



14th November 2025

Dear Families

This week started with the whole school seeing a live performance of Grandma on the Moon at the Acorn Theatre in Penzance. The children loved it! The jellyfish and the badger on a stick seemed to delight the most... Thank you Fiona, Richard and Ausra for being extra hands on the day.

Later in the week, Rene came to our rescue to clear a blocked drain and guttering. It was a grubby job which was exacerbated by the rain - thank you Rene!

On Thursday, we held the first of our series of Miniature Monsters sessions. The Little Levans made monsters out of paper bags, googly eyes and pipe cleaners. John Brolly sang some special monster themed songs which the children joined in with. Everybody ate Sharon's cakes. A good time was had by all!

We were thrilled to take delivery of a set of balance bikes and helmets this week! Maybe we will have some equipment that will finally knock the diddy bikes off the top spot of Choughs favourite toy – we shall see!

Next week, Choughs will be working hard to finish their 'While shepherds watched their flock by night' inspired wreath.

Remember the packed lunches next week for the trips: Puffins are off to PK Porthcurno on Wednesday and Choughs are off to Lands End Airport on Thursday.

To accommodate the Puffins trip, our wonderful music teacher Rachel has rescheduled next week's Piano and Violin lessons to Wednesday 10th December. Thank you so much Rachel!

The box of donations for the Christmas Happening raffle is in the office – feel free to drop your items in at any time!

Happy weekend!

The St Levan Team

Attendance 2025/26

97%

Choughs = 98%

Puffins = 96%

Stars of the Week

Choughs: Millie for being kind and thoughtful to everyone always – the St Levan values shine through you!

Puffins: Rafi for making excellent links in maths, reading questions carefully & impressing us everyday!



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

Menu for week commencing 17th November

Monday	Pasta carbonara Macaroni cheese (v) with vegetables	Cookie
Tuesday	Chicken curry (mild) Lentil and potato dal (v) with rice and homemade naan bread	Apple and cinnamon strudel pie with ice cream
Wednesday	Cottage pie with vegetables Tomato and mozzarella lasagne (v)	Lemon sponge cake
Thursday	Swedish meatballs with rice Mini falafels in tomato sauce with pasta or rice (v)	Beetroot chocolate brownie
Friday	Jacket potato With cheese and beans (v)	Homemade chocolate eclairs with crème pâtissière

Please talk to us if you have a food allergy, intolerance or coeliac disease. We want to cater safely for everyone.



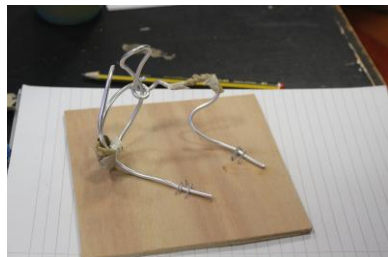
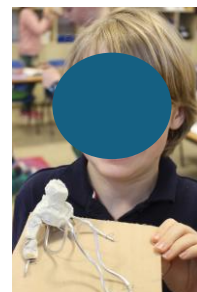
Christmas Production at The Acorn

Tickets are selling like hot cakes!
Get yours now – via the school app!



Sculptures

Puffins have been hard at work creating their own Henry Moore–inspired sculptures. They began by shaping wire armatures, then built up the forms using recycled paper and masking tape. The next stage is the messy part: covering their structures with Modroc to bring the final shapes to life!



Water, ice and steam

Choughs investigated the effects of temperature on water. We observed water turning into steam when made hot in a kettle and ice melting when it was got warm in our hands. Our challenge was to rescue our frozen duckies!



World Nursery Rhyme Week

This week, Choughs have been celebrating World Nursery Rhyme Week with lots of singing, dancing and themed activities.

The nursery rhymes we have talked about include:

