

Padstow School Newsletter

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Our First Gold Card Recipient!



Truan is the first person EVER to have earned a Gold Card at Padstow School! To earn a Gold Card, Truan first had to earn a total of 10 Golden Tickets through fantastic behaviour. A great achievement Truan, well done.

You can view our updated behaviour policy on our website: <http://www.padstowschool.org/website/policies/50287>

There Must Be Something in the Water in Y5

Hot on Truan's heels, Hayden was the second person ever to earn a Gold Card at Padstow School. Another great achievement.



A Polite Reminder

Please can we remind you:

- children's school shoes should be flat, smart black shoes or smart black trainers with no markings or other colours.
- long hair on both girls and boys should be tied back neatly. This is not only for reasons of smartness, and health and safety, but also to prevent the spread of head lice.

For further details please refer to our uniform policy:

<http://www.padstowschool.org/website/policies/50287>

Infant Nativity

The infants will perform their nativity production, Ned's Christmas Discovery, to families and friends on Tuesday 5th and Wednesday 6th December. Doors will open at 1.30pm for a 1.45pm start. There will be no charge for tickets this year, but we will still need to allocate them to ensure we don't exceed the maximum number of people allowed in the hall. Booking forms will be sent home on Friday 17th November, orders can be placed up until Friday 24th November. We will issue a maximum of 2 tickets per family in the first instance. After this time any unclaimed tickets will be available on a first come, first served basis.

We will have a leaving collection to help raise money towards the KS1 outdoor learning area, so please bring along some spare pennies.

Diary Dates

November:

13th-17th—Anti Bullying Week

17th—Children in Need

20th-24th—Road Safety Week

December:

5th & 6th—Infant Nativity 1.30pm

12th—Carol Concert at St Petroc's

13th—Christmas Fayre

20th—School closes for Christmas at 2pm

January 2018:

4th—Spring term 1 begins

February 2018:

6th—Safer Internet Day

12th-16th—Half Term

19th—Spring term 2 begins

March 2018:

1st—World Book Day

16th—Sport Relief

29th—School closes for Easter at 2pm

April 2018:

16th—Summer term 1 begins

30th—Strike Up

May 2018:

1st—School Closed: May Day

14th-18th—SATs Week

29th—Half Term

June 2018:

4th—Summer term 2 begins

July 2018:

2nd-6th—Year 6 Transition Week

18th Summer Fayre

20th—School closes for summer 2pm

Playground Activities

A letter was emailed to all parents earlier this week to let you know that, using our sports premium funding, we have purchased a new range of resources for children to use at lunchtimes. In light of this, we request no toys from home be brought into school with effect from Monday 13th November.

Help us to become nit-free—please check your child's hair this weekend

Attendance

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
93.1%	97.7%	95.2%	96.3%	97.7%	98.2%	97.9%

Congratulations Year 5

You are our attendance winners this week!



School Values Certificate Winners:

Happiness
 Team Work
 Friendship
 Communication
 Freedom
 Curiosity
 Honesty
 Trust
 Kindness
 Respect
 Healthy
 Resilience
 Ambition
 Community
 Individuality
 Perseverance

Year 1: Austin Burgess

Year 2: Poppy Kenley

Year 3: Mya Milne-Bisset

Year 4: Bailey Trestain

Year 5: Crystal Ensor

Year 6: Hollie, Harry,
Jessie & Grace

School Rules Certificate Winners:

Show good
 manners at all times
 Follow instructions
 with thought & care
 Show care & respect
 for everyone
 &
 everything

Year 1: Cerys Grey

Year 2: Cory McNamara

Year 3: Ethan Wroe

Year 4: Alfie Maloney

Year 5: Finley Murt

Year 6: Jocelyn & Charlie

Mrs Whitford's Special Awards:

*Truan Sylvester *Hayden Lang

*Kiera Conium

We have also awarded numerous certificates to children for their reading, writing and maths as well as Golden Tickets and specific class Certificates.

Children in Need: Friday 17th Nov

Everyone's got a thing, what is yours?

You can wear the clothes of your choice, whatever you feel makes you, you. Please bring in a £1 donation for Children in Need.

Water Only Please

A polite reminder that water bottles must only contain water. No squashes or juices please.

Thank you for your co operation.



Victorian Day

Y6 had an eye-opening Victorian Day at the beginning of the week when they experienced what a school day in the life of a Victorian child might have been like.



Lantern Parade

We have Lantern Making kits available outside the office for any families who would like to collect one to take home. The Lantern Parade, part of the Padstow Christmas Festival, takes place on Friday 8th December. We meet on Riverside, between The Customs House and the Seafood Restaurant at 5.45pm for a 6.00pm start. Y4 are currently creating a 'show-stopper' lantern in school. We can't wait for the big reveal!

