



28th March 2025

Dear Families

The Puffins have been out and about this week. On Tuesday, they enjoyed their penultimate swimming lesson of the year and were assessed (very favourably) by Lizzie our lovely poolside teacher. On Thursday, a group of Puffins performed beautifully at St John's Hall as part of SongFest 2025. You will know which Puffins took part as they will be showing off their fetching special t-shirts! As if that wasn't enough, they finished off a lovely week by visiting nearby Raffra Farm. We will give you more details about SongFest and Raffra Farm next week (when we have had a chance to download all the photographs!).

Choughs have not been offsite, but they have been having lots of fun. They have been weaving lanterns and learning about how to celebrate Shabbat. Choughs attendance has been great again this week - 100%!

Don't forget that next week is the DUCK RACE! Surely we have done enough to deserve good weather this year, we shall see...

Exciting Opportunities at St Levan School

We are currently looking for a Headteacher for our wonderful school.

Application Closing Date: Thursday 21st April, 2025

More details on our website: [St Levan Primary School - Vacancies](#)

Please spread the word!

Stars of the Week

Choughs: Reggie - for fabulous focus. You worked so hard and wrote a beautiful cherry blossom poem. Well done!

Puffins: Oliver - for incredible determination and positivity whilst on camp even though you did not feel 100%.

Attendance (Year To Date)

93%

Choughs = 93%

Puffins = 93%

Primary UKMT Maths Challenge



Yesterday, members from Puffins took part in the first ever trial of the Primary UKMT Maths Challenge. Nine brave mathematicians rose to the occasion, tackling a series of demanding questions with focus, determination and impressive resilience. We were proud to see them apply their problem-solving skills so confidently and work their way through some genuinely tricky mathematical challenges. Results will follow in the coming weeks...

Here's what they all thought:

FN - It was actually not that bad! A couple were tough but most were ok.

HT- They were not *really* hard questions but they were very unusual questions.

ADV - I was surprised that they were pretty easy!

CH - It was very hard but I like hard!

SB - Some were hard; some were easy!

OG - It was really fun...but it was also really difficult!

AB - I found it really, really fun!

AL - It wasn't too hard but it wasn't too

Ukulele Time!

Puffins have been busy writing their own songs in music this week with John Brolly. Using two chords, they composed original lyrics on a wide range of themes – from songs about chocolate to a lively tribute celebrating how amazing John Brolly is! It was a joyful session full of creativity, fantastic playing and a lot of laughter!



Bleep Test!

Puffins also ALSO took on the challenge of the bleep test with Mr Hooper this week. It was energetic, exciting and definitely exhausting – but they gave it their all and had great fun pushing themselves!




Even more cherry blossom poems

Having worked their socks off writing beautiful poems full of repetition, simile, alliteration and even metaphor, the Choughs would like to share some more poetry with you, beautifully typed and presented. Our typing skills are really improving and we can add images to our work too.



Cherry Blossom

The cherry blossom was a flower opening ,
In a sunset ,
Pretty ,
Swirly swaying ,
Hooo,hooo,hooo,
Falling quietly ,
Against the moon ,
The branches twisting and twirling ,
Beautiful ,
As shiny as a ruby ,
As red as a rose ,
As white as a panda ,
Shhh, shhh, shhh ,
The blossom reaches out of the sunlight ,
The cherry blossom is a star ,
Twinkling, twinkling, twinkling ,
Whoosh, whoosh, whoosh ,
Lovely ,
The cherry blossom was laughing ,
The cherry blossom was a comet zooming through ,
A sunset ,
Happily ,
Spotty swaying ,
Lovely waving ,
As pink as a sunset swaying ,
Pointy petals ,
Beautiful ,
Falling, falling, falling.




Cherry blossom

The cherry blossom dances beautifully,
In the air, like a ballerina,
Calmly drifting,
Down,down,down,
Swaying slowly,
Draping lazily,
Lovely,
Beautifully shaking,
Shhh,
Whoosh,
Gently falling,
Pink as sun set,
As white as snow,
As white as a panda,
Ooo,
The cherry blossom beautifully dances, .
In the air,
Like a golden eagle.



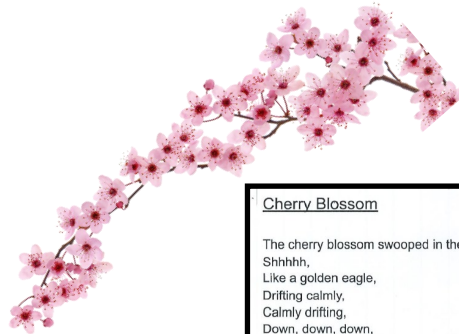

Cherry blossom

Blossom swooping,
In the are,
Like a aeroplane,
The cherry blossoms,
Was dancing,
Like a dancer,
The cherry blossoms,
Was a boat in the water,
Shoooooosh the cherry blossoms lands on the ground,
The cherry blossoms,
Beautiful,
Shhhhhh, the cherry blossom lands on a house,
FFFFFFF, the cherry blossom,
Lands on a panda,
Wwwwwwl, the cherry blossom lands on a car,
The cherry blossom,
Was white,
So white, it was snow,
The cherry blossom was,
Pink so,
Pink that it was,
Strawberry ice cream,
Scrummy,
Blossom swooping,
In the are,
Like an airplane.




