

# Hand in Hand

### Friday 7th May 2021





Dear Parent/Career

Message from Miss Furnish

This week the senior leadership team have been spending time looking at

the children's learning in books with a particular focus on the wider curriculum (not English and maths). It has been wonderful to see how our new curriculum is impacting on the children's learning and next week I will be talking with groups of children (socially distanced) about this further. I am so proud of the children across the school in relation to their behaviour and attitude to learning.

I wish you all a relaxing weekend and hope that you have a chance to get out and enjoy the fresh air.

Take care and stay safe.

Did you know? Going, Going, Gone!!

Our Pre-school and Nursery currently have places available for September 2021 but they are going fast!

Please phone the school office on 01209 714241 and

ask for...

Pre-school: Becky Groombridge

**Nursery: Mandy Lawrence** 

and we will be happy to help you book for September.



### Prodigy weekly results!

How many questions have your class answered at home?

Gwithian -51

Portreath - 127

Coverack- 235

Truro - 287

Poldhu-23

Marazion -38

Falmouth - 303

Newlyn - 104

St Piran - 395

St Blazey- 134

This week, Sam Teasdale of the Cornish Pirates, started a six-week programme with Year 5 pupils.

The children learned about the importance of space, agility and passing.

By the end of this week's session, all of the pupils managed to take part in 2v1 attacking drills, passing drills and in-game situations.

Thank you to the Cornish Pirates for your fantastic coaching and allowing us to be part of your scheme.





St Piran recently reached their next

Astronomical

Attendance planet and were rewarded with a

Notice: Roskear School distributes fliers and magazines offering family services or posts details of local activities on the newsletter. Whilst we think that parents might like the information and find it useful, the school does not necessarily endorse these services.



Our topic this half term is Creepy crawlies! So far we have enjoyed making our

own Bee's, Ladybirds and even Spiders. We have enjoyed going on bug hunts outside and have so far found lots of Worms, Spiders and Slugs! We can not wait to go on more Bug hunts!



## Calendar

#### Additions in red

31.05.21 - 04.06.21 - Half term

21.07.21 - End of term, 1.30pm finish

22.07.21 - Inset Day

23.07.21 - Inset Day

24.07.21 - Sep 21 - Summer holiday

06.09.21 - Inset Day

24.09.21 - School Closure Day Parent/Teacher meetings

04.02.22 - Inset Day

20.07.21 - last day for Nursery and Pre School pupils

25.07.22 - Inset Day

26.07.22 - Inset Day

The 3 winners will receive a £20 Frugi gift voucher for their school and £50 worth of Frugi clothes for themselves.

Competition details:- Blackbird Pie and Frugi's Indian Summer creative competition is inspired by India (we love brightly coloured exotic animals, birds, insects and flowers.) Just send us your child's painting, drawing, photograph, collage or medium of your choice around the theme of India.

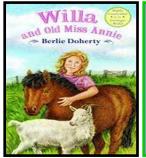
Each winner will win £50 of gorgeous organic clothes to choose from Frugi and their school will receive a £20 Frugi gift voucher. There are three prizes (one for each age groups: under 5, 5 to 7 and 8 to 10) and the top 15 entries will feature in the May/June issue of BlackbirdPie magazine.

To enter just click on the link below which will take you to the competition page of the current issue https://bit.ly/3xBcPWn

or https://blackbirdreads.turtl.c...

Hurry! The competition closes at 10am on Monday 10 May 2021.

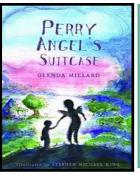




#### KS1 Book of the Week

Title: Willa and Old Miss Annie Author: Book Berlie Doherty Level: 4.4

When she moves with her parents to a new home far away, Willa is convinced that she'll never have friends again until she meets Old Miss Annie who introduces her to a lonely goat, a forgotten pony, and an orphaned fox.



#### KS2 Book of the Week

Title: Perry Angel's Suitcase Author: Glenda Millard Book Level: no AR quiz

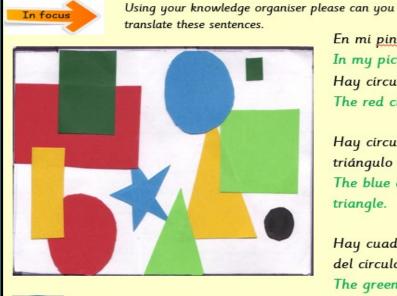
The third instalment in the award-winning Kingdom of Silk series. It has taken Perry Angel almost seven years to find the place where he belongs. He arrives at the Kingdom of Silk one day on the ten-thirty express, carrying only a small and shabby suitcase embossed with five golden letters. What do those letters mean?

