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

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Dear Families

Half term already seems like a distant memory, but we have loved being back. We have been very sorry to bombard you with so many letters this week, but there are loads of lovely activities planned for the remainder of the term that we just had to tell you about!

The week got off to a creative start with both Christine Judge and John Brolly coming in on Monday to work with the Puffins in preparation for their performance in Cornish Avengers at the Minack. If you haven't already done so, buy your tickets now!

We welcomed our new Reception children this week - it was lovely to see how confident they were, and the Reception children played beautifully with them.

Thank you Bec from the Autism Team for hosting the drop-in parent café. She provided some really useful insights and information.

Thank you also to Sarah Sejahtera, our fabulous Mental Health Practitioner, for holding the first of the transition workshops - the end of the school year is careering towards us and we're doing all we can to prepare our children for the changes ahead of them.

Thank you Rachel and René for cleaning up the drive, it looks great!

Please do continue to spread the word about Little Levans - we would love to showcase our beautiful school to as many families as possible.

Next week we are looking forward to a whole school beach day on Tuesday and the Summer Fete on Friday - we are wishing for good weather for both!

Stars of the Week

The Choughlets: Isaac for your amazing ball skills in the playground! Marion for your cool confidence! Loveday for bringing in some amazing treasures to show us! All the Reception class for being so kind and gentle with the *new* little ones! Attendance (Year To Date)

94%

Choughs = 93%

Puffins = 94%

Perfect Planters



Thank you Paul and Ursula for transforming the planters over half-term!









We can't wait for Steve to use some of these delicious looking herbs in the lunches!









We would be very grateful if you are able to help with any of the following:

- Cake or bake for the cake stall please bring on the morning of the fete.
- Sandwiches/Savoury finger foods for the tea party buffet - please bring on the afternoon of the fete.
- Suitable donations for the raffle prizes, such as a nice food/drink item or good quality unwanted gifts.
- Teddies/soft toys for a Teddy Tombola



What WE Need

Jumble Sale Donations: Clothes / Shoes Books Games / Puzzles



Trip to Raftra Farm

Our recent trip to the dairy farm was a moo-velous experience! Choughs had the chance to meet adorable calves, help feed them and learn all about where milk comes from. We even got to taste delicious cheese and milkshakes made from the farm's own milk. One of our favourite bits was having a go on some of the farm's tractors, especially when we found the horn. Beep, beep! A huge thank you to Andrea for making this hands-on learning adventure possible!



The reading shed! (or MWOS) A report by ASi



MWOS (Mini World Of Stories) is the school's little library staffed by different children each day and open to everyone at break - from the teeniest Chough to the ginormous-est Puffin. It has been running since 2022 when it was named at assembly and the first ever librarians were chosen. Since then loads of new people have joined the team and they all love it!

"I really like the Reading Shed because it's very cosy and so nice on a cold day!" F.N

"It's really quiet!" R.N

"It's really nice and calm and it's like a little den!" L-B.S

"It's my happy place where I can read in silence." C.H



We are all going to be part of the process of choosing the new books for school from the Library Van and we will be starting some research, quizzes and questions to try and find what people want!



Garden Makeovers!

An intrepid team of gardeners have assembled to tidy up St. Levan's humble garden. The brambles had run riot, the greenhouse housed only weeds and the bamboo was too long: none of these problems plague us any more! All thanks to our amazing team of friends, headed up by C.H.



Before we started working on it, the garden was covered in weeds and all the plants were dying from lack of care." Our founder of the gardening team speaks. "Now we've given the garden some TLC, she's finally become the garden she was meant to be."



"We've transformed the garden into a magical place." A.L explains. "It was trash, now it's beautiful." S.B continued. B.H-G told us that "It's insane! It's changed a lot!"

They're hoping to clear all the weeds and make it an awesome place to play as they spend their lunch-breaks clearing and pruning. Go Gardening Team!



Report by AS.



Please join your classmates eating the delicious menu. All prepared and cooked on the premises by Steve!

Menu for week commencing 9th June			
Monday	Pasta Carbonara (delicious cheese & bacon!) Pasta with cheese and tomato (v) with vegetables	Shortbread	
Tuesday	Packed lunch please!		
Wednesday	Homemade sausage rolls (local Chypraze pork!) with vegetables and potato wedges Vegetable tagine with cous cous (v)	Homemade cinnamon doughnuts	
Thursday	Yummy lasagne with minced beef Lentil lasagne (v) with healthy vegetables	Homemade Danish pastry	
Friday	Jacket potato with cheese and beans (v) with cucumber sticks	Cupcake	

Important Dates

Diary Dates

2024 - 2025

Term	Summer
Event	Date
Phonics - check - year 1 start	Mon 09/06/2025
Beach day - Sennen	Tue 10/06/2025
Phonics - check - year 1 end	Fri 13/06/2025
Multiplication check - year 4 (2 weeks) end	Fri 13/06/2025
Little Levans	Fri 13/06/2025
Summer Fete	Fri 13/06/2025
Paddleboarding at Marazion - Puffins	Mon 16/06/2025
Swimming (Year 1, 2 & 3)	Tue 17/06/2025
Sports Day	Thu 19/06/2025
Royal Central School of Speech and Drama Week starts	Fri 20/06/2025
Swimming (Year 1, 2 & 3)	Tue 24/06/2025
Minack whole school visit (The Wind in the Willows) - no RCSSD	Wed 25/06/2025
Royal Central School of Speech and Drama Week end	Fri 27/06/2025
Cape Cornwall Enrichment Morning (Year 5)	Mon 30/06/2025
Swimming (Year 1, 2 & 3)	Tue 01/07/2025
Cape Cornwall Year 6 Transition Day	Tue 01/07/2025
Cape Cornwall Year 6 Transition Day	Wed 02/07/2025
Reserve Sports Day	Thu 03/07/2025
Little Levans	Fri 04/07/2025
School reports issued	Fri 04/07/2025
Swimming (Year 1, 2 & 3)	Tue 08/07/2025
Sleepover (Year 2 & 3)	Thu 10/07/2025
Cornish Avengers at the Minack (Puffins)	Mon 14/07/2025
Swimming (Year 1, 2 & 3)	Tue 15/07/2025
Whole school transition day	Wed 16/07/2025
Music festival	Fri 18/07/2025
Leavers' Assembly!	Mon 21/07/2025
Swimming (Year 1, 2 & 3)	Tue 22/07/2025
Last school day! (finish at 1.30pm)	Wed 23/07/2025
Term ends	Wed 23/07/2025

Information about Autism



