



Bishop Cornish CEVA Primary School

To inspire through faith and love, that all may flourish

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"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love."

Ephesians 4:2

This half term's value:

Respect

Dear Parents and Carers

What an amazing first week we have had back at school. Our week began with the arrival of a car from Roger Young Ltd, decorated with the winning design by Izzy in Year 6. Izzy's competition entry was chosen because of the beautiful design of a spring garden and the addition of our school vision and values. The car has sat in the car park for the last week and been admired by many. The school received a generous donation of £500 to go towards equipment of our choice. A massive well done to Izzy, we are super proud of her. Thankyou to Roger Young Ltd for their donation to the school.

Also this week we had two classes go on school trips. Year 3 went to Truro and Oscar and Darcie have written an account of their day. 'The nature gallery is extraordinary for the animals, that you can look at really closely. And I love the human display, the carriage fits in really nicely. And, of course, above the carriage there were majestic birds. And on the window there were butterflies. When I walked into the Ancient Gallery a sign that said 'mummy' immediately caught my eye. I walked in the and the mummy was soooooooooooooo creepy! (Oscar)

'I loved the Nature Gallery because it had some interesting facts. I loved the human display and that you got to dress up and do a bit of roleplay. There was a bit where you could test your senses on the wall, it was sooooo good! I found my birth colour on a stone in the Mineral Gallery, it was amazing. (Darcie)

Year 4 visited Falmouth Maritime Museum. The class said that it was amazing! 'We got to make a replica coin using the same methods that the Vikings used. It was exciting to learn how they made their own money and amazing that we got to keep them.' (Isabella H)

'We had the chance to steer our own boats and navigate just like the Vikings, using wind energy. We learnt how to turn the sails and rudder to control the boat, just like real Viking sailors.' (Elosia)

'We explored how the Vikings traded different objects and discovered why certain items were considered valuable – not just for their uses, but also because of the skills needed to make them.' (Lowenna)

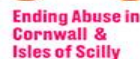
Overall, the trip was fantastic, and we learnt lots of new things about Viking life, travel, and trade.

I wanted to let you know that sadly, at the end of this academic year, Mrs Berry will be leaving Bishop Cornish to take up a new post. On a brighter note Mrs Berry will be with us for the next 6 weeks.

Finally, there have been some issues with parking and turning in the driveway of the school. I understand that it gets very busy at the beginning and end of the school day, but please can I ask that cars are not driven up the driveway or parked there to ensure that we do not have an accident where a child or family member gets hurt.

Have a wonderful weekend,

Mrs Fletcher



Achievement Awards

Bella in Reception Class for showing fantastic effort in her maths this week. You have worked hard to form your numbers carefully, ordered them correctly and been focused during our maths sessions. Well done!

Lyla in Year 1 works so hard in all of the lessons and the results are fantastic - keep up the good work Lyla.

Isabel in Year 2 for just always being a model pupil, working hard and doing her best. You always make us so proud!

Ollie in Year 3 who has shown immense enthusiasm for all his learning, always contributing to discussions, asking lots of questions and sharing his vast knowledge. Well done Ollie.

Jake in Year 4 for showing great focus and resilience during our maths work on 24-hour time and contributing thoughtfully to our RE discussions about life's significant events.

Jacob S in Year 5 has been working really hard lately, trying his best in all subjects, especially in writing, where he is trying to include a range of features to capture the audience.

Caitlin in Year 6 showed determination in all aspects of the athletics competition we attended and although she didn't win she never gave up. Well done Caitlin.

Value Awards

Rowan in Reception Class for being kind with your words and treating everyone with fairness and care. Well done!

Joseph in Year 1 shows respect for both adults and other children. He is kind and respectful at all times.

Jasmine in Year 2 who showed some super skills of respect this week when talking to her friends and in helping Mrs Oakes.

Summer in Year 3 who was very respectful during our class trip to Truro cathedral. She was quiet and reflective and participated in all the tasks thoughtfully and respectfully.

Isabella in Year 4, for always showing wonderful manners, always takes the time to listen to others, and treats everyone with care.

Luca in Year 5 has had a super start to the half term. He has shown respect and good manners on many occasions this week. Well done Luca.

Louis in Year 6 for showing respect to a child from another school who was struggling - he ran alongside him and encouraged him until the finish.

