

From the Head of School

On Wednesday, the school welcomed in colleagues from across Aspire as part of our termly Aspire Monitoring. The team included Heads of Schools and our Hub Councillor, along with the Senior Leadership Team from St Stephen. During the day, the team of adults spoke to a range of pupils in and out of lessons. It was noted that behaviour for learning was excellent and the children were a real credit to the school. I want to take this opportunity to thank all our pupils for showing our school in such a positive light.

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss L James.

Purple Achievers

It is always a pleasure to celebrate the success of our pupils in school. I have thoroughly enjoyed presenting certificates for a range of achievements and look forward to seeing some more great work next week.

A huge well done to the following children for reaching purple this week:

Skye K	Maddison D	Victoria T	Elsie Z	Rylee B	Willow J
Evie B	Taylor E	Alfie C	Pixie S	Emilee R	Jessica M



Keep up the good work!



Alfie L

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School Uniform Screenprint are now fully stocked of our school uniform. Please visit

their website www.cornwallscreenprint.co.uk to make your orders or telephone Stuart on: 01726 68689.

2019/2020

Inset Dates

Friday 14th February 2020 Friday 5th June 2020 Wednesday 22nd July 2020 Thursday 23rd July 2020

School Holidays____

Monday 23rd December to Friday 3rd January 2020

School Lunches

School lunches for week commencing 25th November will be on week 3. Our School Menu is also available to view on our school website too!

School Dinners



Thursday 28th November until Wednesday 4th December Scholastic Book Fair



Friday 29th November Non School Uniform Day for Donations of Sweetie Jars

Tuesday 10th December EYFS Performance (Nursery/Polkerris & Reception Children in Porthluney) at 9:30am

Wednesday 11th December Christmas Fayre at 2pm until 4pm

Friday 13th December Christmas Jumper Day

Monday 16th December All Topic Homework due in

Tuesday 17th December KS1 Performance (Year 1 classes in Porthluney, Fistral & Readymoney) at 2pm

Wednesday 18th December

KS1 Performance (Year 1 Porthluney, Fistral & Readymoney) at 9:30am

Thursday 19th December Christmas Lunch

Friday 20th December Party Day



St Stephen Churchtown Academy Prospective Parents Tour

We will be holding open afternoon/school tours for parents of children who will be starting school in September 2020.

Dates are:-

25th November 19 at 3.45pm

16th December 19 at 3.45pm

We will have 10 spaces on each tour. If you would like to book a place please contact the school office.

Tel: 01726 822 568 or email: secretary@ststephenchurchtown.org.uk

Stars/Merits -

Stars:

Please note: Stars and Merits for 15th and 22nd November

Polkerris: Harrison & Shelby, Kasper & Jay Readymoney: Molly & Riley, Logan L & Ethan R

Porthluney: Ailla D & Harley W, Oliver A & Billie S

Fistral: Victoria & Bentley , Louella, Kaylem & Rhea

Merits:

Crantock: Joseph M & Storm S, Billy & Joshua Carlyon Bay: Max D & Harry G, Chae D.S & Lily D Perranporth: Bailey B & Phanella R, Charlie P & Jameson W Caerhays: Skye M & Bella S, Hali-Mai & Willow Porth: Rylee B & Willow J, Harry & Pixie

Attendance:

Rec/1	1/2	2	3
Porthluney	Readymoney	Fistral	Porth
95.8%	86.8%	94.8%	96.0%
4/5	5/6	6	
Perranporth	Caerhays	Crantock	
92.6%	95.5%	96.9%	
	Porthluney 95.8% 4/5 Perranporth	PorthluneyReadymoney95.8%86.8%4/55/6PerranporthCaerhays	PorthluneyReadymoneyFistral95.8%86.8%94.8%4/55/66PerranporthCaerhaysCrantock



Attendance Ratings: Excellent attendance: 98% +

Expected: 96% +

Unsatisfactory Attendance: 90% - 95%

Poor Attendance: below 90%





With our Christmas Fayre approaching, Wednesday 11th December, we are requesting the following **donations:**

You may contribute to ANY class regardless of the class your child is in.

Nursery: Tombola Prizes (any bottles)

Reception: Hamper Donations/Chocolates

Reception/Year 1: Mince Pies & Cream

Year1/Year2: Cakes, buns, cupcakes, Slices

Year 2: Raffle Prizes

Year 3:Tombola Prizes (any bottles)

Year 3/Year 4: Cakes, Buns, Cupcakes & Slices

Year 4/year 5: Mince Pies & Cream

Year 5/ Year 6: Raffle Prizes

Year 6: Lucky Dip Prizes (Small Items)



Every class can donate Toys, Games, Cuddly Toys etc (no DVDs/CDs) or anything to each class.

No Smoking on Site

Please may we remind you that the whole school is a non-smoking site.

We kindly ask that no smoking occurs on site and we appreciate your co-operation with this request.





Starting from Spring Term 2020 parents and carers will now be able to book their children's Clubs through the Arbor App.

If you are having any issues, please let the office know so we can resolve them as quickly as we can.



