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Tell the truth to each other.

Zechariah 8.16

This week's value: Truthfulness

Dear parents and carers,

I cannot believe how quickly this half term has passed! This week alone, we have had a busy week with parent meetings, Year 6 fund raising as well as stepping back in time to Victorian schooling.

A huge thank you to parents. It was lovely to see so many of you in school for our parent consultations. I will be sending out a short survey around the meetings and would really appreciate your feedback to see if we can do anything better in the way that we work together.

Year 6 have been fundraising this week in readiness for their trip later in the year. On Friday we saw cake sales and watched a talent show. The judges were very impressed with the standard of the acts.

Next term heralds a special day for the scout and guiding community. Wednesday 22nd February is Founders Day for the Scouts and Girl Guides. We would like to invite any children that attend Girl Guides or Scouts to wear their uniforms to school.

Reminder PE gear. Children MUST have their PE kit in school daily. This consists of shorts/track suit bottoms/leggings, a t-shirt in house colours and trainers. Children in Years 5 and 6 preparing for Bristol can wear studded boots but MUST wear shinpads for practise only. Football boots cannot be worn for normal PE sessions. We want to ensure that children are safe at all times. Thank you in advance for your support.

I hope that you have a lovely half term break, and we look forward to seeing the children back in school on Monday 20th February.

Mrs Tracey Fletcher Headteacher Dates for your diary

Monday 13th - Friday 17th February Half Term

Thursday 2nd March World Book Day

Thursday 9th March KS1 Trip to Paignton Zoo

Monday 13th – Wednesday **15**th March Book Fair

Monday 13th – Friday 17th March Science Week

Wednesday 15th March Year 5 Junior Life Skills

Wednesday 29th March Easter Service – 2pm

Friday 31st March

Last day of term No extra curricular clubs or After School Club

























Achievement Awards

Isabel in Reception Class deserves the achievement award this week for her fantastic writing. She sat and sounded out so carefully and was amazing, even when she needed a tiny bit of help, she didn't give up! Well done Isabel.

Dexter In Year 1 has been working very hard with his independent writing and sharing his imaginative ideas with the class. Well done Dexter.

Archie in Year 2 has worked really hard this half term. He has been trying really hard with his learning and concentrating. Archie we are really proud of you – keep it up.

Katie in Year 3 For her amazing efforts in reading. Keep up the good work Katie!

Lacey in Year 4 has been a real superstar, working extremely hard with learning her spellings for homework and practising her reading. She always tries her best in school. Well done.

Alex in Year 5 has a fantastic attitude to his learning. He has worked hard this week on his writing and produced a fantastic story based on World War 2.

Isla in Year 6 for applying her maths knowledge to be Lead Learner in class and show everyone how to partition numbers with decimals. She has showed determination, courage and resilience and we are very proud of her achievements.

Value Awards

Halli in Reception Class deserves the value award of truthfulness this week. Halli knows the importance of telling the truth and tries really hard to always tell the truth, even if she has done something wrong. Keep it up Halli.

This week's value award for truthfulness goes to Oscar who is a reliable, honest and hardworking member of Year 1. Well done Oscar.

Francesca in Year 2 is a very trustworthy member of our class. She always tells the truth and helps other make good choices. Keep this up Francesca!!

Jacob B in Year 3 is a very honest young man, he is truthful, and this makes him a very good friend to others.

Isla in Year 4 is an honest and caring member of the class. She is always fair to others, and she will always be truthful - both to herself and others. Well done.

Lexi in year 5 is always truthful in her interactions with peers and adult in school. You are a fantastic role model Lexi.

Zach Y in Year 6 is such a good friend and is always honest and mature when things don't always go to plan at break times. I know that I can rely on him to be truthful when talking about problems, he upholds solid Christian values, something upon which our school is built on. Well done Zach

Sports Report

SE CORNWALL CROSS COUNTRY LEAGUE

Round 4 of this competitive league took place last Friday at Landrake on a new course. Again, everyone performed extremely well. Lucas S won the Year 5/6 race by a convincing margin, thus securing the overall individual title with a race to spare. In the Year 5/6 Girls race, Jess G had her best race ever to come a really close 2nd, having been in the lead until 10 metres to go! Team-wise, the Final results haven't been posted but I think both the Year3/4 Girls & Year 5/6 Girls Teams came 1st, leaving them in the lead with one race to go. Well done to all our runners who are doing the school proud.