Cherry Blossom

The cherry blossom was drifting calmly,
On a lilypad.
Calmly drifting down a river.
Shhh goes the river.
the cherry blossom goes down a rushing waterfall,
like an eagle swooping down.
The blossom falls off the lilypad and slowly drifts
away.
It floats away like a cuttlefish boat,
a butterfly picks it up and carries it away,
to a lake,
The blossom falls and lands in the lake.
It starts to sink!
The blossom falls down a hole in the lake,
Down, down, down
It will always stay there.




Cherry Blossom

The cherry blossom was as red as a balloon,
The cherry blossom petals went down down down in the river,
The cherry blossom was as beautiful as a bumblebee,
The cherry blossom was as red as a balloon.



Cherry Blossom

The cherry blossom swooped in the wind,
Shhhhh,
Like a golden eagle,
Drifting calmly,
Calmly drifting,
Down, down, down,
Beautiful,
The cherry blossom was a meadow,
Sparkling in the summer sunlight,
The cherry blossom was a beautiful bird,
Dancing like a dancer,
The cherry blossom was swimming,
The cherry blossom was snowing slowly,
Slowly snowing,
The cherry blossom swooped in the wind,
Shhhhh,
Like a golden eagle,
Drifting calmly,
Calmly drifting.



Diary Dates**2024 - 2025**

Term	Spring
Event	Date
Swimming (Year 5 & 6)	Tue 01/04/2025
Last day of term (finish at 1.30pm)	Fri 04/04/2025
Community duck race	Fri 04/04/2025
Term ends	Fri 04/04/2025

Term	Summer
Event	Date
Term starts	Tue 22/04/2025
Back to school	Tue 22/04/2025
CMST / Chapel Street Music event St Just (whole school)	Fri 25/04/2025
Lifeguard Visit to School	Mon 28/04/2025
Bank holiday	Mon 05/05/2025
Whole school photograph	Wed 07/05/2025
KS2 SATS week starts	Mon 12/05/2025
KS2 SATS week ends	Thu 15/05/2025
KS1 SATS week starts	Mon 19/05/2025
KS1 SATS week ends	Thu 22/05/2025
Last day before half term	Fri 23/05/2025
Half term starts	Mon 26/05/2025
Half term ends	Fri 30/05/2025
First day back after half term	Mon 02/06/2025
Multiplication check - year 4 (2 weeks) start	Mon 02/06/2025
Phonics - check - year 1 start	Mon 09/06/2025
Phonics - check - year 1 end	Fri 13/06/2025
Multiplication check - year 4 (2 weeks) end	Fri 13/06/2025
Sports Day	Thu 19/06/2025
Royal Central School of Speech and Drama Week starts	Fri 20/06/2025
Minack whole school visit (The Wind in the Willows) - no RCSSD	Wed 25/06/2025
Royal Central School of Speech and Drama Week end	Fri 27/06/2025
Cape Cornwall Enrichment Morning (Year 5)	Mon 30/06/2025
Reserve Sports Day	Thu 03/07/2025
Music festival	Fri 18/07/2025
Leavers Assembly!	Mon 21/07/2025
Last school day! (finish at 1.30pm)	Wed 23/07/2025
Term ends	Wed 23/07/2025

Diary Dates**2025 - 2026**

Term	Autumn
Event	Date
Term starts	Wed 03/09/2025
INSET day	Wed 03/09/2025
Back to school	Thu 04/09/2025
School photographs	Thu 25/09/2025
Last day before half term	Thu 23/10/2025
INSET day	Fri 24/10/2025
Half term starts	Mon 27/10/2025
Half term ends	Fri 31/10/2025
First day back after half term	Mon 03/11/2025
Christmas production at the Acorn	Thu 11/12/2025
Last day of term (finish at 1.30pm)	Fri 19/12/2025
Term ends	Fri 19/12/2025

Term	Spring
Event	Date
Term starts	Mon 05/01/2026
Back to school	Mon 05/01/2026
Last day before half term	Fri 13/02/2026
Half term starts	Mon 16/02/2026
Half term ends	Fri 20/02/2026
First day back after half term	Mon 23/02/2026
Last day of term (finish at 1.30pm)	Thu 02/04/2026
Term ends	Thu 02/04/2026

Term	Summer
Event	Date
Term starts	Mon 20/04/2026
Back to school	Mon 20/04/2026
INSET day	Fri 01/05/2026
Bank holiday	Mon 04/05/2026
Last day before half term	Fri 22/05/2026
Half term starts	Mon 25/05/2026
Half term ends	Fri 29/05/2026
First day back after half term	Mon 01/06/2026
Last day of term (finish at 1.30pm)	Tue 21/07/2026
INSET day	Wed 22/07/2026
INSET day	Thu 23/07/2026
Term ends	Thu 23/07/2026

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