Dear parents,

As we pause for breath going into the last week of this academic year; I'm extremely proud of the children's achievements throughout last week.

The Year 6 SATs results were released last week - every child in Year 6 achieved the expected standard for ALL subjects - Reading, Writing, Maths, Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling! This is such a monumental achievement for our children

as they embark on their next educational chapter.

Every child really did shine during the Lullaby of the Tides performance. Every child summoned the confidence to deliver part of the script to a 'sold out' audience with great gusto and precision.

Under a slither of cloud and blustery breeze, our all-inclusive sports day went ahead. The children participated in an array of events from a dressing up race to the traditional sprint races.

Lastly, on Saturday, Alfredo, our elephant brought us altogether once again at Lafrowda day. Our water feature was the talk of the parade and made it onto the Cornwall Live

website!

Thank you everyone, for your unwavering support for each of these events and all the events during this academic year. Our school is definitely a place 'where all children shine for life...'

Friday 21st July – last day of term – school finishes at 1.30pm!

Mark Francis

Head teacher

### Stars of the week

**Oliver** – for such resilience & determination on Sports Day! You showed great teamwork and sportsmanship.

Jack P – fabulous focus & speaking at Lullaby of the Tides – well done!





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> Academic year 2022 – 2023

Summer term

2022 - 2023



<u>Attendance</u>

90% Choughs

95% Puffins

94% Overall

### Dates for Your Diary (this academic year)

Tuesday 19th July - Yr 1&2 Swimming

Tuesday 19th July - Coding club

Thursday 20th July - Leavers Assembly

Thursday 20th July - Leavers Dinner

Friday 21st July – last day of term – school finishes at 1.30pm!

### Academic Year 2023 - 2024

#### **AUTUMN TERM**

(4 September - 19 December 2023)

Monday 4th September - INSET day

Tuesday 5th September – Back to school - school opens at 0815 for Breakfast Club!

Friday 8th September - Little Levans

Friday 15th September - Little Levans

Friday 15th September – Community Event – all families invited to a Ceilidh in St Buryan – starts at 6pm

Thursday 5th October – Open Day for prospective parents – please spread the word!

Friday 6th October – Little Levans

Monday 9th October – Photographer in school for individual portraits

Thursday 12th October – Open Day for prospective parents – please spread the word!

Friday 20th October – Little Levans

Monday 23rd October to Friday 27th October - half term.

Tuesday 31st October – Halloween disco.

Tuesday 7th November - Parent consultations

Thursday 9th November - Parent consultations

Friday 17th November – Children in Need day

Saturday 2nd December - Christmas Market

Thursday 7th December – School performance at the Acorn Theatre

Friday 8th December - Christmas jumper day

Wednesday 13th December - Christmas lunch.

Tuesday 19th December - Last day of term

Wednesday 20th December to Wednesday 3rd January – Christmas holiday

#### **SPRING TERM**

(4 January - 28 March 2024)

Thursday 4th January - INSET day

Friday 5th January - INSET day

Monday 8th January – Back to school.

Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February – half term

Thursday 7th March – World book day

Friday 15th March - Red nose day

Tuesday 28th March – last day of term.

Friday 29th March to Friday 12th April – Easter holiday

### **SUMMER TERM**

(15 April - 24 July 2024)

Monday 15th April – Back to school.

Friday 3rd May - INSET day

Monday 6th May – Bank holiday

Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May - half term

Tuesday 23rd July - Last school day!

Wednesday 24th July - INSET day



# **Invitation**

# **Farewell Assembly 2023**

# Thursday 20th July

Please join us to celebrate the end of the academic year and to bid a fond farewell to all in Year 6!

All children will take an active part in the event.

Please arrive for a 2pm prompt start.

## **Trip to Morrab Library**

The whole school were lucky enough to visit Morrab Library where we were welcomed by Lisa, Harriet and the dedicated team of staff and volunteers. We had an amazing time exploring the history of the local area and our school through old photographs and maps. Later, we enjoyed a story time all about a giant before there was a treasure hunt around the library, allowing us to discover lots of old treasures and some fluffy friends! Thank you so much to everyone for welcoming us to the library. We loved it!





We are also delighted to have entered the library's short story competition this week. More on this in the new academic year!

### Lullaby of the Tides – what a super evening!

On Tuesday, Puffins headed to The Minack to rehearse and then perform Lullaby of the Tides with other schools from West Penwith. There was a lot to rehearse and everyone remained extremely focussed singing, dancing and acting. We had dinner backstage and, at 6:00pm, headed out for the final performance. St Levan opened the whole show and everyone performed superbly well remembering their lines, to speak slowly and clearly and to look up so the audience could see our faces. We were extremely lucky with the weather – not too hot or too cold and we didn't have to try and squeeze our t-shirts over our coats! Thank you for another amazing opportunity to everyone at The Minack!













## St Levan School presents – a community event.....



## Ceilidh at Community House, St Buryan

# 6.00 - 8.30pm Friday 15th September

Please come along and do-si-do with Mike Pritchard and his brilliant Tinners Ceilidh Band – with a performance by the wonderful Shindig Cloggers!

Dinner will be provided by the "Friends of St Levan", the bar will not be open so please bring your own refreshments – and your dancing shoes.....

All current and past St Levan Primary School families are invited – please spread the word!