



# Padstow School Newsletter

## May 4th 2018



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### School Closed: Monday 7th May

A reminder that Monday 7th of May is a Bank Holiday, therefore school will be closed.

### Strike Up!



Thank you to everyone who came in for the Strike Up on Monday. It is a fantastic run-up to the big day, the children are lucky to be part of a community with such a wonderful tradition.

It was lovely to so many of our children welcoming the children's Oss out early on May Day morning and even better that the sun was still shining.

### Football News

Well done to Hayden, Jessie, Archie, Jack P, Joey, Zach, Jack N, Oscar, Finley and Connor who took part in the football tournament last week at Wadebridge School. After some great teamwork and sportsmanship, Padstow was awarded 3rd place.

Thank you to all parents and carers who provided transport. These events would not be possible without you.



### Diary Dates

#### May:

14th-18th—SATs Week

25th—School closes at 3.15 for half term

#### June:

4th—Summer term 2 begins

12th & 13th—Y6 London Trip

20th—Junior Sports Day PM

27th—Infant Sports Day PM

#### July:

2nd-6th—Year 6 Transition Week

18th Summer Fayre 3.15-4.30

20th—School closes for summer 1.30

### Year 2 Swimming

Our Year 2 children will be having swimming lessons on Tuesday afternoons at Wadebridge Sports Centre beginning on May 15th. A letter with more detail has been sent home with the children.



### BE SUN SMART



Put on a Shirt



Put on Sunscreen



Wear a Hat



Wear Sunglasses



Stay in the Shade



SHARE THE SUN SAFE STORY  
WITH YOUR CHILD

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
92.1%	93.6%	92.0%	97.7%	90.2%	89.9%	93.3%

### Congratulations Year 3 You are our attendance winners!



### School Values Certificate Winners:

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

Year R: Tommy  
Year 1: Elsie  
Year 2: Jensen & Leonni  
Year 3: Archie  
Year 4: Lizzie  
Year 5: Josh  
Year 6: Niambh & Jessie



### School Rules Certificate Winners:

Show good manners at all times

Follow instructions with thought & care

Show care & respect for everyone & everything

Year R: Isaac  
Year 1: Cerys  
Year 2: \*\*\*  
Year 3: Mya  
Year 4: AJ  
Year 5: Jack  
Year 6: Jocelyn, Ned



### Mrs Whitford's Special Awards:

\* Poppy-Rose (Y5)

\* Laila (Y6)

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

## RNLI Safety Talk

The RNLI delivered an animated beach safety talk for our Key Stage 2 assembly on Thursday. They reminded the children of the 3 different types of flags that can be seen on the beach and what they mean. They advised them of what to do if they found themselves in trouble and talked about rip currents and tides.



*You must go in between the black and white flag if you are in the sea with anything harder than a body board i.e a surfboard, kayak or paddle board.*



*All swimmers must swim between the red and yellow flags.*



*When the red flag is flying, you must not go in the sea at all. It means the conditions are too dangerous for everyone.*

## Monster Poetry

Poetry writing competition for 7-11 year olds. Write a narrative poem (a poem which tells a story. It does not have to rhyme) inspired by a monster you have created, let your imagination take you on a fantastic adventure through verse! Remember to include your name and age. **Closing date: Friday 25th May.**

The 5 best poets will win a Monster Poetry goodie bag and they could win up to £500 for the school.

