



**ST DAY & CARHARRACK PRIMARY SCHOOL**

# **NEWSLETTER**

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## Vision and Values

We are the **CHANGE-MAKERS** of OUR WORLD!

**ENJOYING, ENGAGING, EXCELLING**

Happy, healthy children, **enjoying** learning for life - surrounded by kind, respectful relationships and **engaging** in rich learning experiences. **Together** we will enable and encourage **ALL** our children to discover their unique gifts of character, talents and abilities. Our children will enthusiastically contribute to society, **excelling** in all they choose to do. They will communicate confidently, listen openly, think critically and question respectfully – our children will be the responsible **Change-Makers of Our World**.

### LIVING OUR VALUES

**ENJOYMENT**

Laughing - Loving - Learning

**ENGAGEMENT**

Communicating - Collaborating - Contributing

**EXCELLENCE**

Be your best - Be even better - Be brilliant



## A message from Ms Storey

We are still feeling very excited about our amazing Anonymous Art Auction last week - please read the news articles below to find out more! It really was a brilliant event and showcased what an incredible community we have here in St Day and Carharrack.



Anonymous art auction receives hundreds of donations for primary school

Esteemed artists donated work to the school fundraiser

[www.voicenewspapers.co.uk](http://www.voicenewspapers.co.uk)



Voice



Anonymous art au...

The final total raised for our school to inspire the artists of the future was a staggering **£1500!**

This could not have happened without our dedicated staff, the talented artists or you, our brilliant school family. Thank you

In other news, we had a brilliant day of workshops for World Book Day - all based around one of our favourite books: 'Where the Wild Things Are'. The money raised at 'Made in St Day' was used towards the cost of these dance workshops - enabling every child in our school to express themselves creatively. Look out for the photos next week and in the meantime ask your child all about it.

## News from around the school



£65.00 paid  
for one  
postcard!



£1500  
raised!!



## News from around the school

A group of Key Stage 2 children did a fantastic job representing us at a Redruth School athletics competition last week. They competed against other schools from across the area in a number of different events.

All adults who worked with them commented on how brilliantly they supported each other and how well they worked as a team.



# News from around the school

Year 5 enjoyed a fantastic visit to Tolvaddon fire station where they took part in a brilliant *Skills for Life* workshop.

They took part in lots of activities such as learning how to perform CPR and trying out aspects of lots of different, important jobs.

They represented our school beautifully and this was recognised by the team at Tolvaddon.



# Parent Partnerships - RRS Article 18

Every Child, Every Day a Writer...

Are you brave enough to  
take on the creative  
writing challenge?

Follow the instructions to  
complete a story with  
some very strange rules!

We will share some of  
your effort in assembly  
next week.

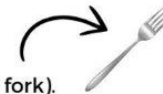


## Creative Writing Challenge



Your mission is to write a short story about anything you choose. But there's a twist—you must follow these specific guidelines for each sentence:

Sentence 1: Include an eating **utensil** (e.g. knife, spoon, chopsticks, fork).



Sentence 2: Begin with "**Despite**" and use between **10 and 14 words**.

Sentence 3: Include a **musical instrument** (e.g. guitar, violin, piano).



Sentence 4: Include a **country** (e.g. France, Kenya, Japan, Spain).



Sentence 5: Include a **question**.

Sentence 6: Include **slang** (e.g., bruh, cap, drip, lit)

Sentence 7: Begin with "**Without warning**...."

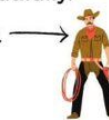


Sentence 8: Write exactly **3 words**.

Sentence 9: Include **alliteration**.

- Alliteration is the repetition of the same initial consonant sound in two or more nearby words. Example: Bright blue butterflies fluttered beautifully.

Sentence 10: Include a **duck, princess, whale or cowboy**.



### Example Story:

1) Leo gripped his **spoon**, staring at the strange green soup in front of him. 2) **Despite** his hunger, he hesitated, wondering if he could stomach the unusual dish. 3) A soft **violin** melody drifted through the air, adding to the mysterious atmosphere. 4) The chef, a traveler from **Italy**, smiled knowingly from across the room. 5) "**What exactly is in this soup?**" Leo asked, raising an eyebrow. 6) "Nah, man, **no cap**—this dish is straight **fire**," the chef replied. 7) **Without warning**, the lights flickered, and the room plunged into darkness. 8) **Leo gasped loudly**. 9) **Steam spiraled, swirled, and sizzled** from the bubbling pot, releasing an eerie aroma. 10) Through the dim candlelight, a **cowboy** stepped forward, tipping his hat with a grin.



