



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



Happy Earth Week!

Across school this week we have been immersed in a variety of activities related to Earth Week 2025.

From letter writing to interactive live online lessons to art activities to simply enjoying our wonderful outside grounds, every child has had time and space to consider their relationship with our planet and how they can have a positive impact on its future.

The whole week has been linked with the United Nations Global Goals. These goals form the next important step on our Rights Respecting School journey and will be embedded throughout school over the coming term.



THE GLOBAL GOALS
For Sustainable Development



A message from Ms Storey

WELCOME BACK EVERYONE!

What a fantastic week we have had learning about and celebrating our place on the planet with 'Earth Week'. Our children always amaze me with their creative ideas and actions on how we can work collaboratively - taking joint responsibility in making a lasting difference to the future. I hope you heard Ms Horne on the radio talking all about this and what a fantastic contribution our children make.

A big thank you to all our wonderful volunteers this week - Jimmie's parents have taught Opal class all about the incredible world of bees - look out for photos next week. Rosi, Penny and Chris- thank you for teaching every child 'Maypole' dancing - great fun was had by all! Do come along at the weekend for the 'Blossailing'- your children will love joining in!



News from around the school

Another part of our Earth Week celebrations has seen all children out on the field dancing around the maypole!

As well as being brilliant fun, this traditional dance will form a part of the Blossail celebrations happening in the village this weekend.

All families are invited to attend and join in - the words to the song can be found in the PDF attached to this page.

Full details of this celebratory event can be found on the next page.



[Blossail Lyrics.pdf](#)



If you wish to take part, please gather at the Clock Tower at 5pm on Saturday.



Here We Come a Blossailing, a Blossailing...

St Day's Community Celebration
Meet @St Day Clock Tower

Saturday, 26th April - 5.15pm
Bring your Blanket & Picnic

Process through the streets to the Community Orchard

Let's Dance with **Redruth Festival Band**, **Tatters Morris Dancers**,
The WAD; St Day's Favourite Duo **Tim & Athene** from the 3 Daft
Monkeys along with **The Suitcase Singers**

Merriment & Fun with Music and Song

Place Your Wish on a Fruit Tree, Come and Bless the Trees

Come Dance Around the Maypole with Rosi Jolly of Jolly Goodh
continue with

Candlelit Procession to the Old Church
to Carry on the Music, Dance and Merriment

Refreshments, Cider, Homemade Cakes, Soups

Free Entry

Close 9.30pm



News from around the school

As part of Earth Week, Sapphire Class have been busy revitalising our outdoor growing spaces. The children worked brilliantly digging over the allotment, weeding and sorting our new school shed. This year, we are trialling a no-dig approach. A number of our growing beds were covered in cardboard then new compost was added ready for planting in the coming weeks. Soon, we will have flowers and food galore.



News from around the school

Before the Easter break, Sapphire children had a brilliant experience at Redruth Secondary School exploring a variety of science activities. Children had the opportunity to be scientists by completing a number of experiments around space, light and motion. Great teamwork was promoted throughout and the children engaged from start to finish.



Parent Partnerships - RRS Article 18

Every Child, Every Day a Writer...



Can you use these sentence starters to write your own sentence or paragraph?

1. Just as Rusty reached for another pile of scrap...
2. The bright light surrounded Evie, making everything else...
3. As he stepped towards the spaceship, Daisy 's gears...
4. AlienBot's eyes sparkled as the...
5. High above the scrapyard, Ronnie could see...

Parent Partnerships - RRS Article 18

NHS
Cornwall Partnership
NHS Foundation Trust

MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM - MHST

Parents and Carers
Please join us for a
5 session online
workshop for
**Behaviour as
Communication**
- Parent support

Various morning and
afternoon sessions available
starting week commencing
9 June 2025, please select
when you sign up. Please note
you will be signed up to the
same day and time for the
duration of the workshop.

This workshop provides
parents with practical
strategies to foster
positive behaviour and
communication at
home.

TO BOOK A PLACE PLEASE COMPLETE THE ONLINE FORM [HERE](https://forms.office.com/E/BVHDPYUCQA)
[HTTPS://FORMS.OFFICE.COM/E/BVHDPYUCQA](https://forms.office.com/E/BVHDPYUCQA)

OR SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW

This workshop is open to
parents/carers of
primary aged children
enrolled in Reception to
Year 6 in any school in
Cornwall

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Cornwall Partnership
NHS Foundation Trust

MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM - MHST

Parents and Carers - please
join us for a 5 session online
workshop where we will teach
you **practical strategies to
support your child with their
anxiety and worries**

Various morning and afternoon sessions
available starting week commencing 9 June
2025, please select when you sign up.
Please note you will be signed up to the
same day and time for the duration of the
workshop.

To book a place please complete
the online form [HERE](https://forms.office.com/e/OqRnKmCw1i)
[https://forms.office.com/e/OqRn
KmCw1i](https://forms.office.com/e/OqRnKmCw1i) or scan the QR code

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to Year 6 in any school in Cornwall

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.

A super well done
to classes with
100% attendance
from everyone! You
have earned your
class some extra
free time!



Opal	95%
Amber	93%
Emerald	100%
Sapphire	91%
Turquoise	100%
Whole School	96%



eSafety Updates

Livestreaming is now a major part of children's entertainment, evolving from gamers sharing screens into a booming industry with diverse personalities.

While watching streamers can be entertaining, it comes with no small number of risks for children, such as misinformation, negative influences, and inappropriate content.

With over 2.5 million viewers on Twitch – the current most popular streaming platform – at any one time, this guide highlights the potential dangers associated with watching livestreams and the importance of staying informed.



streamers.pdf



Download the image above here





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.



School Office Reminders

Census Day Menu - 15th May



Important Upcoming Dates

MAY 2025

- 5th **BANK HOLIDAY—SCHOOL CLOSED**
- 12th Yr 6 SATs week
- 12th Last week of clubs
- 15th **CENSUS DAY—Special School Menu**
- 21st Class Photographs
- 23rd **Break up for half-term**

JUNE 2025

- 2nd Term resumes for children
- 2nd Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check
- 3rd SEND 'Tea & Talk' - 9am
- 9th Yr 1 Phonics Screening Check all week
- 9th Clubs Start
- 12th Yr 4/5 Camp overnight on school field
- 16th Assessment Week
- 23rd Year 6 Residential
- 23rd Adventure Learning Week - (NO CLUBS)
- 26th Yr 2 School Sleepover in the school hall
- 27th RRS - Children's Conference
(Please note the planned Beach Walk has
been postponed)
- 30th **FEAST DAY**



Wraparound Care

Child-Care 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**

