



10th July 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has certainly been another hot week and, although it has been lovely to see the sunshine, we have continued to take measures to keep everyone safe and comfortable. This has included reducing levels of physical activity, adapting PE lessons and ensuring that children have plenty of opportunities to enjoy the shade during breaktimes and lunchtimes.

It has been a jam-packed week across the school!

On Monday, Bur Oaks attended and performed at the Truro and Penwith Academy Trust Musical



Showcase at Hall for Cornwall. I know I may be biased, but I genuinely think we gave the best performance of the evening! A huge thank you once again to Mrs Hoadley and Mr Wilson for all their hard work in making this happen. Bur Oaks absolutely smashed it, and I was incredibly proud of the energy, enthusiasm and confidence they showed on stage.

Wednesday saw Seedlings head off to the Maritime Museum. What stars they were! They thoroughly enjoyed exploring the museum and took part in some fantastic workshops focused on sea rescue. One particular highlight was designing and making their own boats before testing them on the water.

On Thursday, it was Bur Oaks' turn for another trip as they visited Truro Museum to deepen their learning about the Ancient Greeks. The children enjoyed finding out more about this fascinating period of history and taking part in a range of hands-on activities.

Today, Acorns and Buds have headed to Newquay Zoo for another exciting adventure outside of school. They have enjoyed seeing all the animals, learning more about wildlife and conservation, and, of course, finding time for a well-earned ice cream!

Meanwhile, Mighty Oaks and Red Oaks have been very busy preparing for our upcoming production of Matilda. This week saw our first rehearsals in the Village Hall, and it is already shaping up to be a spectacular show!

We have quite a lot happening over the final couple of weeks of term, so please make sure you check the details below for upcoming events and important dates.

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mr Hick

End of Term

Our last day of term is Thursday 23rd July and we finish at 1pm. Please note that there is no Chatterbox on this day.

Sports Day

A reminder that our rearranged Sports Day is planned for **Monday 20th July**:

- KS2: 9:30am – 11:45am
- EYFS & KS1: 1:15pm – 3:00pm

All children should come to school wearing their PE kit. Please also ensure they bring a sun hat, have sun cream applied, and bring plenty to drink.

Children will remain the responsibility of school staff throughout the event, and we ask that spectators remain within the designated viewing areas.

Please do come along to watch, support and enjoy the day. You may wish to bring a fold-out chair or picnic rug for your comfort. Our brilliant PTA will be selling refreshments throughout the day, including a selection of cakes, teas, coffees and soft drinks.

As I am sure you will appreciate, we will need to keep a close eye on the weather forecast. If conditions are too hot or indeed too wet, it may be necessary for us to make adaptations to the event or adjust timings. Should any changes be required, we will make decisions as early as possible and communicate these with families promptly.

We look forward to seeing you there and cheering on all of our fantastic athletes!

Mighty Oaks Leavers Assembly

We would like to invite all parents and carers of our Year 6 pupils to join us for our Leavers' Assembly on Wednesday 22nd July at 2:00pm.

This will be a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our brilliant Mighty Oaks, reflect on their many achievements during their time at Chacewater School, and wish them well as they reach the end of this important chapter and prepare for the next stage of their journey.

We anticipate that the assembly will finish at approximately 2:30pm. Parents and carers are welcome to take their child home at this point rather than returning them to class for the remainder of the school day.

We look forward to sharing this special occasion with you and celebrating a fantastic group of children.

Young Oaks Open Learning Afternoon

Parents and carers of children in Young Oaks are warmly invited to our Open Learning Afternoon on Monday 13th July at 2.30pm.

This is a wonderful opportunity to spend time in the classroom, share in your child's learning, and see some of the fantastic work they have been doing.

We look forward to welcoming you.

Pirate Day – EYFS



To celebrate the end of our 'At the Beach' themed learning, Acorns Class will be holding a Pirate day on Friday 17th July.

Children are welcome to come to school dressed as pirates (or in beach-themed clothing) if they wish. Throughout the day, we will be enjoying a range of fun pirate-themed games and activities.

In the afternoon, we would like to invite parents and carers to join us to help their child decorate some pirate-themed biscuits from 2.45pm. We will also be performing a special song to celebrate all that we have learned during our topic.

We look forward to celebrating with you!

Congratulations, Miss Laskowski!

A huge congratulations to Miss Laskowski (Woodman), who has recently welcomed a beautiful baby girl, Florence, into the world.

We are all absolutely delighted for her and her family as they begin this exciting new chapter. Everyone at Chacewater School sends their love and best wishes, and we cannot wait to meet Florence properly in the near future.

Congratulations, Miss Laskowski – we are so pleased for you!

Annual Reports

We will be sending out annual reports to families on Friday 17th July.

This year, we are using a new system and reports will be sent via email to all parents and carers with parental responsibility. To ensure that you receive your child's report, please make sure that the school office has your most up-to-date contact details and email address.

