### Padstow School Newsletter Friday 17th September 2021



#### **Diary Dates**

#### September

21 NURSERY only: Closed for staff training

#### **October**

22 Last day of Autumn Term 125-29 Half Term

#### November

1 First day of Autumn Term 2

#### ATTENDANCE

Puffin	Kittiwake	Oystercatcher	Cormorant	Curlew	Average
97.5%	97.8%	99.3%	97.8%	99.3%	97.7%

Snowflake the Attendance Owl is shared between Oystercatcher & Curlew classes this week,



as they achieved the joint highest attendance!

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



## Cormorant class shield-making

As part of their study of Anglo-Saxons, Cormorant class have been enjoying making shields this week.





They will come in handy for a future event that is planned!





### Congratulations to Mrs Wilson!

During the summer holidays, Miss Mainwaring got married. She is now Mrs Wilson—congratulations!

### After-school clubs start next week

The following clubs are starting next week and then run every week until 10th December. Spaces are filling up fast, so if your child is keen to join please log into Arbor and book them in by clicking on 'Activities / Clubs'. If you can't access Arbor then please ring the school office. Children attending a sports club can wear their school PE kit to school on the relevant days. We are planning to invite external coaches to run a football club next term.

Club	Day	Time	For	Run by	Max number
			years		
Tag rugby	Monday	3.15-4.15pm	Y3 – Y6	Mr Emery	25
Multi-skills	Monday	3.15-4.15pm	Y1 & Y2	Mrs McColville & Mrs Bruce	20
Netball	Tuesday	3.15-4.15pm	Y3 – Y6	Miss Richards & Mrs Thomson	30
Choir	Wednesday	3.15-4.15pm	Y3 – Y6	Miss Watts	20

# Curlew class creating Egyptian artwork

This term Curlew class are learning about how ancient Egyptians lived. This week they've been creating Egyptian artwork: pictures of pyramids and palm tress in the sunset:







# Swimming achievement!

Congratulations to this super swimmer in Year 5 who gained her Stage 5 swimming badge and certificate this week! We are working on plans to take Curlew, Cormorant and Oystercatcher classes swimming later this term or next term and will let parents know the details when the bookings are finalized.





# **Aspire Teacher Training**

Teacher training opportunities through Aspire are open to everyone, so if you are interested in finding out more details look into the online information sessions. Information sessions are running throughout the next few months, with the next course starting in September 2022.

### Online courses for parents

Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly LMS have invested in online courses for parents (and teenagers). These FREE courses can help support the mental health and well-being of children and young people and of parents. Please go to their website for further information.



#### **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: **Isaac**, for showing respect & good manners

Kittiwake: **Dora**, for following instructions

Oystercatcher: **Mason**, for following instructions

Cormorant: **Lyla**, for following instructions

Curlew: **Roxy**, for showing respect & good manners

#### **Padstow School Values:**

Aspiration, Spirit, Passion, Integrity, Resilience & Excellence

# Padstow School Value certificate winners for this week are:

Puffin: Whole Class, for Resilience

Kittiwake: **Elexa**, for Resilience
Oystercatcher: **Kaelan**, for Spirit

Cormorant: Josh C, for Excellence

Curlew: **Taylor**, for Respect

### Mrs Whitford's Certificates

This week Mrs Whitford presented certificates to the following pupils:

**Poppy** in Curlew class, for Resilience

**Taylor** in Curlew class, for Excellence

Isabella in Kittiwake class, for caring for everyone & everything

Josh C in Cormorant class, for showing respect & good manners at all times





### 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	Sunny	Esme	Joey
Kittiwake	Isabella	Darcy	Luca
Oystercatcher	Orlando	Lucas	Daisy
Cormorant	David	Ruby	Elise
Curlew	Cerys	Sam	Doug



### School admissions for September 2022

A reminder to parents with children who will start Reception year in September 2022 or will transfer to Secondary school in September 2022 that applications must be made through Cornwall Council.

The online application system is now open:

School admissions - Cornwall Council

