Padstow School Newsletter Friday 10th June 2022



Diary Dates

June					
w/c 13th	Oystercatcher class Swimming				
15th-17th	Year 5 Carnyorth residential				
17th	PTFA uniform & ice lolly stall				
w/c 20th	Cormorant class Swimming				
27th	Sports Day, KS1 & KS2				
July					
25th	Summer Fayre, 3pm				

ATTENDANCE							
Pu	uffin	Kittiwake	Oystercatcher	Cormorant	Curlew		Average
92	.4%	93.3%	91.5%	90.5%	96.3%		92.8%
Snowflake the Attendance Owl is awarded to Curlew 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.			ncides with				

Welcome back to the second half of the Summer Term. It has been action-packed from the start, with after-school clubs starting, Curlew class swimming, our Jubilee celebration yesterday and Oystercatcher class starting their dance workshop sessions today. Next week it's Oystercatcher class' turn to go swimming whilst our Year 5s are off on their residential trip! Teachers are working hard keeping up the enthusiasm for learning amongst the excitement of the sporting and outdoor activities, to make sure the next few weeks are productive as well as fun! Kate Whitford, Head of School.

Celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in our own way!

Yesterday morning, our school choir, led by Mrs Watts, kicked off our celebrations with singing in assembly. Then the school grounds were decorated with bunting that children in all classes had made, assembled and hung by kind volunteers from the PTFA, and tables in the playground were dressed for our street-party-style lunch. The rain held off for long enough for the whole school to gather to eat their lunch together, wearing home-made crowns, waving flags and enjoying being together.







Cricket sessions next week

On Tuesday next week, 14th June, we have a coach coming to school from Cornwall Cricket. He will be running cricket taster sessions for all children in Years 1 to 6, so could all those children please bring their PE kits on Tuesday. And we hope for a nice dry day to play cricket!



Cornwall Air Ambulance Helifest, Saturday 16th July

A reminder that there is a day of music and festival fun being held on the field opposite the school on Saturday 16th July, to celebrate the hard work of Cornwall's vital blue light services. It is an opportunity for the charity to thank the community, for helping them bring their brand new helicopter to Cornwall. With live music, food, a bar, a circus and of course the chance to see the new air ambulance up close for the first time.

Saturday 16th July 2022, 11am – 7pm, field adjacent to Padstow Main Car Park (PL28 8EX) along the A389. £5 per person, under 3s free, family tickets available for £15. Book tickets at: <u>Welcome to Helifest - Cornwall Air Ambulance</u> (cornwallairambulancetrust.org)



Oystercatcher's visit to Truro Museum

On the last day of last term, Oystercatcher class went to Truro Museum for a Roman workshop linking with their topic of 'Emperors & Empires'. It was a fascinating hands-on session and the group also explored the museum exhibits, which helps bring their learning to life across a range of subjects.









KS2 Athletics after-school club: spaces still available

The KS2 Athletics club starts on Monday next week (as there was no school on Monday this week) and there are still some spaces available. It is being run by Mrs Thomson and Mr Emery. Do sign up on Arbor or contact the school office.

PTFA Second-hand uniform & ice lolly stall, Fri 17th June

After school next Friday, our wonderful PTFA will be running a uniform stall in the school playground, along with an Ice Pop sale. Second-hand uniform will be available for a donation (of any amount) and Ice Poles will be 50 pence. Let's pray for sunshine!

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:

Nursery: Arlo, for showing respect & good manners

Puffin: Lola, for following instructions

Kittiwake: Jayden, for caring for everyone & everything

Oystercatcher: Grace, for caring for everyone & everything

Cormorant: Tilly, for caring for everyone & everything

Curlew: Nyah, for showing respect & good manners

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

Padstow School Value certificate winners for this week are:

Nursery: Jo S, for Passion

Puffin: Caiden, for Passion

Kittiwake: Lottie, for Aspiration

Oystercatcher: Orlando, for Resilience

Cormorant: Eva, for Integrity

Curlew: Declan, for Spirit

Mrs Whitford's Certificates

Mrs Whitford will present this week's certificates to: **Delwyn** in Oystercatcher class, for impeccable manners



Myla & Ruby in Cormorant class, for helping Mrs Edwards and being kind.

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>	Reading Star	Writing Star	Maths Star
Puffin	Jensen	Oliver C	Fleur
Kittiwake	Sebby	Macy	Georgia
Oystercatcher	Beau	James	Isaac
Cormorant	-	Ruby	Josh D
Curlew	Elijah	Lola	Jack B-W



Outdoor learning after-school club

Mrs Bruce & Miss Barnard's Outdoor Learning club began yesterday with a look at the book 'The Mixed Up Chameleon', after which the group helped the chameleon find worms hidden around the school site!



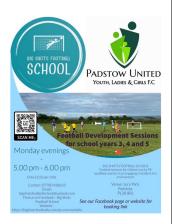
Rainbow Fairy Queens

Over the weekend, these two pupils took part in the Jubilee celebrations as the Fairy Queen and Fairy Queen Attendant of their Rainbows group. I'm sure they had a wonderful time and embraced the celebrations.



Football sessions

A reminder of the youth football sessions running at Padstow FC. Football development sessions for Years 3, 4 & 5 are on Monday evenings 5-6pm. Contact 07780 438623.



Performing arts with Oystercatcher class

Today, and for 2 more days later in June, Oystercatcher class are lucky enough to be working with a dance choreographer called Grace, on a performance that will form the backdrop of an operatic event being held at Prideaux Place on Sunday 3rd July.

The children are working with Grace to develop a dance as part of the operatic adaptation of Philip Pullman's book The Firework Maker's Daughter, that the class studied earlier this year. The 3 workshops will offer a fascinating insight into the world of opera and performing arts and really give this class an idea of what is involved in putting together a performance—as well as the chance to be in the performance!

We will provide information on the show itself, and how you can all buy reduced-price tickets, as soon as we can.



Sun Safety

As we are now in the Summer Term and hoping for fine weather, can you please ensure your child/ren have a sun hat / cap to wear when outside and have sunscreen applied before they come to school.

If children bring in sunscreen to put on at break times, they should be able to apply it themselves and containers must be labelled. Children will not be able to share their sunscreen with others.

Please check the following website for further sun safety information:

Sunscreen and sun safety - NHS (www.nhs.uk)