We will also be sending out the results of any statutory assessments via email at the same time, including the delayed KS2 SATs results.

If any of your contact details have changed recently, please let the office team know as soon as possible so that we can update our records. Thank you for your support.

From the PTA

A **HUGE thank you** to everyone who came along and supported our **Summer Fayre** last week. The weather was on our side, and it was fantastic to see so many families enjoying the afternoon together.

A special thank you goes to all of our amazing volunteers, who gave up their time to help make the event such a success. We simply couldn't do it without you.



And finally, a huge shout out to **Mr Hick**, who proved to be a brilliant sport by spending well over his allotted time in the stocks! We know the children (and adults!) thoroughly enjoyed seeing him get soaked.

School Disco – BOOK NOW

Bookings are now open for our upcoming **School Disco on Weds 22nd July**.

Year 6 leavers attend **FREE** however a ticket must still be booked using the dedicated booking link.

All disco tickets can be booked here:

<https://www.pta-events.com/chacewaterschoolpta/index.cfm?event=shop>

Kitchen Skills Box Donation



We are delighted to share that a new Kitchen Skills Box has been donated to Chacewater Primary School by Mark Holden of The Victoria Inn, Threemilestone, as part of the Cornwall Hospitality Collective initiative.

The Kitchen Skills Box has been created to support children in developing essential life skills around healthy eating, food preparation, and cooking. It also aims to highlight the vital role that hospitality plays in Cornwall's communities and the exciting skills and career opportunities that the

industry offers.

While the kit will be based at Chacewater Primary School, it will be available for other local schools to borrow and use, ensuring that as many young people as possible can benefit from the resource.

The Kitchen Skills Box includes:

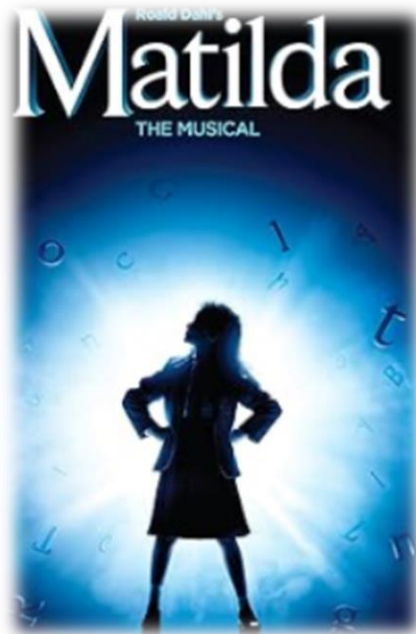
- 30 food chopping boards
- 30 vegetable knives
- 18 pairs of knife safety gloves
- 6 vegetable peelers
- 1 food temperature probe
- 12 soup spoons
- 12 forks
- 4 ladles

We hope the equipment inspires confidence in the kitchen, encourages healthy eating habits, and helps pupils discover the joy of cooking and working with food.

A huge thank you to everyone involved in making this possible.

Happy cooking!

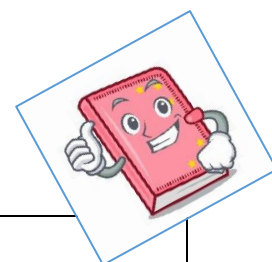
Matilda – A production by Red Oaks and Mighty Oaks!



Tickets for Matilda will go on sale on Friday at 3pm and will remain live for the first phase of sales until 9th July at midday.

- There will be a maximum of 2 tickets per performance per child in the initial phase.
- Once we have checked the ticket sales to ensure all year parents/carers have tickets on the 10th, we will release the remaining tickets and they will be available to purchase again on a first come first served basis.
- Tickets are £3 each and purchased using this link <https://www.pta-events.com/chacewaterschoolpta/index.cfm?event=shop>
- **PLEASE NOTE THE LINK WILL NOT WORK UNTIL FRIDAY 26TH JUNE AT 3PM.**





Dates For Your Diary

14.7.26	Young Oaks - Eden Trip
16.7.26	Red Oaks and Mighty Oaks Summer Show
17.7.26	Reports Out
20.7.26	Sports Day
22.7.26	Y6 Leavers Assembly
22.7.26	Leavers Disco
23.7.26	End of term - 1pm Finish

PE Days

PE days for this term are as follows:

- Acorns – Monday
- Seedlings – Monday and Friday
- Buds – Monday and Friday
- Young Oaks – Thursday and Friday
- Bur Oaks – Tuesday and Friday
- Red Oaks – **Monday & Tuesdays (please note the change)**
- Mighty Oaks – Thursday

