ST. MADDERN'S C OF E SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER—FRIDAY 28TH APRIL **HEADTEACHER: MISS H PEARCE**



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WELCOME BACK

Welcome back to the Summer Term 2017. What a lovely Easter break we had with fantastic weather. We have a very busy term lined up. Please see dates for the diary on the back of this letter.

The children have made a great start to the term – Class 1 beginning work on Animals and their Habitats and Class 2 on the Amazing Amazon.

MEET THE TEACHER

Thanks to all those parents who attended the coffee afternoons. I do hope you found them helpful.

SUPER SKILLS

On Wednesday afternoons this term we are beginning a new initiative throughout school.

Super Skills Wednesday will give children the opportunity to work in very small groups to learn new skills.

This term the children will have opportunity to cook, make a bird box, design and paint their own T-Shirt, learn origami, use new Scratch IT software and finally create structures as part of a DT project.

Our Super Skills Wednesday got off to a really good start last week – the children really enjoyed trying some new skills. This will continue through the rest of this term.

STAFF TRAINING & CLUBS

Due to staff training, Cooking, Cornish and Rounders clubs will not be starting until the week beginning Monday 8th May 2017.

CORNISH CLUB

Cornish Club will be running on Tuesday after school for the first half term. Yoga Club will be running on Tuesdays instead for the second half term.

CHESS & DANCE CLUB CANCELLED

There was a mistake on the clubs letter—there is no Chess & Dance Club this term. Board Games Club will be running on Friday as normal, and children who signed up for Dance Club are welcome.

SCHOOL BANK

The School Bank is now open every Thursday from 8.30-8.45.

CLUBS

Clubs will begin on **Tuesday 2nd May** and will finish on Friday 30th June.

HEATREE RESIDENTIAL TRIP

Thanks to all who have returned slips and deposits for the school residential trip to Heatree House. If you have not yet returned your slip and want to come please bring it in on Tuesday at the latest.

MUDDY PUDDLE WALK

The pre-school are going on a muddy puddle walk on Monday from 10am-11am. Can children wear old clothes and wellies please. Parent helpers welcome.

QUIZ NIGHT

Friday 5th May, 7pm, Forget-Me-Not Room at Landithy Hall, entry-£1, come as a team or on your own.

Aggie, Roan, Roxanne, Alexa and Kenza have all earnt their Pen Licenses this week!



HEAD TEACHERS	HEADTEACHERS AWARD	
Aggie f	or having such a positive attitude all week	
	CORE VALUES AWARD	
Lilly P for showing responsibility in the classroom		
	CLASS 1: Roan	
CLASS 2: Grace, Harry, Lucy, Rubie		
	SUPER SPELLERS:	
	Aggie, Roan, Roxanne	
	ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK:	
	CLASS 1 = 98%, CLASS 2 = 100%	
Well done to Class 2 for 100% attendance this week—keep		
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19 th May	Walk 4 wildlife event	
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23 rd May	Chris Nixon in Mazey Day Nelson	
24 th May	Maths Challenge Day 9.30-2.45 x 4 children	
25 th May	Chris Nixon in Mazey Day Nelson/PM Guitar demo Liz Sibley and Richard Collington	
26 th May	INSET	
29 th -2 nd June HALF TERM		
5th June	INSET	
12 th June	Govs monitoring week/ My money week/	
	Bikeability Year 5/6 — 9.30am-12.00	
15 th June	Residential trip children to St Levan PM	
19 th June	Bikeability Year 5/6 9.30am—12.00	
23 rd June	Trengwainton trip for Scarecrows	
22 th June	Mazey Day (All At Sea)	
26 th June	Bikeability Year 5/6 9.30-12.00/Assessment Week	
29 th June	Transition day year 6 MBA/HDS	
6 th July	Residential trip children to St Levan PM	
7 th July	Scarecrow making	
14 th July	KS2 surf day	
19-21 st July	School Residential at Heatree House	
24 th July	Leaver assembly 2pm	
25 th July	School finishes @1.30pm	
26 th July	INSET	