering in Ukraine. Thank you to our whole community for donating so generously.



Rights Respecting Change – Makers:

We have had a busy week organising BOUNCE for Ukraine with Miss Horne and thinking about, and raising awareness of Article 38 and how we can help the families of Ukraine.

*We are determined to support this cause as best we can and have already raised over £500 - Thank you to everyone.
Hollie Year 6*



CONGRATULATIONS to our talented children performing in SONGFEST at Truro Cathedral – you sounded amazing! Thank you to the staff and parents for your support.



We were nervous and excited all at the same time - adrenaline was flowing through our bodies! As all of the schools stepped into the light and began to sing, we felt empowered and ready to sing our hearts out. The whole evening was magical and something we will remember for a long time.

Caja and Lydia
Year 6

CELEBRATING BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK 2022

The children have been actively involved in British Science Week. This year's theme is 'Growth' and all across the school, from Nurture to Year 6, our future scientists have been investigating, experimenting and carrying out experiments linked to this theme. Year 1 and 2 have been studying plants this term so as part of this week they have been growing cress and observing things that grow in the school grounds. Years 4 and 5 were lucky enough to go on a trip to Cornish Lithium Geocubed at United Downs to learn about the growth of the lithium industry in the UK.

On Tuesday, years 4, 5 and 6 were visited by the Science department from Redruth School who wowed them with some whizz and bang experiments and then carried out an investigation making slime! Year 3 explored different materials and their absorbency. This investigation will inform their DT and geography learning in designing a flood proof house. Year 5 have also been testing the 'dunkability' of a variety of biscuits and stretching Curly Wurlys! Great fun has been had by all!



THE MINACK THEATRE

Last week, Topaz class and KS1 were visited by The Minack theatre. The group put on a fantastic show called, "The Kiss that Missed." The children met the main character – the prince – whose goodnight kiss flew out the window and he had to go on an adventure full of danger and dragons to find it! Reece said, "That was the best play I've ever seen." Back in class, Year 3 used their summarising skills to describe the plot.

SPORTING OPPORTUNITIES continue with a great team of Sports Coaches leading weekly Capoeira, Cricket, Multi-skills and team games in school. A big shout out to our Cross Country Team for their achievements: *Nerve racking and exhausting. The races were longer and busier than the first round, there were so many children jostling for positions. We all ran as fast as we could and were all determined to finish. It was a new experience for all of us and we are proud to have made it to the finals!*

Ruby and Jacob Year 6

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GOLDEN STARS

Opal class – EYFS/Yr1

Denis for thoughtful and kind and trying hard with his learning.

Olivia for really excelling in her writing.

Jade Class – Year 1/2

Kairyn for his brilliant attitude towards his learning.

Sienna for care and attention to produce high quality learning.

Topaz Class – Year 3

Evie for her positive learning attitude.

Reece for enjoying and engaging in all lessons.

Emerald Class – Year 4

India for her brilliant work ethic and beautiful singing.

Elsie, Jessica, Isabel, Ashleigh and Brooke for engaging, enjoying and excelling in choir at Songfest 2022.

Sapphire Class – Year 5

Leo W for his excellent attitude to all learning and friendships.

Isobel for excellent story writing this week.

Turquoise Class – Year 6

Jacob for helping and encouraging others.

Imogen for being an all-round brilliant young lady!

Ruby, Alex, Sky, Amber, Caja, Lydia and Holly for engaging, enjoying and excelling in choir at Songfest 2022.

Golden Learners of the Week:

Opal class – EYFS/Yr1	RJ, Hollie, Grace and Olivia.
Jade Class – Year 1/2	Kian, Oliver.
Topaz Class – Year 3	Daisy and Violet, Lacey, Kane and Amia
Emerald Class – Year 4	Julie, Khaleen, Jago and Lilly.
Sapphire Class – Year 5	Clodagh and Sophie.
Turquoise Class – Year 6	Sky, Imogen, Kathleen, Ben

Thank you - The St Day and Carharrack Team