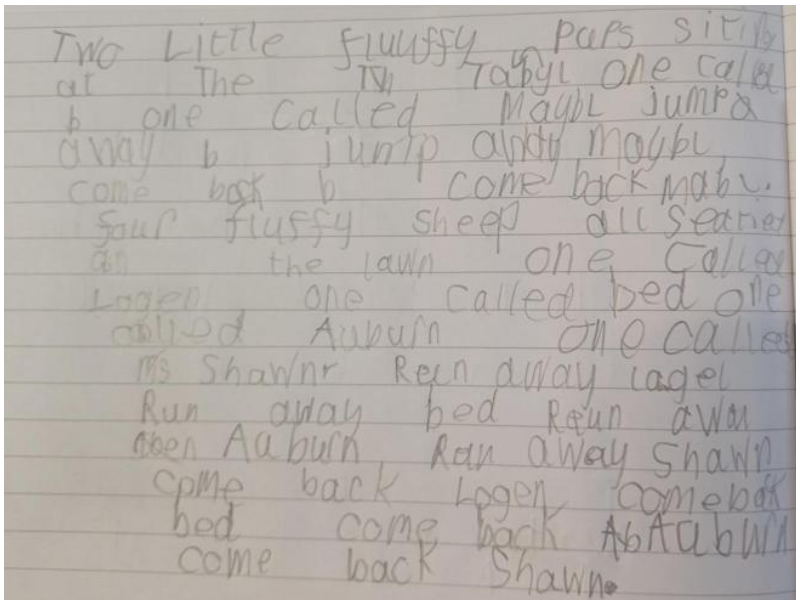


Sing a song of sixpence
Humpty Dumpty
Wheels on the Bus
Two Little Dickie Birds
I Hear Thunder

We have enjoyed singing along to the Piccolo Music versions of these rhymes, all of which you can watch at home via YouTube.



We have especially enjoyed creating our own versions of some of these.



The puppies
on the bus go
woof, woof
woof! (ML)



The ducks on
the bus go
quack, quack,
quack! (EG)



The cats on
the bus go
meow, meow,
meow! (LM)

Cauliflower Cards

Our Cauliflower card products have arrived! Thank you to everyone who purchased something - this project has raised over £60 for the school!



St Michael's Mount Festive Trail

The Islander Families from St Michael's Mount have chosen a favourite Christmas Carol to be the theme of a decorated wreath created lovingly by the children of 11 local schools. Our carol is **While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks** and the Choughs are busily making pompom sheep to decorate the St Levan wreath in this theme. We will also be learning the carol so that people can enjoy listening to it as part of the trail. Any practice you can do at home would be much appreciated!





Consultation on our Admission Arrangements for 2027-28

St Levan Primary School follow Cornwall Council guidance for setting admission arrangements, including consultation.

The consultation is now open and will run until Monday 5th January 2026.

For more information, please see our website [St Levan Primary School - Admission arrangements](#)

Please send any comments by email to secretary@st-levan.cornwall.sch.uk or in writing to St Levan Primary School, The Bottoms, St Levan, Penzance TR19 6HD c/o the Secretary.

Friends of St Levan School - Fundraising

Donations can now be made directly to the Friends Bank Account.

Open **MCAS**, go to **Store**, then select **Donation to Friends**.

This is helpful if you are short of cash at school events such as the Halloween Disco.

Friends are keen to support the development of the outdoor space – so please feel free to try out the donation page!



**Christmas
Coffee Morning
At
Trepedn Cottage
Treen**

Saturday 22nd November

10.00am – 12.00pm

£5 entry (includes hot drink and a mince pie)

In Aid Of

**St. Levan Church
Roof Appeal**

**Coffee and mince pies, Christmas gifts,
crafts, cakes, and a raffle**

Everyone will be most welcome

**Parking available at
The Logan Rock Inn Car Park**



St Levan Primary School

Miniature Monsters

Join us on the following dates for a Miniature Monster adventure.

Thursday 13th November

Thursday 20th November

Thursday 27th November



1.30pm until 3pm

John Brolly will be leading the sessions, we will be making our own miniature monsters and then using them to play, sing songs and tell stories!

We look forward to welcoming all children under 5 and their families.

Come to: St Levan Primary School, The Bottoms, St. Levan, Penzance, Cornwall, TR19 6HD

For more information, contact the school on 01736 810486 or secretary@st-levan.cornwall.sch.uk



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AGE 8-15 | EVERY TUESDAY | 4PM - 5:30PM
PENZANCE LEISURE CENTRE TR18 3DW

TO FIND OUT MORE CONTACT KELLIE WILLIAMS:

KELLIE.WILLIAMS@CORNWALLCRICKET.CO.UK / 07842 765445

Christmas Happening

Saturday 6th December
11am - 3pm

St. Levan School

TR19 6HD . 01736 810486

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Arts & Crafts Fair

Unique Gifts & seasonal delicacies

Wholesome Home Cooked Lunches

Mince Pies & midwinter music

Family Fun Children's Activities

Storytelling with **John Brolly** @ 11:45am & 2pm

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