



21 September 2018

Dear Parents,

What a lovely week it has been. We were visited by the traffic officers from Highways, on Wednesday, in Years 1 and 2. We were also joined by Radio Cornwall and the clip can be found on this link. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/radio/play/p06jqyph>

The visit and A30 work is included in the opening and closing news bulletins, and the youngsters can be heard at 1hr 25mins and 2hrs 40mins in, described by the presenters as 'charming' and magical. What a wonderful comment to start the term.

Next week we have our meet the teacher events for Macmillan. These will take place in the school hall. Please sign in via the front office, and then we will take you to the hall. Donations to this charity will be gratefully received. A reminder this event is the chance to meet your child's teacher, find out about routines and learning, as well as having the chance to visit the classroom. These are not individual parent appointments - these will take place week commencing 15<sup>th</sup> October. You can sign up for these in school from next week.

This weekend we host the Chacewater Show. Hopefully you will have the chance to pop into school.

Have a great weekend,

Mr Gould

**Assemblies** - next week we start our theme of revisiting the Learning Powers we introduced last term. We start with thinking about how we can be resilient through the character of the tortoise and the story of the tortoise and the hare. We will be using these learning powers to support our children to do the best they can and to help if they get stuck. We will hold open afternoons each term for you to see how the children are using these in the classroom. Date for your diary - Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2:40pm.

**Homework** - I mentioned that we are currently purchasing the "My maths" resource. This should all be installed by the time of your parent appointment so staff can brief you on how it works.

**After School Clubs** - these start next week. A reminder that they finish at 4:15pm apart from football and netball. Multi skills was the only oversubscribed club so you should have received a letter from the club leader explaining how this will work.

**Chacewater Show** - this week is the Chacewater show in school and the village hall. Do pop in to support this community event.

**Lost Jumper** - size 30 school jumper, labelled/named Knott, please check at home.

### An Open Letter to Mr Gould and the amazing Staff at Chacewater School.

My daughter's transition from year 6 to year 7 could not have, in my opinion, gone any better. She went off on her first day with such confidence and maturity. (unlike me who was left at home a snivelling wreck) and has had such a positive attitude in her first 2 weeks. She has been so much more self-disciplined and responsible than I could have ever imagined. For this I am extremely grateful to you all. I feel the move to RLS was supported wonderfully by how Chacewater was gradually priming my daughter for secondary school, (starting right from the transitions from different year groups) where parental involvement in their day to day is very different!

So I wanted to say thank you, to each and every one of you, for preparing my daughter (and me) for the next stage in her schooling.

**Flu Immunisation Programme**- If you are having trouble accessing the link to return consent, please call in to the School office as we have a paper copy available.



Date	Event	DIARY DATES 2018/19
24 September	Macmillan Coffee Morning Year 5 and 6	-9am
25 September	Macmillan Coffee Morning Year 3 and 4	9am
26 September	Macmillan Coffee Morning Year 2	-9am
27 September	Macmillan Coffee Morning Year 1	-9am
28 September	Macmillan Coffee Morning Reception	- 9am
28 September	Cake Sale Yr 6	- 3:15pm
2 October	School photographs	
19 October	Cake Sale Yr 5	- 3:15pm
22 -26 Oct	HALF Term	
29 Oct	Training Day School closed	
30 November	Cake Sale Yr 4	- 3:15pm
14 December	Christmas Fair	2 - 4:30pm
17 - 19 Dec	Reception, Year 1 and 2 Nativities	
19 Dec	Carol Service KS 2 St.Pauls Church	- 6pm
20 Dec	Break up for Christmas holidays	
7 January	Back to school	
25 January	Cake Sale Yr 3	- 3:15pm
15 February	Cake Sale Yr 2	- 3:15pm
18- 22 Feb	Half term	
7 March	World Book Day	- dress up theme
15 March	Cake Sale Yr 1	- 3:15pm
5 April	Cake Sale - Acorns	- 3:15pm
8- 22 April	Easter holidays	
23 April	Back to school	
13 - 17 May	Year 6 SATS week	all in school
27 - 31 May	Half term	
21 June	Summer Fair	- 2- 4:30pm
26 June	Sports Day	
Tues 23 July	End of term	- Break up for Summer

