

# Hand in Hand

#### Friday 1st October 2021





Dear Parent/Carer,

Message from Miss Furnish

This week and last week myself and some of the senior leadership team have been looking at books and in particular the writing across the school. I have been very impressed by the children's determination. I know that in foundation (preschool, nursery and reception) the children are working hard to learn how to hold their pencil and form their letters correctly. We would really appreciate parents and carers helping with this as 'unlearning' is really hard so to learn it right first time is always the best way.

On another note, many of you will know that one of our little people had an accident this week. I would like to thank many of you who helped at the time, it was very much appreciated and reminds me what a great Roskear family we have.

Take care and stay safe.

### Roskear School Vacancy - Cleaner

10 hours a week, 3.30pm to 5.30pm

Term time, Monday to Friday

(plus an additional 20 days, spread across twelve months during holiday periods.

Salary: £17,673 per annum pro rata (hourly rate: £9.16)

Closing date for applications: Tuesday 5th October

Interviews: Tuesday 12th October

For more information please speak with Suzanne in the office.

The successful candidate will require an enhanced DBS.



In Year 2 this week, we have been looking at the artist

Mat Miller and his process of sketching. We drew a big circle then we started to fill the circle of sketches of wonders from the ocean. We can't wait to finish our sketches next week!



#### **Admissions Policy**

We have amended our admission policies for the 2021/22 and 22/23 academic years in light of the changes to the School Admissions Code 2021.

These policies can be found on the school website under 'Statutory Information/Policies. Thank you.

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.



#### **Christmas Hamper**

If you are struggling financially and feel your family would benefit from a Christmas Hamper from the Food Bank please speak to Mrs Eva,

Mrs Squire or the school office.

## Calendar

#### Additions in red

06.09.21 - Harvest Festival celebrations

25.10.21 - 29.10.21 - Half Term

15.12.21 - Christmas Dinner

16.12.21 - School closes at 1.30m for Christmas holidays

04.01.22 - School Closure Day

21.02.22 - 25.02.22 - Half Term

28.02.22 - School Closure Day

11.04.22 - 22.04.22 - Easter holiday

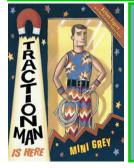
30.05.22 - 03.06.22 - Half Term

22.07.21 - School closes at 1.30pm for Summer holidays

25.07.22 - Inset Day

Unfortunately, we have received a complaint from a Dolcoath Road resident who is extremely frustrated that they are unable to freely access their drive, due to Parents/Carers blocking their entrance. Please can we remind everyone that if you cannot park in the school car park, please find an alternative safe place to park, that does not cause disruption to our local community.

Thank you for your cooperation.



#### **KS1** Book of the Week

Title: Traction Man is Here Author: Mini Grey Book Level: 3.6

Traction Man, a boy's courageous action figure, has a variety of adventures with Scrubbing Brush and other objects in the house, including counting Christmas trees, rescuing Cupcake and relaxing in the sun.



#### **KS2** Book of the Week

Title: The Ship of Shadows Author: Maria Kuzniar Book Level: 6.2

When a magical ship crewed by women docks in Sevilla. Aleja joins the crew and becomes part of the quest they are risking everything to complete. Book 1 in a series.

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

Class	Name	Reason for certificate
Chapel Porth	Isaac	For his fantastic writing and for always trying his best.
Porthcurno	Lucy	For always trying her best at everything she does.
Poldhu	Toby	For great writing this week. Saying his sentences and writing them independently using his sounds and tricky words. Well done, Toby!
Gwithian	Arlo	For always following the Golden Rules.
Portreath	Lexi L	For independently using your plan and writing resources to write the next section of your story. Well done!
Marazion	Isla	For trying your best in all your learning this week, especially in your writing. You are a star!
Coverack	Tegan	For making the right choices and following instructions with thought and care. Keep it up!
Truro	Regan	For working really hard this week in all of your lessons. You have produced some excellent writing and shown real perseverance in maths.
Falmouth	Lily-May J	For her independent writing today! Amazing Well done!
Newlyn	Krista	For her superb effort in reading.
St. Blazey	Hendrix	For trying his best in all that he does and producing amazing topic work this week
St. Piran	Evie	For always trying her best with everything she does and being a great role model to all
Helston	Megan	For trying her very best in all she does, even when she finds something difficult.
St. Petroc	Sennen	For following instructions with thought and care whilst mastering long multiplication.



