

Padstow School Newsletter

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School closes for the half term holiday on Friday 9th February at 3.15pm

We re-open on Monday 19th February at 8.35am

Diary Dates

February:

6th—Safer Internet Day

12th-16th—Half Term

19th—Spring term 2 begins

19th-23rd—Parent/Teacher Meetings

26th—2nd Mar—Bikeability Y5

March:

1st—World Book Day

14th—Ofsted update meeting 6pm

16th—Sport Relief

29th—School closes for Easter at 2pm

April:

16th—Summer term 1 begins

30th—Strike Up

May:

1st—School Closed: May Day

14th-18th—SATs Week

29th—Half Term

June:

4th—Summer term 2 begins

July:

2nd-6th—Year 6 Transition Week

18th Summer Fayre

20th—School closes for summer 2pm

OFSTED Update Meeting

The next Ofsted update meeting for parents will be on
Wednesday 14th March at 6.00pm in the school hall.



Have You Activated Your ParentPay?

Activation letters for ParentPay were sent home with each family last week. Please use the login information to set up your account ready for the next half term.

Please note: From Monday 19th February we will no longer accept cash payments.



Have You Booked Your Parent Appointment?

The online system is open now.

We will be holding the majority of Parent/Teacher meetings during the week of February 20th-24th. **Some Y4 meetings will be held next week on the 5th & 6th of February** due to Miss Ingle's departure.

This is an opportunity for you to meet with your child's class teacher to discuss how they are getting on so far this year. The appointment system is run online. To make an appointment you will need to:

- Login to our website www.padstowschool.org which will take you to the eSchools platform.
- Click on the green 'Login' button in the top right corner.
- Login using the username and password you were given previously.
- If you do not have access to a computer or if you have trouble logging in to eSchools (i.e you have forgotten your user name or password or haven't received any login information) please contact Emma (emma.sweet@padstowschool.org) and she will be happy to help.

If you prefer you can email your preferred date and time to Emma along with your child's name and year group and she will book you the nearest appointment.

The online system closes at 9.00pm on Sunday 18th February

Do you LIVE or WORK in Padstow Parish? Own a Business or Property?

COMMUNITY CONSULTATION EVENTS:

Trevone Village Hall: Thursday 22nd February 3pm-7pm

Padstow Council Offices: Saturday 24th February 10am-2pm

Monday 26th February 10am-2pm

Wetsuit Sale

We have a number of TWF (The Wetsuit Factory) shorty wetsuits, rash vests and shoes at school which Tesco have kindly donated to us.

They range in size from toddler to small adult. We are offering them to parents/carers in return for a small donation towards our Chromebook fund.

The sale rails will be out by the main office from 3pm each day.



Attendance

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
95.2%	93.8%	82%	83%	90.1%	95.5%	96.3%

Congratulations Year 6 You are our attendance winners!



School Values Certificate Winners:

Happiness	Year R: Mabel
Team Work	Year 1: David
Friendship	Year 2: Ryan
Communication	Year 3: Casey
Freedom	Year 4: Eli
Curiosity	Year 5: Imogen
Honesty	Year 6: Jessie
Trust	
Kindness	
Respect	
Healthy	
Resilience	
Ambition	
Community	
Individuality	
Perseverance	

School Rules Certificate Winners:

Show good manners at all times	Year R: Emelia
Follow instructions with thought & care	Year 1: Cadoc
Show care & respect for everyone & everything	Year 2: Phoebe
	Year 3: Kegan
	Year 4: Beth
	Year 5: Grace
	Year 6: Jocelyn

Mrs Whitford's Special Awards:

* Riley (Y4) * Casey (Y3)

* Harlyn (Y4) * Ethan (Y4)

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

Reception Class Super Sentence Writers



Last Friday Josh and Eva became our first ever Super Sentence Writers. Every morning the children in the Reception Class, practice writing sentences. At the end of the week, Mrs Hill has a look to see who has improved the most. These children become the Super Sentence Writers. They receive a sticker, get to wear their Super Sentence Writers capes for the day and sit at the back of the hall with the 'big' children during assembly.

Safer Internet Day

What is Safer Internet Day?

Safer Internet Day is celebrated globally in February each year in over a hundred countries to promote the safe and positive use of digital technology for children and young people. The day offers the opportunity to highlight positive uses of technology and to explore the role we all play in helping to create a better and safer online community. It calls upon young people, parents, carers, teachers, social workers, law enforcement, companies, policymakers, and wider, to join together in helping to create a better internet.

You can find lots of information at:

www.saferinternet.org.uk/parents-and-carers

A Special Invitation

Our Y4 children wrote to the residents at St Breock Care Home to invite them into school for an afternoon tea party and to have a look at the work they have been doing on the Romans. The residents were delighted and wrote back to say how lovely it was to receive letters in the post and how much they are looking forward to the tea party. We are looking forward to seeing them next week.

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