ARENA YEAR 3 / 4 FOOTBALL LEAGUE

On Tuesday our Year 3 /4 A and B teams travelled to Callington for the Final Round of the League. Our young B team have played brilliantly in all their matches and were very unlucky to lose their Final match to Menheniot to eventually finish a very respectable 7th in the League. Our A team beat Delaware meaning they only needed a draw against SRG to win the league title. From 2-0 down with 5 minutes to go, we threw everyone forward, with Elijah P scoring with one minute to go to make it 2-1. But, alas, we couldn't quite get the equaliser, meaning a triumphant SRG won the league, with us a valiant 2nd. Well done to everyone and particular thanks to all the parents for all their support transporting the children to Callington and back each week.

SE CORNWALL FOOTBALL LEAGUE (GIRLS)

On Wednesday the girls travelled to Burraton for their penultimate game in the League. Totally dominating the match, we comfortably won 2-0 with goals from Elin P-H and Izzy O. It would have been a lot more, but Burraton were missing their girl goalkeeper and we agreed for her to be replaced by the Boys A Team keeper who was excellent. This keeps us top of the League with one game to go against Dobwalls, having won 5 matches out of 5, with 31 goals scored and 0 conceded! Well done girls!

SE CORNWALL LARGE SCHOOLS FOOTBALL LEAGUE (BOYS)

After the girls match the Boys A team also played Burraton. Not to be outdone they played probably their most composed game of the season to comfortably win 5-0. This also keeps them top of the Boys League with one match to play against Carbeile, having also won 5 matches out of 5, with 28 goals scored and 3 conceded. Well done Boys!

Special thanks to Mike Jones and Sam Borthwick for all their help with both the Boys and Girls teams, who are still both unbeaten this season across all competitions.

This week in school we have...

Year 2 have had a great week which included their Victorian day. They loved trying out Victorian schooling, although many said they preferred modern day activities. They baked and ate Victoria sponge cake as well as making Victorian toys. In science they talked about healthy eating and did an experiment all about germs and how best to get rid of them. They completed all their shape work, including making super patterns and had great fun making their William Morris prints.

This week Year 6 have finished off their Firework Maker's story. They have used an exceptionally high standard of SPaG and let their imaginations run wild. They are feeling lots more confident after our decimal deep dive and can partition and round 6 digit figures with 3 decimal numbers.

Year 6 are getting very excited about their Talent Show and have been practising their acts ready to impress their audience.

Year 4 have been busy learning all about teeth in science and made some excellent models out of play doh for creative learning. On Tuesday, we learnt about ways to keep ourselves safe online - the posters the children made are well presented, sharing a clear message.

This week Reception class went outside to look for signs of Spring. They were very lucky as it was a lovely afternoon and they found lots of flowers! They also spoke about what to do if they see something online that they don't like, as part of safer internet day. They have also been busy practising their writing skills and have blown Mrs Edlin away!

This week Year 3 have been comparing their lives to lives of people in the rainforest by writing a diary entry. They have also been looking at safer internet use and making posters about this, along with multiplying and division.

This week Year 1 have been getting active with Mr Brown doing some outdoor maths games to practise their number bonds and number lines. They have also been learning about Neil Armstrong and talked to Mrs Hill's Father who told them about his memories of the Apollo moon landing in 1969.

Tuesday was Internet Safety Day and the children in Year 5 discussed what to do if they feel unsafe online. They have enjoyed publishing their own stories linked to WW2 this week. In history they explored women's roles during the war and how this changed when the soldiers returned. In science they explored friction and completed experiments testing how different materials effect a toy car. In Maths, Year 5 have been looking at multiplying 4 digits by 2 digits and looking at word problems. In RE we finished our topic on Hinduism - our photo this week is the children comparing Christianity and Hinduism beliefs of death.

