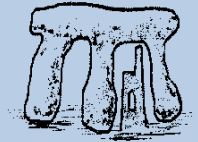


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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER
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It has been another very busy week here at St Maddern's with children participating in assessments in reading, writing and maths. I have been pleased to see the way that the children have responded to these. Not only is this one way we measure progress – it also enables all children to experience test situations – an important skill in itself for the future.

The school raised £38.20 for Comic relief last week. Thank you to all who donated money.



Over the last few weeks James and Tiehri have been working at Trewidden Gardens on an art project with a number of other schools. The sculpture that has been created is being unveiled at Trewidden Gardens on Tuesday 24th March. Do go along if you can – it will be a great event.

Next week all of year 5 children will be attending some writing workshops taking place at Humphry Davy School. This will be a great opportunity to work with local authors and practise and learn new writing skills.



There will be no clubs on the last week of term. Clubs begin again on the week beginning **20th April**.

Listed below are the school clubs for next term

Please sign up to the clubs that you would like to participate in and bring the sheet in by Friday 17th April.

Monday cooking club EH/ (5 weekly) newspaper club

Tuesday Tennis SM (12 children)

Wednesday Athletics Club HP ICT MT/KC

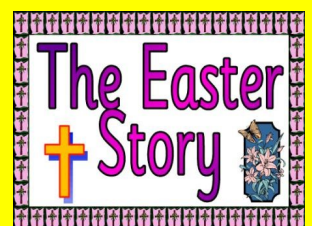
Thursday Yoga KR

Friday Lego/ICT MT/MT

Children have worked extremely hard with Mrs Judge and Mr Brolly on our Easter performance this week. Not only have they designed and made their own costumes, they have created the script and have composed songs and music to accompany the performance too. Family and friends are very welcome to come along to enjoy this on

WEDNESDAY 25th MARCH 2015 at 2pm in Madron Church

Children will be free to go home after the performance. I would politely request that if young children/toddlers are attending that they are kept with their parents at all times and removed if crying etc. The church is a very large building for children to project voices for singing and speaking in and it would be very sad if the children's performance was hindered by a noisy toddler or crying baby. Thank you for your help in this matter.



CONGRATULATIONS

I am pleased to tell you that the film *Take Your Time*, by Mr Cornick, has been selected for screening at Children's International Film Festival. Well done Mr Cornick.

Mobile Numbers

If you have changed your mobile number recently please would you give it to Mrs Prichard in the office in order that we can keep our records up to date. Many thanks.



The children really benefit from the swimming lessons that we have been able to provide this term. I am pleased to say that these will be continuing next term with Years 3 and 4 continuing to swim on a Tuesday for the 1st half of term and year 5 and 6 to swim for the 2nd half of term. KS 1 will be swimming at the same time on Friday morning.

Class 1—Would children please bring in a set of home clothes for the play by next Tuesday.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Next week we welcome Yasmin and Sowenna to St Maddern's School. They will be doing work experience here for the week and will be working in the preschool and class 1.

FOOTBALL

Cornwall College are hosting a holiday course programme on Tuesday 31 and Wednesday 1 April 2015. Please see Mrs Prichard in the office if you require further details.

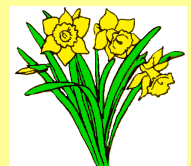
Other Notices

Saturday March 21st there is a fund raising event taking place at Marazion Community Hall between 10—3.30 pm. This is in aid of the ACE charity. There will be a rug exhibition, stalls and refreshments served. Entry is £2.00

Parenting Programme

Please see the notice board in the parents entrance regarding free courses and support for parents, carers and families in the local area.

The Spring Fayre is being held on Monday 16 May at Landithy Hall 10.30 am—1.30 pm. There will be stalls selling fish, books, DVDs and cakes. Tables are available at £10.00 each to anyone wishing to run their own stall.



Charity Quiz night in aid of fundraising for AED equipment being held at the Royal British Legion on Saturday 4 April at 8pm. Further details available from the office if anyone is interested. Flyers are being posted around Madron for people to attend and support the event.

Headteacher's Award:



Tiffany Salmon-Curtin for her focus on learning in the classroom



Star readers:

Grace Whitton, Noah Garcia-Townsend, Kayden Salmon-Curtin, Isabella Garcia-Townsend,
Harry Figg, Nathan Maquire, Josh Curry and Jowan Garcia



Super Spellers:

Harry Figg, Josh Curry, Maisie Fox, Riley Adams and Nathan Maquire



Meal time award:

Jacob Kemp for developing good table manners

Pre-School:

Harry Adams for being kind and considerate towards others in the pre-school and showing such willingness to share.

There has been a change to our final assembly for the term. This will now be on **Friday 27th March at 9.10 am**. Do come in and stay for this when you drop off your child. Tea and coffee and hot cross buns will be served after the event. Later in the day the children will be participating in an Easter Egg hunt. School will close on Friday 27th at 1 pm .

We will be having inset days on Friday 22nd May and Monday 1st June.

Dates for the Diary

23,24,25,26,27 No clubs this week

25.3.15 Easter performance at Madron Church 2pm

27.3.15 Easter assembly 9.10 am—all invited. Coffee and hot cross buns served.

This will be the last newsletter this term. I would like to wish you all a very Happy Easter and an enjoyable holiday! School returns on Monday 13th April.