



Monday 31st October 2022

Dear parents,

Welcome back and I hope you all enjoyed the half term break with your family and friends. This time of year, we look forward to Halloween, Bonfire Night, Advent and the run up to Christmas.

At the beginning of today it was a colourful sight as all the children are looking fabulously spooky in preparation for their Halloween storytelling and disco after school.

This half term, we look forward to our Hall for Cornwall trip to see Treasure Island and Christmas Jumper day both at the beginning of December. This week, we are really looking forward to visiting St Just library for more storytelling and reading activities.

Thank you for your ongoing support!

Mr Mark Francis - Head Teacher

Attendance

Please be mindful that good attendance is vital for learning for all of our children. The national minimum expectation is set at 96%. Please help us achieve this on a daily basis and support your child's learning.

Choughs 92%

Puffins 96%

Whole school 95%

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Tuesday 1st November

- Year 3 & 4 Swimming

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Wednesday 2nd November

- Whole school trip to St Just library

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Friday 4th November

- Little Levans session 1.30pm - 2.45pm

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Shining Stars of the Week



Miss Ferguson's Star of the Week

Bertie - For always being such a kind and thoughtful friend to all and showing determination in everything you do!

Miss Finch's Stars of the Week

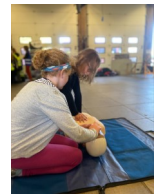
Astrid - For fabulous creativity in your incredible home learning! Your feast looked delicious!

Junior Life Skills Event

On Thursday 20th October, Year 6 visited Penzance Fire Station to take part in a Junior Life Skills Event which is held annually and comprises talks from different organisations. The event is designed to help keep young people safe and was extremely thought provoking.



The Tri-Service Safety Officers taught us about what to do if we ever found someone unconscious. We must firstly keep ourselves safe before we do anything. We then tried CPR on some resuscitation dolls. It was surprisingly challenging to do well!



A Police Officer talked to us about internet safety and why it is important that we do not access material designed for older ages.

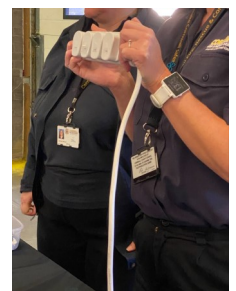
Great Western Railway gave two talks. One on staying safe around trains and the dangers if you do not follow the safety rules and another on how to purchase tickets and the consequences if you do not!



With Cornwall County Council, we learnt about where it is not safe to park a car and why. We then got to try on uniforms and issue parking tickets for cars not following the rules. When then had to try and fit everyone in the Council car!



Finally we spoke to the Fire Service where we learnt about the importance of checking smoke detectors in our homes once a month to ensure they are working properly. We also learnt about how dangerous it can be to overload extension cables and how to check we are using them safely.



As always, the children represented St Levan superbly, asked extremely important questions to ensure they fully understood what was being discussed and listened attentively to all the advice. Well done Year 6!