

7 February 2020

Dear Parents

This week has been Mental Health Awareness week with the theme being "Find your Brave." We had two lovely assemblies from Mrs. Buckingham and Mrs. Fox about how we can do this and then the choir performed brilliantly today in Assembly showing how they can overcome fears and worries. Classes have been thinking about this theme as well all week and Year 6 considered what are the things that help us to be brave. Support, encouragement, not being afraid to have a go and give yourself time for new challenges! They then came up with some mascots we can use around school to support us to "Be Brave." The winner was this guy - "Brave Dave" who we will refer to a lot in school.



Next week we have Internet Safety day on Tuesday. The children will be thinking about what they need to be safe on line and hopefully coming back full of information from our sessions for you.

Have a great weekend,

Mr Gould

<u>Rugby</u> – Year 5 and 6 took part in a great tournament on Thursday led by the Cornish Pirates – lots of fun was had by all.

<u>Sport next week</u> <u>Sport next week</u> - Monday our football team play Shortlanesend and St. Erme school and then our qualifying runners for the cross country take part in the next round at Pool on Tuesday - good luck to them.

<u>Parent appointments</u> — a reminder to please sign up for these. There will be no clubs that first week back.

Friday – a reminder school ends next Thursday for half term. No school on Friday.



- it has been a bit chaotic at times this week. I fully appreciate the challenges with parking but please can you be considerate to other road users. Also, can I please ask again that you do not park on the top lane or the staff car park. The minibus and our disabled children need access and it is challenging for them at times to get through!

Rock Pool project - next Wednesday the people from this project will be visiting KS 2 to support our children as part of our Eco work on marine life with workshops about the different things in the environment around us.

<u>**Trips**</u> - A reminder that all consent must now be given via Parent Pay.

Bags2School Solution will be on Thursday 13th February. Please leave your bags outside the front of School by 9am on the day of collection.

- pupils have made a card for Mrs Law, if you would like to sign this or Get Well make a contribution for a gift, please call in to the office.

BEST ATTENDANCE GOES TO - SEEDLINGS & BUDS

<u>Golden Award Winners for Last Week</u> April, Stanley, Lorna, Poppy, Annabelle, Logan, Thomas, Charlie, Roan, Ted Mollie, Tom, Erin&Sonny. <u>DIARY DATES 2020</u>					
			13 th February	Last day of term - Half Term. Yr 3 cake sale	
			14 th February	School closed for staff training	
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				
22nd July	School ends for Summer at 2pm				
7 th September 2020	Return to School				