## Congratulations to the following pupils who achieved 'Star of the week'

Class	Name	Reason for certificate				
Porthcurno	Elyza	For always loving to learn and making amazing pop-up books!				
Chapel Porth	Colton	For being resilient in his learning and for always trying his best.				
Gwithian	Jack	For his great explanations in maths this week.				
Poldhu	Ethan	For trying really hard with his handwriting this week and improving his writing. Well done, Ethan!				
Marazion	Willow	For her amazing progress in her writing. Well done Willow you have worked your socks of this week!				
Portreath	Elsie	For having an amazing week. The start of your story is imaginative and full of detail.  Super job!				
Coverack	Corey	For amazing breakthroughs in his learning this week.				
Truro	Harry	For trying his very best in everything that he has done this week and setting a good example to others.				
Falmouth	Dylan	For composing a fantastic wishing tale this week.				
Newlyn	Sophia	For her amazing, independent writing in English lessons. Well done!				
St. Blazey	Clara	For your amazing cross-sectional diagram of a volcano				
St. Piran	Jayden	For an excellent attitude in his learning this week - keep it up!				
St. Petroc	Julia	For her amazing persuasive writing in English.				
Helston	Ophelia	For producing an informative piece of topic work all about the different tourist attractions, transport links and places to stay in Cornwall.				

## Spanish

This week in Spanish we have been learning all about shapes and prepositions. Have a go at reading these sentences.



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En mi pintura... In my picture...

Hay círculo rojo y hay estrella azul. The red circle and the blue star.

Hay círculo azul está encima de el triángulo amarillo.

The blue circle is on the yellow triangle.

Hay cuadrado verde es a la derecho del circulo azul.

The green square is to the right of the blue circle. Week 7 - 3



In RE, year 4 pupils have been learning about the main events of Pentecost. We used drama to predict and then recall the events. We then used drawing and art to present the events, thinking carefully about the feelings and behaviour of Jesus' disciples when the Holy Spirit descended upon them in the form of a flame over their head. We used existing pieces of art to influence us.

Toby in Reception for his wonderful Talk for Writing retelling.

Year Three for their determination with their learning.





## Parent Governor Vacancy

Would you like to volunteer to help shape and guide the progress of Roskear School?

If you would like to know more about becoming a Governor, please contact Suzanne at the main office.

Ensuring clarity of vision, ethos and strategic direction for the school.

Holding the headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils.

Overseeing the financial performance of the school and making sure its money is well spent.



## Roskear Readers – Weekly Word Count

It has been another great week for reading here at Roskear School. Every week in school, we celebrate the word count, both whole class and individual children. At the end of every half term, each child with the highest word count across the school is awarded a prize. So all you readers out there get reading and passing those quizzes.

This Week's Class Word Count

1st place – Coverack 1,023,272, 2nd place – St Piran 900,964, 3rd place – Newlyn 730,028

This Week's Word Count - Children

Lucas (Falmouth) – 107,995, Emily (St Petroc) – 104,124, Angelina (St Blazey) – 153,875

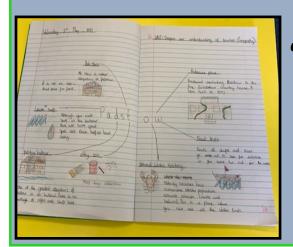
Alfie (Newlyn) – 110,654, Lilliana (St Piran) – 563,811, Katelynn (Helston) – 73,576

Poppy (Truro) – 10,980, Reece (Coverack) – 60,555, James (Portreath) – 31,851

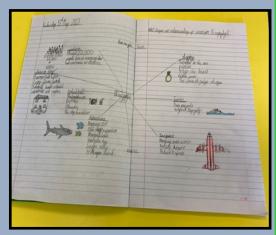
and Darcy (Marazion) – 5,226



This week in Year 6, we have been deepening our understanding of what Cornwall has to offer and how trade and commerce operate within Cornwall. We have been researching different towns to ascertain what they have to offer, including transport links, nearby



attractions and accommodation.



### ATTENDANCE DATA

This year's target is 96% Congratulations to Truro class who came first this week.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>% Attend</u>	Number of Late pupils	Change from previous week
1st	Truro	100	0	-
2nd	Gwithian	98.3	3	-1
3rd	Helston	98.1	1	+1
4th	Coverack	97.3	0	-
5th	Falmouth	96.1	4	-2
6th	St. Piran	95.8	0	-
7th	Newlyn	95.7	0	-
8th	Portreath	95.3	1	-2
9th	Chapel Porth	94.2	1	+1
9th	Poldhu	94.2	1	-2
10th	St. Petroc	93.5	0	-
11th	Porthcurno	92.7	3	-3
12th	St. Blazey	90.8	3	+1
13th	Marazion	85.8	0	-4
Totals	Whole School	94.8	17	-11

This half term year 1 have been exploring shape and colour to create paintings and sculptures. We have been looking at the work of the Spanish artist, Joan Miro. We have been using our sketchbooks



to record our ideas and plan our

## Menu for week commencing Monday 10th May 2021