Term Dates

Chacewater School Calendar 2025/26

September 2025						
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CORNWALL COUNCIL Working together		Together for Families	
School holidays			
Bank holidays			
Christmas Day		25	December 2025
Boxing Day		26	December 2025
New Years Day		01	January 2026
Good Friday		03	April 2026
Easter Monday		06	April 2026
May Bank Holiday		04	May 2026
Spring Bank Holiday		25	May 2026
Summer Bank Holiday		31	August 2026
Bank Holidays highlighted in pink			
Autumn Term			
1 st September – 19 th Dec 2025 (Half Term 20 th – 31 st Oct)			
Spring Term			
5 th January – 2 nd April 2026 (Half Term 16 th – 20 th Feb 2026)			
Summer Term			
20 th April – 24 th July 2026 (Half Term 25 th – 29 th May 2026)			

Chacewater School INSET Days (highlighted in **Yellow**) school closed:

- Mon 1st Sept 2025
- Mon 20th – Fri 24th Oct 2025
- Mon 26th January 2026
- Fri 24th July 2026

Term Dates 2026/27

Our term dates for the next academic year can be seen below. Please note that following consultation, all schools in our academy trust will be continuing with a two week half term in October 2026.

Chacewater School Calendar 2026/27

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CORNWALL COUNCIL Together for Families

School Holidays

Bank Holiday	Date
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New Year's Day	01 January 2027
Good Friday	26 March 2027
Easter Monday	29 March 2027
May Bank Holiday	03 May 2027
Spring Bank Holiday	31 May 2027
Summer Bank Holiday	30 August 2027

Bank Holidays highlighted in pink

Autumn Term
1st Sept – 18th Dec 2026
(Half Term 19th – 30th Oct)

Spring Term
4th Jan – 25th Mar 2027
(Half Term 26th – 9th Apr 2027)

Summer Term
12th Apr – 23rd Jul 2027
(Half Term 31st May – 4th Jun 2027)

INSET Days (highlighted in Yellow) school closed:

- **Mon 1st Sept 2026**
- **Mon 4th Jan 2027**



GOLDEN AWARD WINNERS

ACORNS	Whole class
SEEDLINGS	Amelie & Florence
BUDS	Isla & Reggie
YOUNG OAKS	Thea & Lorelei
BUR OAKS	Mia & Harvey
RED OAKS	Connor & Dylly
MIGHTY OAKS	Jackson & Harley-Jay



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51ST ANNUAL RALLY

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, AND SUNDAY | 10TH, 11TH, AND 12TH JULY 2026
HIGHER CALLESTICK FARM - PENHALLOW - TR4 9NG

CATERING & REFRESHMENTS | DAILY RING EVENTS
LIVE ENTERTAINMENT | DOG SHOW | CAR BOOT SALE | TRADE STALLS

STATIONARY ENGINE LIGHT UP ON SATURDAY NIGHT

CARS AND MOTORCYCLES



COMMERCIAL AND MILITARY VEHICLES



TRACTORS AND HORTICULTURAL



MINIATURE STEAM AND STATIONARY ENGINES



ADMISSION

FRIDAY DONATIONS

SATURDAY AND SUNDAY
ADULTS - £10
CHILDREN UP TO 16 YRS - £7
UNDER 5 YRS - FREE
OAP - £8
FAMILY 2 ADULTS AND UP TO 3 CHILDREN - £30



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Cornwall Air Ambulance
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RIDING FOR LIFE
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ICE CREAM FRIDAYS



EVERY FRIDAY UNTIL THE
END OF TERM
(WEATHER PERMITTING)



ICE POLES 50P
ICE CREAMS £1



CASH & CARD
PAYMENTS ACCEPTED

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR THIS EVENT



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Cornwall Partnership
NHS Foundation Trust



Mental Health Support Team Wild Wellbeing

This summer please join MHST and other partners for a **FREE Wild Wellbeing session at various locations across Cornwall.**

This is for parents and children aged 5-12 in Cornwall to help understand and support emotional and mental wellbeing.

Please book **EACH** child on to a session

The sessions will last approx. 2 hours and sign up will close one week before the event, or when sessions are full.

Locations and dates

All sessions begin at 10am

Tuesday 28 July - **Trengwainton Gardens**

Tuesday 28 July - **Golitha Falls**

Thursday 30 July - **The Core, St Ives Orchard**

Monday 3 August - **Tehidy Woods**

Tuesday 4 August - **Penrose Estate**

Wednesday 5 August - **Lanhydrock**

Wednesday 12 August - **Kennack Sands**

Thursday 13 August - **The Grove, Morrab Gardens**

Tuesday 18 August - **Lanhydrock**

Wednesday 19 August - **The Grove, Morrab Gardens**

Monday 24 August - **Tehidy Woods**

Tuesday 25 August - **Trengwainton Gardens**

Tuesday 25 August - **Dipping Pond**

To book a place please complete the online form or scan the QR code to sign up



<https://forms.office.com/e/XSQp0XRw5a>

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