

MAWGAN-IN-PYDAR SCHOOL

WEEKLY NEWS

31st January 2020

TRURO CATHEDRAL

Class 3's topic term is 'Urban Pioneers' and as part of this they are going to research the history of a prominent city centre building. They are visiting Truro Cathedral on **MONDAY 3rd FEBRUARY**.

WHOLE SCHOOL ART PROJECT

In recognition of 75 years since the Holocaust, we are going to create a whole school piece of art with the theme 'Stand Together'. KS2 have learnt about The Holocaust and looked in detail at the life of Anne Frank during assemblies whilst KS1 today looked at the theme of 'Working Together' to help others. Thank you all for your donations of small objects for our whole school art project which will take place on Monday. Any last-minute donations on Monday will be accepted! You can bring into school a small object, no bigger than a 10 pence piece. Each class has been allocated a colour, please see below.C1 = Red; C2 = Orange; C3 = Yellow; C4 = Blue; C5 = White/Cream. Once complete the artwork will be displayed in the main school.

SCHOOL COUNCIL FUNDRAISING-RAINBOW DAY

Our School Council have decided on their next Fundraising venture and they have chosen to support the disaster currently taking place in Australia. On FRIDAY 7th FEBRUARY the school will be having a rainbow day to raise money for the Australian bushfires, particularly the koalas! Each year group will come dressed in a different colour of the rainbow-donation of £1 to wear non-school uniform.

Reception-Red, Year 1-Orange, Year 2-Yellow, Year 3-Green, Year 4-Blue, Year 5-Navy, Year 6-Violet/pink

Cakes and snack would be gratefully appreciated, in the same colour that they are dressed in (if possible). We will be selling these at breaktime for 50p. The whole school will also be doing an energetic RAINBOW conga around the field (weather permitting).

We will also be holding an Australian themed art competition. Please bring paintings, drawings, collages or models for £1 entry (multiple entries allowed). Mrs Vannoey will be our special guest judge.

All monies raised will go towards the Australian bushfires and £25 will go to adopting a koala from WWF charity.

SWIMMING

Don't forget your swimming kit next Thursday! Payment via ParentPay would be appreciated on, or before, the session. Many thanks.

CROSS COUNTRY CANCELLED

Unfortunately, due to staff training, cross country will be cancelled on MONDAY 3rd FEBRUARY.



LONDON TRIP & FLAMBARDS

Children in Class 5 will be visiting Flambards on THURSDAY 13TH FEBRUARY to enhance their learning on their ILP 'Revolution' through exploring the lives of the Victorians. Please return your forms by Thursday 6th February, payment on ParentPay prior to the trip would be greatly appreciated.



PLYMOUTH AQUARIUM

Class 4 will be taking a trip to Plymouth Aquarium on TUESDAY 11^{TH} FEBRUARY to gain an insight into the ocean world for their ILP this term 'Blue Abyss'. Please can you return your forms by Wednesday 6^{th} February and make payment on ParentPay prior. Thank you.



LONDON TRIP

We have planned an exciting trip to London for the children in YEAR 6. We will have an overnight stay on a boat (The Lord Amory) which is set up for school parties. The trip will take place on WED 24th MAR and THURS 25TH MAR. We will be visiting the Houses of Parliament, taking a trip on the London Eye and River Thames as well as seeing the sights such as Westminster Bridge, Downing Street, Trafalgar Square, The Mall and Buckingham Palace.



PARENTS' EVENING

Dates for the diary - Parents' evenings will take place on TUESDAY 17TH AND THURSDAY 19TH MARCH 2020. On-line booking information to follow.

A REMINDER OF SCHOOL CAMP DATES & COSTS

Camp	Year Group	Date	Cost	Payment Due
NINE ASHES	Year 6	MON 8 TH JUN-FRI 12 TH JUN	£325	18 th May
NINE ASHES	Year 5	MON 18 Th MAY-WED 20 TH MAY	£200	27 [™] Apr
DELAWARE	Year 3/4	WED 15 TH JUN - FRI 17 TH JUN	£180	25 [™] May

Full or part payments can be made on ParentPay. Many thanks

SCHOOL UNIFORM/PE KIT

Please ensure your child's PE kit is in school all week from Monday mornings.

Please can we ask that only plain black, grey or white socks are worn as part of the school uniform.

Many thanks.

WORLD BOOK DAY

World book day is on THURSDAY 5TH MARCH- book vouchers to follow soon!

SPORTING EVENTS

Year 1 & 2 Multi skills event- TUESDAY 4th FEBRUARY - last chance to put your name down for this event on Monday. Good luck to our Year 6 children taking part in both a rowing competition next week and a Cornwall School Games swimming final on Friday.

<u>ATTENDANCE</u>

Whole School: 1/09/19-31/01/20 93.9% Government satisfactory attendance for a pupil is: 96%

Registration Form	Present R/C: Marks	
Class 1	93.0%	
Class 2	94.4%	
Class 3	95.0%	
Class 4	93.2%	
Class 5	93.6%	

A slight dip this week, please continue to work with us to improve our attendance percentages. Please can we ask that holidays are NOT taken during term time.

SPRING TERM DATES

FRI 14TH FEB - TRAINING DAY-SCHOOL CLOSED

MON 17^{TH} - FRI 21^{ST} FEB - Half Term Holiday TUE 17^{TH} MAR & THUR 19^{TH} MAR - Parents Evenings FRI 27^{TH} MAR - Last Day of Term

SUMMER TERM DATES

TUE 14TH APR - School Starts

FRI 8^{TH} MAY - May Day Bank Holiday - Year 5 Camp - Nine Ashes

MON 25^{TH} MAY to 29^{TH} MAY - Half Term Holiday

MON 1ST JUNE - TRAINING DAY-SCHOOL CLOSED

MON 8^{TH} JUN to FRI 12^{TH} - Year 6 Camp - Nine Ashes MON 15^{th} to WED 17^{th} JUN - Year 3 & 4 Camp - Delaware

THUR 23THJULY - Last day of term - 1:30pm Finish Time