KS2 Production of Madagascar

**Monday 14th July
and
Tuesday 15th July**

**Saltash Community
School**



Sports Report

CORNWALL SCHOOL GAMES ATHLETICS & TENNIS QUALIFIER

On Wednesday we took 36 children to Saltash Secondary School for the above the event. All the children performed brilliantly all day and we achieved the following results:

1st Place – Year 3/4 Tennis

1st Place - Year 5/6 Quad Kids Athletics

1st Place - Year 5/6 Tennis

2nd Place - Year 5/6 Quad Kids Athletics

This qualified all 4 teams for the Cornwall School Games, but unfortunately we won't be able to compete as it clashes with Sports Day. But well done on some excellent performances.

BURRATON FOOTBALL CUP

On Tuesday we played St Stephens in the Semi-Final of the Burraton Cup. Playing against a superb team, we played brilliantly all match and were unlucky to be 1-0 with a minute to play. Pushing for an equaliser, they caught us on the break to score again to take them to the Final. Despite the loss, I was very proud of the team's performance. Goalkeeper Fred was Man-Of-The-Match, playing his first game for the A team.

Diary Dates

Tuesday 17th June Tempest Sports Team photos	Thursday 10th July Year 6 End of Year trip
Wednesday 25th June Sports Day	Monday 14th/Tuesday 15th July KS2 Production of Madagascar
Tuesday 1st July Move up Day	Wednesday 16th July Leavers' Service, 1.45pm
Tuesday 8th July Bag2School collection	Thursday 17th July Year 6 Leavers' Assembly, 9.30am
Friday 11th July KS1 Beach Trip	Friday 18th July Last day of term for children (Non-pupil days 21 st -23 rd July)

This week in school we have...

Year 6 have started their rehearsals for the show, they have also been helping with the props. For their fundraising they have been working on a costing spreadsheet to show what they need to buy and sell their items for. In English they have started looking at an evolutionary story called 'The Moth' – from this they will be creating their own poems.

This week in Year 1 we have started our new English unit, The Storm Whale. We have been looking at numbers to 100. In R.E we talked about how it feels to be part of something.

This week in Reception Class, we have been exploring The Highway Rat by Julia Donaldson. The children loved following the adventures of the greedy rat who steals everyone's food - so much so that it made us feel hungry ourselves and made some shortbread biscuits. The children measured, mixed and shaped the dough with everybody feeling proud of their tasty creations. But then... the biscuits disappeared! Just like in the story, a sneaky thief had taken them. To help find then, we created some wanted posters to help catch the biscuit bandit and it worked! Finally, we were able to taste our delicious masterpieces.

This week, Year 4 had an amazing time on our trip to the Falmouth Maritime Museum, where we explored the Vikings as both raiders and traders. The children had a superb experience making their own Viking coins using traditional methods, trading Viking goods, and learning what made items valuable and steering boats across a pool using wind energy, just like Viking sailors! Back in class, we continued our maths learning, focusing on how to convert 12-hour clock times into 24-hour format. In RE, we've been exploring why and how people mark significant events in their lives, including special ceremonies in different religions.

This week Year 2 have been busy starting a piece of work in literacy about big cats. They have been doing some super research all around cheetahs. In maths they have finished their fractions work and are starting to look at time. They enjoyed a visit from Danielle to show them lots of African clothes and artefacts and looked great in them. They designed shields in art and created food chains in science.

Year 3 had the most fantastic time on their trip to Truro this week! There was so much to explore and learn about. At the Museum of Cornwall they were excited to discover artefacts, sound recordings, audio visuals, and hands on activities that related to all of their topic learning this year, including Stone Age tools, Bronze and Iron Age axes, an Egyptian mummy and sarcophagus, and many exhibits relating to Cornish wildlife culture and heritage. The mineral gallery was a big hit, especially with those Minecraft players who recognised lots of the rocks and crystals! In the afternoon we visited Truro Cathedral and the children were awed at the scale of the building. They enjoyed a picture treasure hunt, trying to find features of the building, and also spent some time sitting and thinking about how this sacred space made them feel.

Year 5 have had a fabulous start to the second half of the summer term. In our PE time this week, we had great fun practising for sports day...Year 5 like to be prepared...sprint relays, long distance and obstacle courses enjoyed by all. We are also particularly enjoying our new English unit of work, identifying the features of balanced arguments in texts such as 'Is screen time making children lazy?' and 'Should children have to wear school uniform?' Many excellent points have been made for both sides.

Photo Gallery

Year 5



Year 2



Reception



Year 3



Year 1



Year 4



Year 6

