St Day and Carharrack Newsletter

Self-belief, Determination and Courage

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IMPORTANT UPDATES

Dear Parents

We have now successfully welcomed our Year 6 and Reception children back, and I have to say it has been brilliant! Parents have commented on the positive experience as it has supported their child to reconnect with their friends and teachers. Next week on Monday, July 6th we will also have our Year 1 children back – we are all excited to see you!

We would then like to offer **every** child an opportunity to return to school before the 'official' summer break begins! This plan will hopefully provide some closure, alleviate any concerns and enable you all to have an enjoyable summer without unnecessary worries. We also understand that your child has not really had the chance to say goodbye to their current teacher or in some cases say hello to their new one.

We will be offering all other class a morning or afternoon 'special session' **during the week beginning the 13**th **July**. This time will enable us to plan for the support needed to ensure successful transition back to school in September.

The organisation for these groups will be in line with our successful provision for Year 6. Guidance of which is on the school website.

Year Group Permission Form

Year Groups 2, 3, 4 and 5 will receive a hyperlink from Hayley Uren today. This is for you to complete a permission form so that your child can take up this offer. Please can you ensure this is completed by 9.00am on Tuesday 7th July 2020?

Once we have received the responses for this, we will send **additional information** to those parents who choose to accept this place for **a half day**. This provision will enable us to keep the class bubbles under 15.

Our proposed days for each year group are as follows:

Monday 13th July - Yr 5

Tuesday 14th July - Yr 4

Wednesday 15th July – Yr 3

Thursday 16th July - Yr 2

Friday 17th July – School closed on this day to all children.

Tuesday 21st July - Last day of school for Key Worker children.

The current Year 6 provision will finish on **Thursday 9th July** to enable other year groups to return. This end date does not apply to our Year 6 key worker children. Please contact the office if you still need a place.

School will then re-open, under new guidelines, for children Yr 1-6, on Thursday 3rd September. New Reception children will start transition the week beginning 7th September. New guidance has just been released so our school plan will follow before the end of term.

If you are unsure of anything, and would like to talk to me, please contact Hayley in the office.

NEW GOVERNMENT GUIDANCE FOR SEPTEMBER

There is new government guidance, released yesterday, for schools fully re-opening in September. This will be shared with governors next week and be assured, you will hear from me directly with a plan that works for our community. Please have your say by completing the:

URGENT LOCKDOWN QUESTIONNAIRE – HAVE YOUR VOICE HEARD!

Please complete the questionnaire that you will receive from Hayley Uren today. We want to gather the opinions of the whole school community to feed into a plan for September. To support us in making this work, we would be very grateful if **all parents** could complete the questionnaire by **Monday**, **6**th **July**. Your opinions will be shared with governors.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS – please follow this link for further information and for an application form - https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/school-meals/

VIRTUE: JOYFULNESS.
In the spirit of 'JOYFULNESS', get creative this week! We would love to see your ...



PET PORTRAITS

There are no rules! It could be a painting, drawing, iPad sketch or collage; it could be sewn together, photographed, or even made from recycled materials and it could be inspired by your own family pet or another animal of your choice!

Please email your pet portraits to: msalter@st-day.cornwall.sch.uk

PRIZE: Your family pet may make it onto the office 'wall painting'... Miss Clark has been busy again!

Have a lovely week. Enjoy the photos below – with thanks to Michelle Salter.

Please, please, send us your pet photos!

With best wishes,

Susannah Storey Headteacher

These are our pets. We would love you to send in photographs of your pets.



Send them to msalter Ost-day, cornwall, sch. uk
and we'll share them in next weeks newsletter,

