



9th May 2025

Dear Families

More exciting than a new head - we have a new St Levan baby!



Congratulations to Mrs Rowe and her family on the safe arrival of beautiful Emily Olive! We can't wait for Mrs Rowe to bring her in for a visit.

Also, still excitingly - we can now officially confirm that Mr Ben Chalwin will be our new Head from September. We are thrilled to be looking forward to a new head who knows our local community so well and appreciates and embodies our school values. We will of course be really sad to see Mrs Flynn leave at the end of the year and we know she will complete a cracking handover.

It was school photographs on Wednesday, the sun was shining and the children arrived looking gorgeous (as ever) - can't wait to see how they looked when the photos were taken after lunch! Will we be able to spot any messy eaters?

We are looking forward to hosting our first Little Levans session since being back at our site this afternoon. We hope we will get a good turnout of next years Reception children and their families. Little Levans is open to any under 5's and their families so please spread the word - we are always keen to welcome new faces to our wonderful school.

It is census day next Thursday (where the government collect data about schools - and determine funding). It would be great if as many children as possible have a school lunch on this day (and indeed every day). Steve will be cooking his legendary Pizza - please encourage your child to order a lunch!



### Stars of the Week

Choughs: Millie for settling in to Choughs so beautifully. Well done on a great start!

Puffins: Oscar for super positivity in your learning! Brilliant mental arithmetic in Maths.

### Attendance (Year To Date)

**93%**

Choughs = 93%

Puffins = 93%



Please join your classmates eating the delicious menu.

All prepared and cooked on the premises by Steve!

**Menu for week commencing 12<sup>th</sup> May**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Macaroni cheese (v) with vegetables</b>	<b>Chocolate cookie</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Ballotine de poulet (stuffed chicken wrapped in bacon)  Lentil cottage pie (v) with sauté potatoes, vegetables &amp; gravy</b>	<b>Shortbread</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Jacket potato with cheese and beans</b>	<b>Fruity cheesecake</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Margherita pizza (v)  CENSUS DAY - PLEASE ORDER A SCHOOL LUNCH!</b>	<b>Banana split</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Sausages with homemade hash browns, vegetables and gravy  Cheese and tomato quiche with salad (v)</b>	<b>Cupcake</b>



# Truro Diocesan Guild of Ringers (TDGR) Western District



Do you know that bellringing involves a unique mix of physical exercise and mental agility? CH does! Here he is being awarded his level 1 certificate and TDGR membership certificate. It's great to see one of our children helping to keep this fantastic tradition alive. Well done - we are very proud of you!

## PE in Choughs

Can you tell what games we're playing?





## Mental Health Support Team



We are very lucky to continue to be supported in school by **Sarah Sejahtera**, our Education Mental Health Practitioner (EMHP). She has been doing an amazing job supporting our families and has had a very busy year so far! Coming up this term will be some **group transition workshops** to support the Year Sixes' move to secondary school and the Year Twos/Threes with their move to Puffins (more news on these soon!). There are also some parent workshops starting in June to support with **Behaviour as Communication** and **Supporting Children with Worries and Anxiety**. These were shared on last week's newsletter. Please do sign up - they're a great opportunity to get some support, tips and advice quickly.

Finally, in response to last year's MHST audit, a reminder that you can find out more about mental health support and our use of evidence-based practice on the school website.

## Thank You SA!

A big thank you to SA for bringing in some amazing ruby shrimp from her fish tank for us to observe!

They were darting around when they first arrived, then spent the rest of the day hiding in the shell. These fascinating little creatures come all the way from China and belong to the *Atyidae* family of freshwater shrimp. It was tricky to get a good photo - there were many more in there, hiding somewhere!



## To Our Brilliant Year 6s!

We are so proud of the commitment, focus and resilience you've shown in the lead-up to your SATs. Whether it's working through papers, asking thoughtful questions or giving your best every single day (especially in the sunshine!) you've shown what it means to be hardworking and determined learners.

Remember: these tests are just one small part of your journey. What matters most is everything that makes you brilliant - your effort, your ideas, your sense of humour and your amazing kindness. SATs are just a chance to show off all the hard work you've put in.

Homework this weekend: relax, rest and have a lovely time.

## You've got this!

See you at breakfast club on Monday morning!



Final preparations in the sunshine.





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**Calling all under 5's and their families!**

**St Levan School invite you to come to our beautiful site and join us for storytelling, music and fun - with John Brolly!**

- **Friday 9th May**
- **Friday 23rd May**
- **Friday 6th June**
- **Friday 13th June**
- **Friday 4th July**

**Always at 1.30 - 2.45pm**

**For more information, please contact the school via phone or email.**

