



Chacewater C.P. School



Truro and Penwith
Academy Trust

Dear Parents,

I am delighted to start this week's newsletter with some exciting news. Following a meeting of the governors on Wednesday, I can confirm that the school will become a 1 form entry school from September 2018. This means that children will be taught in their distinct year groups from September. We have received the go ahead to support the redevelopment of Mrs. Law's classroom and my office to create an additional classroom to help us create the space. This is a significant move for the school which supports its long term future and has been part of the strategic plan for the last two years. Although budget setting will remain very tight again for the next year, with our increase in pupil numbers going forward the future financial position looks more positive. To support the new extension, we have recruited two new teachers for September. We will keep you up to date as to who will be your child's class teacher over the next few months. With the onset of the new classroom, we are looking for a new class name to link with our tree theme (I am not sure we can find any other type of Oak!) If you have any ideas, please do let me know.

I am sure you will want to join me in thanking the governors for the significant amount of hard work this project has taken and in particular for being able to secure the funds from the Local Authority to pay for the class redevelopments. Have a great bank holiday,

Mr Gould

School Camp - next week a detailed letter will be coming home with some forms to complete as well as information relating to activities the children will undertake on school camp and what kit they will need. Can I remind all parents we will be holding a meeting on 22nd May at 3:30pm with final details and information.

The Department of Education currently recommends that all primary schools should have a sex and relationship education programme tailored to the age and the physical and emotional maturity of the children. It should ensure that both boys and girls know about puberty and how a baby is born - as set out in Key Stages 1 and 2 of the National Science Curriculum and it suggests that this programme is best delivered through the Personal, Social, Health, Economic Education framework. In KS 2 we will be covering this area of the curriculum with the children on Tuesday 22nd May in school. If you would like further information as to what we will be teaching the children, we would like to invite you to a meeting at 6pm on Thursday 17th May in Mrs. Law's classroom.

Rugby - today our Year 6 took part in a festival at Penair School. I look forward to sharing with you how they got on next week.

Cornwall Teacher Awards - Tonight our lovely Vice Chair of Governors Mrs. Curnow attends this event. She has been nominated in the governor of the year award and Im sure you will join me wishing her lots of luck as a result of her many years' service to the school.

Organised by FOBSA - Raising money for Bosvigo School - Sunday 20th May 2018, 3pm - 5pm.

Building on the success of past Bosvigo School Family Bike Rides, we would like to invite pupils and their families from neighbouring schools to join us in a Family Bike Ride on Sunday 20th May between 3pm and 5pm. The event will be run by the Bosvigo School PTA (Friends of Bosvigo School Association), and will be

located at Wheal Jane Cycle Circuit (www.whealjanecyclecircuit.co.uk). The Wheal Jane Cycle Circuit is situated on the Wheal Jane site near Chacewater, at Baldhu, Truro, Cornwall TR3 6EH. It is easily accessible, being only a 5 minute drive from the main A30 at Chiverton roundabout. Access to the circuit is through the main Wheal Jane Earth Science Park entrance on the eastern side of the Wheal Jane site. The event will be supported by FOBSA although all entrants from other schools must be accompanied by a responsible adult. We will have safety marshals along the route, a registration team to offer support and refreshments available to purchase. There will be prizes available for a number of categories. The entry fee will be £5 (payable on the day) and will include a completion Certificate, Medal, bottle of water and piece of fruit. All risk assessments for the site and event have been completed by FOBSA and Bosvigo School. Cycling UK's Safeguarding policy says that young people aged 13 and over may ride unaccompanied by a parent or guardian but all riders aged under 18 (16 in Scotland), whether accompanied or not, must still have a signed parental consent form. This will be available on the day. We will process participants as they arrive, and provide emergency contact wristbands and an event number for each rider. We will also have lap stickers given to riders so that they can keep track of their progress. We look forward to you joining us! If you would like to take part (or for further information) please email secretary@bosvigo.cornwall.sch.uk to indicate how many riders would like to take part. This will help us ensure we have adequate refreshments etc.



Golden Award Winners



Bailey, Freya, Sebby, Isla, Alfie, Libby, Olly, Jacob, James, Summer, Lelia, Lewis

Diary Dates	2017/2018 Academic Year
17 th May	4pm Football match for girls v Devoran school
14 th May - 17 th May	Y6 SATS
18 th May	Year 6 celebration & Acorns Cake Sale
21 st May	Cornwall School games bowling
22 nd May	Sex and Relationships Education KS 2
Week commencing 28 th May	HALF TERM
4 th to 6 th June	Barton Hall Camp
8 th June	World cup Art Day and Non uniform Day
11 th June	Phonics testing
15 th June	Parent Forum and Non uniform Day
18 th June	Transition morning whole school
22 nd June	Summer Fayre 2pm
25 June	Transition morning whole school
27 th June	Sports Day
29 th June	Whole school summer Beach trip including beach clean
3 rd to 4 th July	Year 6 Richard Lander
4 th July	Transition morning whole school
6 th July	Leavers Disco - Date Change
13 th July	Reports to parents
Week of 16 th July	Summer show Peter Pan
20 th July	Leavers Assembly 2pm Break up for Summer
Thursday 6 th September	Return to School