## Parent Partnerships -



**Hello!**

My name is

**Seren**

from the NHS Mental Health Support Team (MHST) in Schools.

I am a Trainee Education Mental Health Practitioner (TEMHP) and I work with children who might be feeling sad or worried, to try to help them feel better.

Meet Seren - she is a trainee Education Mental Health Practitioner and will be working in our school as part of the NHS Mental Health Support Team





# Golden Stars

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GOLDEN STARS !

We celebrate all of our children each week in class. In our special celebration assembly, we praise the children who have made an extra special effort with their learning goals and living the 'Rights of the Child'. So many of our children have been displaying **ENJOYMENT, ENGAGEMENT and EXCELLENCE** in all aspects of school life.

WE ARE PROUD OF ALL OF YOU!

### Opal Class - EYFS/Year 1

**Bob** for his brilliant effort in his writing

### Amber Class - Year 2

**Lacie** for joining a new reading group and being brilliant!

### Emerald Class - Year 3

**Jack** for his positive and determined attitude

### Sapphire Class - Year 4/5

**Olivia** for helping our community

### Turquoise Class – Year 5/6

**Eliza** for excelling in all of her learning

### Hot Chocolate with Ms Storey

All our 'Stars' will celebrate their achievements with a hot chocolate break with Ms Storey



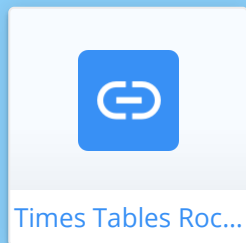
## Maths



There are so many children to celebrate for their fantastic progress on TTRS. We even have a number of KS1 children making the ranking. Congratulations to all of them for their continued hard work.

Aubrey, Dexter (Year 2), Jago, Amelia, Oscar (Year 3), Sonny, Joey, Tiana, Ivy, Jago, Pawel, Kerensa (Year 4), Leo, Kairyn, Asa, Asfiya, Laila, Carter (Year 5), Jessica, Evie, Rusty and Mohammed (Year 6)

Certificates have been delivered to each child to celebrate their achievements. Well done.



Click here to access

## Key Stage 2 March Leaderboard

1st Place - Leo (Sapphire)  
2nd Place - AJ (Sapphire)  
3rd Place - Sonny (Sapphire)



## Key Stage 2

### Maths



A huge well done to Kairyn (Sapphire) and Kerensa (Sapphire) for completing their fluency heatmap. This means they can recall all their multiplication facts in under 4 seconds.

# Celebrating Attendance

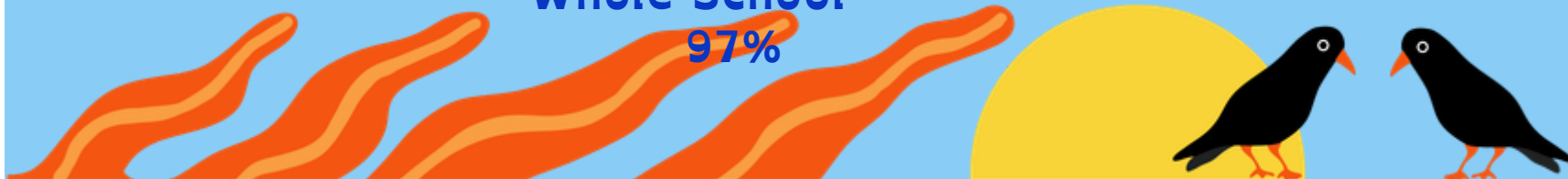
Be an attendance HERO - aim for 96% and above!

Thank you families - being on time supports your child to have a positive start to the day.  
Gates are open from 8.30am.



Opal	97%
Amber	94%
Emerald	96%
Sapphire	99%
Turquoise	99%
Whole School	97%

A super well done to Sapphire and Turquoise for achieving the highest attendance this week. Thank you to everyone, this is a great joint effort.







