Padstow School Newsletter Friday 11th February 2022



Diary Dates

February

15th PTFA Annual General Meeting 17th **Last day of Spring Term 1**

18th Inset day 21st-25th Half Term

28th First day of Spring Term 2

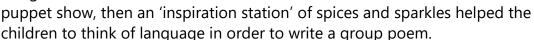
ATTENDANCE

Puffin	Kittiwake	Oystercatcher	Cormorant	Curlew	Average
89.6%	87.8%	91.3%	88.1%	86.3%	88.7%



Getting creative in Oystercatcher class

With two artists visiting school this week, the children in Oystercatcher class have been inspired to be creative! On Monday, creative writer Olivia Lowry held a session centred on the class' current book 'The Fire-work Maker's Daughter': she introduced the session with a shadow









On Thursday, visual artist Janie Macdonald used a variety of artistic techniques with the children, based on their topic of Rocks, Relics & Rumbles, to inspire the children to create amazing artwork.









Both sessions were delivered by Endelienta (whose aim is to promote the arts in North Cornwall) and funded by the Arts Council. Thank you to Endelienta for this opportunity!

Endelienta – Fostering The Arts & Spirituality In North Cornwall

Thursday next week: last day of the Half Term

A reminder that this Half Term finishes on **Thursday** next week, as the Friday is an Inset day so no children will be in school. We know that Friday fish and chips are a popular meal, so the canteen will be serving the Friday fish-fingers & chips (or cheesy bean wrap) meal on Thursday next week! School finishes at normal time, 3.15pm, that day & we welcome the children back on Monday 28th February.

Reminder: PTFA Annual General Meeting

The Padstow School & Nursery PTFA are holding their Annual General Meeting on Tuesday next week, at 2.30pm in the Outdoor Classroom in the school grounds. All are welcome to attend!

Safer Internet Day 2022

To mark Safer Internet Day this week, our Assembly on Monday concentrated on ways for children to keep themselves safe online. If you wish to look at the latest advice at home, these websites are helpful:

Safer Internet Day 2022 - UK Safer Internet Centre
Home - BBC Bitesize



Game to teach online safety

This week, Cormorant class played an adventure-packed online game called 'Interland' that makes learning about

digital safety and citizenship fun. Here are some of the students with their certificates.

Interland - Games For Change



Construction club: building 3D models

Last week, the Construction Club were designing and building 3D models with cocktail sticks—that looks like fun!







Sakura Cherry Tree Project

Padstow School have been gifted a cherry blossom tree as part of the Sakura Cherry Tree project.

The gifting of over 6,000 cherry blossom trees to be planted across the UK commemorates the ongoing friendship between Japan and the United Kingdom. Trees are being planted across parks and schools throughout the UK as a symbol of hope and friendship.

Our tree has been planted in the grass at the front of the school building.





SAKURA CHERRY TREE PROJECT
Celebrating a new era of Japan-UK friendship and cooperatio

Lost glasses?

Do you recognize these reading glasses? They have been in our lost property pile for some time and we would love to re-unite them with their owner!



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: Isla, for caring for everyone & everything

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

Oystercatcher: **Ailla**, for showing respect & good manners

Cormorant: **Maks**, for following instructions

Curlew: **Cory**, for caring for everyone & everything

Padstow School Values:

Aspiration, Spirit, Passion, Integrity, Resilience & Excellence

Padstow School Value certificate winners for this week are:

Puffin: Joey, for Resilience

Kittiwake: Ben, for Passion

Oystercatcher: Kaelan, for Resilience

Cormorant: **Elise**, for Resilience

Curlew: Leonni, for Resilience

Mrs Whitford's Certificates

This week Mrs Whitford presented certificates to the following pupils:

Sunny P in Puffin class, for Resilience (working very hard on pencil control)

Josh C & Cadan in Cormorant class, for being helpful to Mrs Whitford

Elise in Cormorant class, for Resilience when things are not easy

Tyson in Kittiwake class, for amazing work with learning his sounds

Rosalie in Oystercatcher class, for settling in so well

Tony in Curlew class, for excellent manners.





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.

Class	Reading Star	Writing Star	Maths Star
Puffin	Мас	Caiden	Jensen
Kittiwake	Hannah	Harry J	Lottie
Oystercatcher	Jago	Esme	Devon
Cormorant	Lyla	Olivia	David
Curlew	Jasmine	Elizabeth	Phoebe

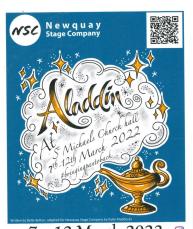


Pro20 Football sessions in Half Term

Aladdin St Michaels Church Hall 7th—12th March

Please see flyer for more details of this forthcoming production by Newquay Stage Company!

Box Office: Aladdin 7-12 March
2022 Tickets, St Michael's Hall,
Newquay | TryBooking United Kingdom



7—12 March 2022
Tickets £7.50 for adults & £4.00 for under 10's
Every evening, except Wednesday, at 7.30pm, Saturday Matinee at 2.30pm
Box Office: https://www.turbooking.co.uk/BIIO