Padstow School Newsletter Friday 15th October 2021



Diary Dates

October

22	Last day of Autumn Term 1				
25-29	Half Term				
November					
1	First day of Autumn Term 2				
w/c 1st	Parent Teacher phone appts				
w/c 1st & 8th Curlew class Swimming					
3	Harvest Festival Assembly				
5	Individual photographs				

ATTENDANCE

Puffin	Kittiwake	Oystercatcher	Cormorant	Curlew	Average
92%	88.6%	95%	87.6%	91.6%	90.9%

Snowflake the Attendance Owl is awarded to Oystercatcher class this week, as they have achieved the highest attendance!

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



Viking invasion at school!

On Wednesday, a group of Vikings from 'Under the Canopy' visited school to work with Cormorant class for the day. The children had an excellent day learning Viking skills such as fire-lighting, axe throwing and outdoor cooking as well as having their faces painted. This activity day really helped to bring their studies of the Viking

invasion of England to life!



















Year 6 diary date & reminder

A reminder for parents of children in Year 6 that the deadline for applying for a secondary school place through Cornwall Council is 31st October.

A date for your diary for next summer: the national SATs tests are planned for Monday 9th to Thursday 12th May 2022.



Lunchtime fun at school

The children have all been enjoying the warm autumn weather we've had this week during their play times. We thought you might like to see a few photos of them playing. The chalks have proved particularly popular in Key Stage 1!





The story time sessions with our Reading Champions are a huge success!





Harvest Festival Assembly

You will have noticed the date of 3rd November mentioned in the diary on the front page. On that day we will be holding our Harvest Festival Assembly. The School Council will be writing to parents next week regarding collecting donations for our local FoodBank, so please look out for that.

First week back after Half Term:

Parent Teacher appointments & after-school clubs

We are currently planning appointments for parents of children in **school** to have a phone call with their teachers during the first week back to school after the half term, week commencing 1st November. A letter will come home next week to let you know when the appointments are and you will be able to book your appointment on Arbor.

In order for the teachers to run their appointments, their after-school clubs won't run that week (tag rugby, multi-skills & netball). Mrs Watts will still run Choir club on the Wednesday afternoon.

Nursery parents: Mrs Parsons will also be offering parent appointments by phone during next half term. She will let you know when the sessions are and you'll be able to book with her.

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: Niko, for following instructions Kittiwake: **Branoc**, for following instructions Oystercatcher: **Sofia**, for following instructions Cormorant: Layton, for showing respect & good manners Curlew: Lola, for caring for everyone & everything

Padstow School Values: Aspiration, Spirit, Passion, Integrity, Resilience & Excellence

Padstow School Value certificate winners for this week are:

Puffin: Daniel, for Integrity Kittiwake: Kitty, for Resilience Oystercatcher: Esme, for Aspiration Cormorant: Eva, for Excellence Curlew: Kieran, for Aspiration

Mrs Whitford's Certificates

This week Mrs Whitford presented certificates to the following pupils:

Hannah in Kittiwake class, for Resilience: settling into school well.

Sofia in Oystercatcher class, for Respect and good manners.

Freddie

Benji

Jago

Max

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> Puffin Kittiwake Oystercatcher Cormorant Curlew

Reading Star Writing Star

Ollie Tommy Max Charlie Mid Cory & Elliott Maths Star Louis Harry M Enzo

Charlie Mu

Austin

Polite reminder

Hair below a child's shoulders needs to be tied back please.



Oystercatcher's artistic flair

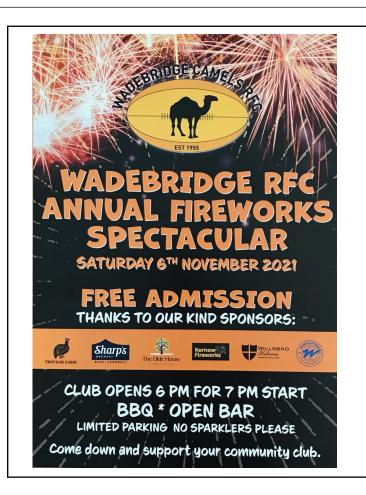
Within their 'through the ages' topic, Oystercatcher class have been using their creative skills to build models of Stonehenge with various materials and

decorate the corridor with their cave art!

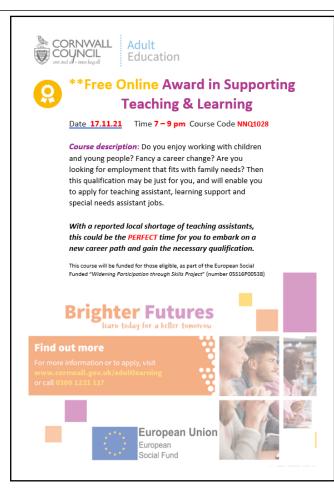




Fireworks at Wadebridge Rugby Club



Supporting teaching & learning qualification



Pro20 Sport football sessions during the October half term holiday



	TOBER FOOTBA9am-3pmAges: 5-15ST NEOT SCHOOL:				
PRO20	TRETHORNE: Tue	esday 26th October			
PRO20	CAMELFORD FC:	Wednesday 27th October			
PRO20	WADEBRIDGE FC:	Thursday 28th & Friday 29th October (2 days)			
REGISTER ONLINE: www.pro20sports.com					