# Safeguarding Information

## Safeguarding Concerns

Designated Safeguarding Lead	Susannah Storey
Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead	Laura Vallance
Safeguarding Governor	Sally Miners
01209 820456	

### [Raise a concern about a child](#)

If you have immediate concerns or are worried about a child or young person's safety please know that anyone, anytime, can telephone the Multi Agency Referral Unit (MARU) on 0300 123 1116.



# eSafety Updates

We are sharing information this week about a game that is growing in popularity and, although aimed at older children, is likely to be something your children become aware of.

Marvel Rivals is a highly popular multiplayer shooter that pits iconic superheroes against formidable villains. The game is free –to play on PC and current-generation consoles but does feature microtransactions that allow players to spend real money on cosmetic items for their characters.

While Marvel Rivals has been deemed suitable for children aged 12 and over, there are several risks associated with the title that parents and educators should be aware of.

This free guide offers more information on these safety concerns and lets you know how to ensure that children playing the game can have a fun and age-appropriate experience.

<https://nationalcollege.com/guides/marvel-rivals>



marvel-rivals.pdf





# School Office Reminders

## Uniform Supplier New Website

Price and Buckland (our uniform supplier) has recently launched a new website and have a fantastic new video resource to share with you. This useful tool will help you to navigate their new website and explains everything you need to know about placing an order.

Please use the link below or scan the QR code to watch the video.

<https://youtu.be/-wg3-jEq0Pg>



## Important Dates

### MARCH 2025

- 10th Science Week
- 12th RLG Dance Event - Emerald Class
- 17th RRS - Internet Safety
- 19th Songfest
- 20th Farm and Country Day - Year 3
- 24th Last week of clubs
- 24th Assessment Week
- 27th Year 4 MTC information Meeting - 2.30pm

### APRIL 2025

- 4th Break up for Easter - 1.15pm
- No Afterschool Childcare
- 22nd Term starts for children
- 22nd RRS - Earth Day



# Easter Holiday Activities



**NHS**  
Cornwall Partnership  
NHS Foundation Trust

**The Mental Health Support Team warmly invite you to attend an ....**

**EASTER**  
*Wellbeing group*

**During the Easter holidays MHST, in collaboration with the National Trust would like you to join us on a FREE wellbeing session at various locations in Cornwall.**

**This is for parents and their primary aged children (5-11) in Cornwall to help understand and support emotional and mental wellbeing.**

**Please book EACH child on to a session below:**

**Morning and afternoon sessions available:**  
**Wednesday 9 April 2025 - Penrose Estate**  
**10.00-12.00 or 2.00-4.00**

**or**  
**Wednesday 16 April 2025 - Kennack Sands either**  
**10.00-12.00 or 2.00-4.00**

To request a place, complete the online form or scan the QR code provided:

<https://forms.office.com/e/Epj7iLqgEc>

Come prepared for all weathers and feel free to bring a picnic (please do not bring any foods that may contain nuts)

Follow us on Facebook for updates and upcoming events:  
[Cornwall Mental Health Support Team \(MHST\)](#)

Please note: Places are limited and will be allocated on a first come, first serve basis. If you are allocated a place and cannot attend, please let us know so we can allocate your space to someone else



**TRACK TRIBE**  
**EASTER CAMP**

Let your child experience the **ULTIMATE** Easter adventure with Track Tribe!  
Our exciting program offers thrilling activities such as mountain biking, swimming, and Easter Activities. Don't miss out on this unforgettable Easter!

**From Ages**  
5 years - 11 years

**Monday-Friday**  
7th - 18th April 2025  
9am - 3pm

**ENROL NOW**

£40 per session or £175 for a week's booking

New Portreath Road, TR164HN





## Wraparound Care

**Breakfast Club**

£3.50  
per  
session

Breakfast  
Included

More information  
on the school  
website or from  
the school office

From 8am  
every day

Book on  
ParentPay

Games  
and  
Crafts

From the end of  
the school day  
until 4.30pm /  
5pm or 6pm

Healthy  
Snack and  
Drink  
Included

Prices  
start  
from £5

**Afterschool  
Wraparound Care**





**Thank you  
for taking the time to read or listen to our news.**

**Wishing you all an enjoyable weekend.**

**Susannah Storey  
and  
The St Day and Carharrack Team**

