# St Levan Primary School where all children SHINE... for life

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15th March 2024

#### **Dear Families**

Well done Choughs - 100% attendance this week!

Thank you all for coming along for this week's parent consultations. It was lovely to give feedback on your child's learning and to be able to show you the great work in their books.

The children are brightening up the playground today as most of them are wearing red to celebrate Red Nose Day!

Last Friday after school we had the first of our community lecture series - it was fascinating! Nick and Sue gave a really insightful - and funny - talk about bats. We also got to see a real live bat - and bat poo! After the talk, the children had a lovely pasta supper (thank you Vickie!) and great fun in the playground.

We are looking forward to the second lecture, which will be held next week and is open to everyone in the community. Do bring along friends, family and neighbours, for what is bound to be a really interesting talk on skulls and bones!

You still have time to read Wonder by RJ Palacio for Book Club on Monday 25th March. I hear there is also a film!

#### Stars of the Week

Choughs: Hettie - for being a kind & thoughtful friend and taking such good care of the younger members of Choughs.

Puffins: Ayana - for superb effort in all your learning and trying hard to improve even further every day - well done!

#### Attendance (YTD)

Whole school = 95%

Choughs = 92%

Puffins = 96%

#### Superhero Snacks

In DT, Choughs have been learning about the Eat Well Plate and the importance of a healthy, balanced diet. This sequence of lessons culminated in us making our own superhero snacks. This involved cutting, peeling, grating and ensuring that we followed procedures for safety and hygiene in the kitchen. A huge thank you to Tash for organising this for us.



#### Blast from the Past: Neil Armstrong

Last Friday was a super experience with Neil Armstrong visiting us and helping us learn all about the Apollo 11 mission to the moon. We constructed time lines, played games, learnt many new facts, tested how the mass of meteorites alters crater depth when they impact the moon and even launched a rocket into the air despite the extremely windy conditions looking like it might postpone the launch.

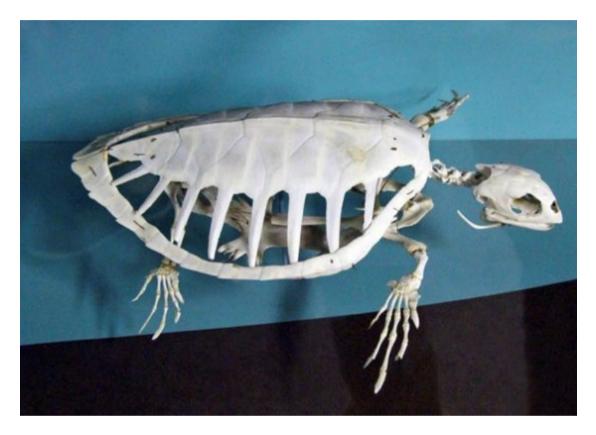
Neil Armstrong commented on how wonderfully engaged the children were and how brilliantly they managed to learn the new information.

Thank you Blast from the Past for another super day!



# **Community Event**

# A Children's Talk for over 5's, their families, friends and neighbours



# Skulls and Bones By Jonathan Kersley

St Levan School, Crean, on Friday, 22nd March 3.30pm (doors open at 3.15pm).

£3 admission including children's tea. For further information please call 01736 810486

### Love Reading?

## Come and join St Levan School Book Club!

The book this term, chosen by Beau (Year 4) is Wonder by R.J. Palacio.

We are inviting families, grandparents, neighbours and friends to read Wonder and join us at St Levan School for a discussion, cake and refreshments on **Monday**, **25th March**, **3.15pm**.

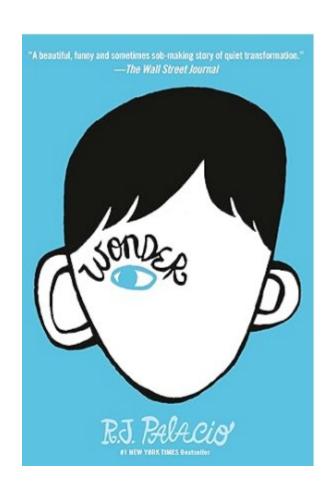
All you need to do is: read the book, have a think about it and then come and join us for tea and cake while listening (and maybe contributing) to thoughts about the book.

#### We hope the book club will:

Widen our range of reading

Help us to read more thoughtfully

Give us a lovely opportunity to meet and chat





# PLANET PK CHAMPIONS OD WIDE WEB

SAT 16 MARCH | CLORE LEARNING SPACE | 10:30 - 12:00



Learn all about the secret underground network of the Wood Wide Web and explore a variety of crafts to create a fungi installation in our learning space.

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