



## Diary Dates

### July

|      |                                                        |
|------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| 22nd | LAST DAY of Summer Term 2<br>Early finish, 1.00—1.30pm |
| 23rd | Inset day                                              |

## ATTENDANCE

| Puffin | Lapwing | Kittiwake | Oystercatcher | Cormorant | Curlew | School average |
|--------|---------|-----------|---------------|-----------|--------|----------------|
| 86.2%  | 97.4%   | 93.2%     | 89.8%         | 95.5%     | 94.6%  | 93.1%          |



*If you are booking a holiday, please make sure that it coincides with school breaks.*

**Snowflake the Attendance Owl is awarded to Lapwing class this week as they achieved the highest attendance!**



## Happy Retirement Jane!

On Tuesday the school gathered, in bubbles, on the school field for an assembly to wish Jane—our incredible chef of 35 years—a very Happy Retirement! The children had made her leaving cards wishing her happiness, the staff donated to buy her a wooden lounge and talented parent Jezzie baked a cake! We all wished Jane well in her retirement.



## Oystercatcher class at the beach again!

Monday saw the second of Oystercatcher's trips to the beach this term. They explored the rock pools, played beach games and continued their learning linked to their 'Blue Abyss' topic.





## Curlew class activities this week

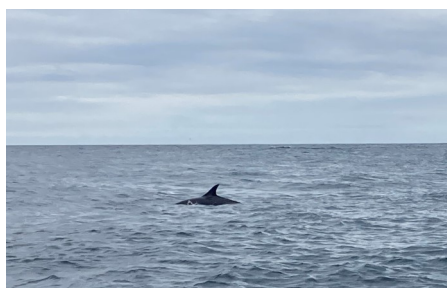
Children in Curlew class have made the most of the beautiful weather and fabulous outdoor space here this week: on Tuesday they held a 'Tour de France' day where they improved their cycling skills around the grounds. Mr Emery used his mountain biking expertise to teach them off-roading skills and they raced around a course on the field. The children also learnt about the history and significance of the Tour de France competition.



Today the children have been invited to dress up for a Star Wars day!

## Year 6: Boat trip last Friday

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, our Year 6 pupils were lucky enough to go on a boat trip last Friday evening—donated to the school by Padstow Sealife Safaris. They had an amazing time, spotting dolphins amongst other wildlife! They then came back to school to enjoy fish & chips together, provided by Rick Stein's, followed by a large chocolate cake, again donated by Jezzie. A wonderful end to their week of activities which replaced the cancelled Wadebridge School transition week.



## BlackBird Pie magazine

The summer issue of Blackbird Pie's 'What's on in Cornwall' is out now—follow this link:

[BlackbirdPie 2021 Summer \(turtl.co\)](https://www.blackbirdpie.co.uk/2021/summer/)

## Congratulations to medal-winning gymnast!

This talented pupil recently competed in his first competition in the gym for over 18 months. His hard work, motivation and determination paid off. He came away with gold on floor, three silver medals for rings, range routine and team medal and bronze for overall place. What an amazing achievement, we are so proud of him after a tough year of training at home and in the gym. He is now looking forward to September with an opportunity to trial for the South West Squad!



## Padstow School Golden Rules:

Show respect & good manners at all times

Follow instructions with thought & care

Care for everyone & everything

### Padstow Golden Rule certificate winners:

Puffin: **Darcy**, for showing respect & good manners

Lapwing: **Micah**, for showing respect & good manners

Kittiwake: **Felix**, for caring for everyone & everything

Oystercatcher: **Lyla**, for respect & good manners

Cormorant: **Izzy**, for following instructions

Curlew: **Cali & Ellie**, for following instructions

## Padstow School Values:

Aspiration, Spirit, Passion, Integrity, Resilience & Excellence

### Padstow School Value certificate winners for this week are:

Puffin: **Reuben**, for Passion

Lapwing: **Luca**, for Excellence

Kittiwake: **Lily**, for Aspiration

Oystercatcher: **Isaac**, for Excellence

Cormorant: **Oliver**, for Passion

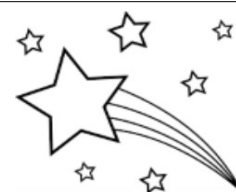
Curlew: **Rudy & Alfie**, for Spirit

## Mrs Whitford's Certificates

This week Mrs Whitford presented certificates to the following pupils:

**Phoebe, Grace, Isaac, Ellie, Sophie & Harry** in Curlew class—for the value of Resilience: working incredibly hard this year.

**Caelin** in Kittiwake class, for working very hard on her spellings.



## Stars of the Week!



In order to recognize the improvements in the key skills of reading, writing and maths, the teachers will be awarding a Star of the Week certificate for each of these in every class.

| <u>Class</u>  | <u>Reading Star</u> | <u>Writing Star</u> | <u>Maths Star</u> |
|---------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| Puffin        | Sebby               | Harry               | Freddie           |
| Lapwing       | Branoc              | Elsie               | Lottie            |
| Kittiwake     | Ailla               | Delwyn              | John              |
| Oystercatcher | Myla                | Tilly               | Archie            |
| Cormorant     | Ella                | Freya               | Anola             |
| Curlew        | —                   | —                   | Harlyn            |

## Super Six badges awarded!

Mr Emery has awarded Super Six badges to the following pupils this week:

**Sophie, Noah & Ted**

Congratulations to them for demonstrating that they are excellent role models for the school!



A reminder that school closes early on Thursday 22nd July for the end of the term. Collection times:

**A—F: 1.00—1.10pm**

**G—P: 1.10—1.20pm**

**Q—Z: 1.20—1.30pm.**