

4 October 2019

Dear Parents,

I am delighted this week to share with you on the school website our final version of the Chacewater School Curriculum. This document highlights (following consultation) what we feel is vital to our children is learning. On that note, this week we have seen many enrichment activities to support our children's cultural experience. On Tuesday, the "Kernow King" led a performance of the "Cornish Caretaker" helping us to learn more about the history of Cornwall. On Wednesday, Year 5 and 6 took part in a virtual reality workshop learning how to be safe on the internet. Finally, throughout the week Year 5 have been learning how to be safe riding their bikes through the bikeability programme. On top of all the other exciting learning taking place in classes it has been a wonderful week.

Please don't forget to sign up for a parent appointment. The lists are on the classroom's doors. There will be no after school clubs that week apart from football and Chatterbox.

Have a great weekend,



<u>Staff news</u> – I am delighted to welcome Miss. Chrissie Parsons as a new member of staff to the Reception and KS 1 team. She joins us as an apprentice TA and I am sure you will join me in making her feel very welcome.

You may have noticed we have not had Mr. Williams for the last few weeks. Unfortunately he has badly damaged his knee - we are hoping he will be back soon but in the meantime Miss. Hoare will cover Year 5 on a Friday.

<u>Mental Health Awareness Day</u> - Supporting our children with this is a key focus for the school this year. We will be running mindfulness, a programme called I Belong with Year 5 and other initiatives including opening a new building to undertake some of this work. In support of this, next Thursday is mental health awareness day so we are encouraging children to wear any item of yellow with their school uniform.

Pick up from school - can I please remind parents collection from School is 3:15pm.

<u>Bottle Tops</u> - Eco day is fast approaching. Please can you send in any blue/green bottle tops from milk.

<u>Netball posts</u> — we have some old netball posts which are free if anyone would like them. They just need collecting.

Mrs Saxton now has plenty of magazines for art, thank you for your donations.

REMINDER we are a nut free School, please don't include nuts in packed lunches.

<u>Saints Southwest</u> will be delivering their popular Holiday Courses in the upcoming October Half Term, which include Infant Soccer Schools (5-7 Years, KS1), Junior Soccer School (8-11 Years, KS2), Train Like A Pro Days (9-12 Years), Multi-Sport Camps (5-11 Years), Goalkeeper Camps (5-12 Years), Saints Soccer and Sporty Tots (2-4 Years) and Saints Cadets (13-15 Years, Volunteer Programme). All ages from 5-12 years are welcome for the full day 10.00am - 3.00pm and 2-4 years can attend our Saints Soccer Tots session which runs from 2.00pm - 2.45pm.

To BOOK please visit www.saintssouthwest.co.uk or call 03302 234 932





Golden Award Winners for Last Week



Reuben, Alfie, Leo, Skyla, Louis, Leah, Arthur, Molly, Katie, Maisie, Isaac&James,

DIARY DATES 2019/2020

11 th October	Yr 6 cake sale & PTA
Week commencing 14 th October	Parent appointments
17 th October	Harvest service 2pm Church
18 th October	Eco Celebration Day non uniform
Friday 18 th Oct	Last day of term - Half Term
21st October to 25th October	Half term
28 th and 29 th October	INSET Days-School closed return Wed 30th Oct

1 st November	Seedlings Parent Assembly		
4 th November	Photographs -Individual & siblings		
7 th November	Monster ball DISCO		
8 th November	Buds Parent Assembly & Yr 5 cake Sale		
15 th November	Young Oaks Parent Assembly		
22 nd November	Bur Oaks Parent Assembly		
29 th November	Red Oaks Parent Assembly		
5 th and 6 th December	Reception and KS 1 Nativity in Village hall		
6th December	Santa Breakfast		
11th December	Christmas Lunch		
13 th December	Christmas Fayre		
19 th December	KS 2 Christingle St Pauls Church 6pm		
20 th December	End of term - Christmas Holidays		
6 th January	Back to school		
10 th January	Yr4 cake sale		
14 th February	Last day of term - Half Term. Yr 3 cake sale		
24 th February	Return to school		
13 th March	Yr 2 cake sale		
27 th March	Last day of term - Easter Holidays		
14 th April	Return to school		
24 th April	Yr 1 cake sale		
11 th May - 14 th May	SATS week Year 6		
15 th May	Yr R cake sale		
22 nd May	Last day of term - Half term & Cream Tea		
1 st June	Return to school		
17 th June	Sports Day		
26 th June	Summer Fayre		
30 th June and 1 st July	Richard Lander Induction Days		
21 st July	School ends for Summer		