Christmas Fayre

Wednesday 11th December 2019

2pm until 4pm

ST. STEPHEN CHURCHTOWN ACADEMY

Tel: 01726 822568

We would like your support with donations for the Christmas Fayre please. Items can be sent to the classes as listed below or handed into the office.

Please note, you may contribute to ANY stall regardless of the class your child is in.

Raffle prizes this year will consist of Christmas hampers, so any donations of anything suitable to fill them would be appreciated. Many thanks.

Stall

Collection Point

Hamper Raffle
Name the Teddy
Cakes
Christmas Decorations
Tombola
Books
Glitter Tattoos
Christmas Balloon Punchballs/Slap bands
Craft

Anyone wishing to hire a table can book through the office at a charge of \pounds 7, payable in advance.

Delicious hot chocolate along with tea, coffee, mince pies and cream and hot dogs will be available to buy.

If you are able to help, please leave your name with the office.

Merry Christmas



Reminder: Christmas lunch and Pasty's must be ordered by 2nd December



Children In Need

We are pleased to announce the grand total raised for supporting BBC Children In Need this year is:

£279.39!

Thank you to everyone who took part on the day with activities, Born to move sessions, completing Pudsey's face and dressing up too!

A fantastic day was had by all.





We are pleased to announce that the Scholastic Book Fair will be visiting school from the 28th November until 4th December. The bookcases and stationery will be set up in the Library.

The children have been given a leaflet showing just a small selection of the books that will be available to buy.

There will be opportunities for each class to visit the Fair in school time; to browse the books.

The fair will be open after school, for you to visit, browse and buy books with your family.

· Friday 29th November

- · Monday 2nd December
- · Tuesday 3rd December

We look forward to seeing you there.







<u>Sport</u>

On Tuesday we were visited by St Mewan for our latest round of football and netball fixtures.

Our A football team played an outstanding game causing the St Mewan side all sorts of problems and creating numerous chances to score. However, due to a couple of mistakes and some great goalkeeping, they found themselves on the end of an undeserved 3-0 defeat. We are really proud of the boys as they played by far their best game of the season and did not get the result their efforts deserved.

The B football team continued their strong start to the season with a 1-0 victory with Liam grabbing the winning goal. This was another strong performance by the boys who remain unbeaten this year and could have scored more with a bit more calmness in front of goal.

The 3/4 football team suffered from a poor first half performance where they leaked a series of goals before rallying in the second half and matching their opponents. We were unfortunate to not score with the St Mewan goalkeeper pulling off a string of saves and hitting the woodwork with the final score 4-0.

Netball A continued their unprecedented run of success with a commanding 22-1 victory. We are running out of superlatives to throw at them and they have now lost only one game in all competitions (which was a county semi final) since the start of last season. If they continue in this form, they will be a formidable opponent for any school in the county.

Netball B continued their encouraging start to the year with a third straight win by recording a 6-0 victory. They continue to improve and with a large number of year 5 players we hope are laying the foundations to take over from our A team.

Players of the match

Football A - Joshua (Crantock) Football B - Liam (Crantock) Football 3/4 - Lewis (Carlyon Bay)

Netball A - Isabel (Crantock) Netball B - Maisie May (Caerhays)

On Tuesday, our A teams travel to Nanpean for a St Austell District League Cup round 2 game and the chance to lock horns with a local rival we rarely face. On Thursday, we have had confirmation our postponed match at Biscovey will be taking place. Letters will go out today and need to be returned on Monday please.







POST CHRISTMAS SOFTBALL CAMP Friday Jan 3rd 2020

Cornwall Cricket Centre

10-4pm

All participants will be entered into a prize draw to win 1 of 2 GN Shockwave bats Draw to take place in April 2020



Softball Camp **School years 1-4** £20

Bring a packed lunch & drinks for the day

Booking & details www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps/ Tel 01872 267138 e:ccm@cornwallcricket.co.uk



POST CHRISTMAS U15s SUPER 6s INDOOR FESTIVAL THURSDAY 2nd JAN 2020 Cornwall Cricket Centre Truro

All participants will be entered into a prize



6 players per team School years 8-10 Boys & Girls Bring bat & gloves £30 per team

2 sessions 9-12pm & 1-4pm **Register by Dec 7th**

Booking & details Tel: 01872 267138 e: ccm@cornwallcricket.co.uk



Come along and experience the magic of Santa's Grotto Saturday 14th December For £8 per child, they will have a 45 minute Christmas experience that includes

Gingerbread Decorating / Colouring

• Tattoos • Santa Letter Writing Each letter will receive an individual reply from one of Santa's little helpers. These will be posted after their visit to the grotto.

Refreshment Voucher Tea or Coffee and Cake for adults Squash and Biscuits for children You will also be able to play Reffle - Christmas Essentials - £1 per strip: Tombola - Chocolate & Sweet Treats - £1 per str **To book tickets email us at SeaCadetGrotto@outlook.cot** Only 15 spaces available per time slot Time slot 1.09:30-10:15 Time slot 2.10:45-11:30 Time slot 3.12:00-12:45 Time slot 2.10:45-11:30 Time slot 3.12:00-12:45 Time slot 4.13:15-14:00 Time slot 5.14:30-15:15

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