### Weekly results!

<u>Gwithian</u> – not started yet

Poldhu — not started yet

Marazion – 4 Portreath – 110

Year 1/2 winner: Portreath

Coverack-194

Truro - 129

Falmouth - 380

Newlyn - 110

Year 3/4 winner: Falmouth

St Piran - 464

St Blazey- 346

Helston - 185

St Petroc - 255

Year 5/6 winner: St Piran



# THE ROYAL BRITISH LEGION CAMBORNE BRANCH

PATRON: HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN

# POPPY APPEAL 2021

IF YOU HAVE A FEW HOURS
TO SPARE THEN PLEASE JOIN
US AS VOLUNTEERS FOR
THE 2021 POPPY APPEAL

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CALL:

JOHN MIDDLETON, POPPY APPEAL ORGANISER, CAMBORNE BRANCH ON: 07597923820 OR 01209 832286



Have a go at pronouncing these Spanish phrases.





At Roskear, we are very proud to celebrate Kaya's success in gymnastics!

She has achieved her Level 5 proficiency award in recognition of completion of the Core Proficiency programme developing core skills such as balance, strength, flexibility and coordination and incorporating compulsory pulse raising activities to promote an active lifestyle



## 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 and the child with the highest number of tests passed are awarded a prize. So, all you readers out there get reading and passing those quizzes.

This Week's Class Word Count

1st place - Helston 1,180,818, 2nd place - St Blazey 910,403 & 3rd place - St Petroc 738,826 This Week's Word Count - Children

James (Coverack) - 166,497, Otis (Falmouth) - 379,764, Nicholas (Helston) - 181,993

Grace (Newlyn) - 50,043, Noah (St Blazey) - 167,881, Lilliana (St Petroc) - 323,851

Lucas (St Piran) - 191,002 & Morgan (Truro) - 21,123



This week in St Piran class, the children have been learning to sing in a round! First we discussed what this meant and

listened to some examples. We learnt that not all songs can be sung in a round and these songs are specifically made so that the melodies overlap and still sound good. We then had a go at doing our own! We started off with two groups, then three, then four! We found it quite tricky at first as we had to block out what the other groups were saying, but

we persevered!



On Wednesday 6th October, we shall be celebrating the Harvest Festival. The children will have an opportunity to reflect upon their world and to acknowledge those who provide food for us. This will take place in school during class assembly time. The children are invited to bring, if they are able, a donation of food for the Camborne Food Bank. These items should be non-perishable, for example

tins or sealed packets
with long shelf lives.
If you are able to
send any items into
school, please send
them by
Tuesday 5th October.





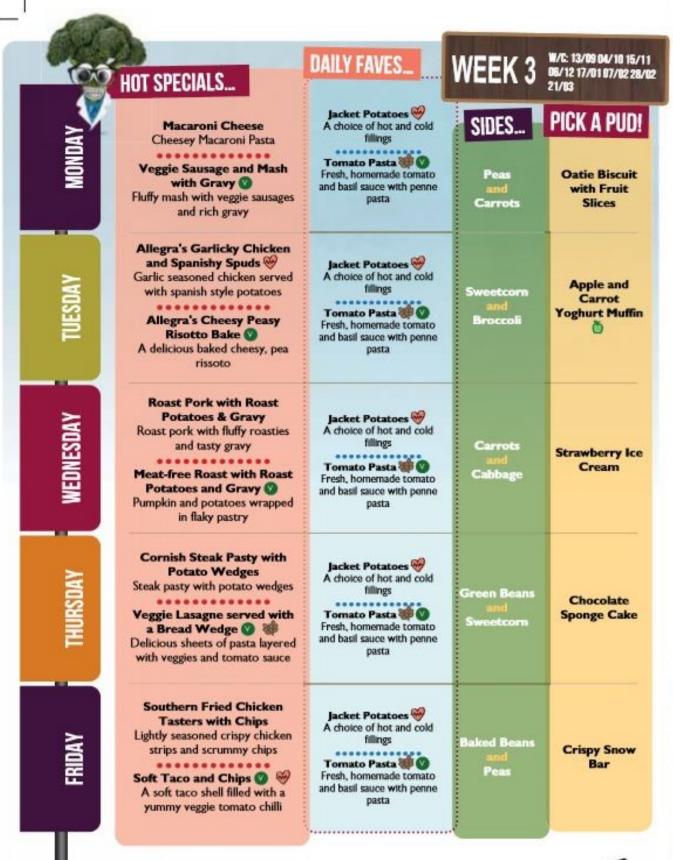
This term in year 3 Science lessons we have been learning about healthy eating. So far we have sorted foods in to the 5 food groups and created our own healthy plates. We have also learned about food packaging and the traffic light system.







### Menu for week commencing Monday 4th October 2021



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