



7th June 2024

Dear Families

Does anyone remember half-term? It seems so long ago already...

We have packed a lot of sport into the first week back: tennis in Porthcurno (thanks you Ellyn from PZ tennis club!), swimming in Penzance (thank you Nick!), Sports Day preparation in the playground (thank you Daisy from DT Coaching!), dance (thank you Grace from the Minack!) and this afternoon it's Multi-skills in St Just (thank you Mr Gapp from Cape Cornwall School!) - phew! They'll all be worn out for the weekend - or will they?

We had our first transition day this week for next year's Reception class - it was lovely seeing them and the rest of Choughs playing outside in the sunshine - I wonder if the weather will be so idyllic for every session...

Next week is looking like lots of fun too! We are looking forward to a whole school trip to St Michael's Mount on Monday, Choir practice on Tuesday, a Central School of Speech and Drama puppet show on Wednesday, more Sports Day practice on Thursday and the Summer Fete on Friday!

Please remember packed lunches, suntan lotion and waterproofs for your child on Monday. Please remember to come to school from 2.30pm for the Fete on Friday - you will be rewarded with cake!

St Levan Summer Fete

Friday 14th June 2.30 - 4pm

We are excitedly looking forward to the Summer Fete & Afternoon Tea Party next week!

Donations welcome:

- Cakes / bakes - bring morning of the Fete
- Savouries - bring afternoon of the Fete
- Raffle prizes / teddies - bring anytime from now

Attendance (YTD)

Whole school = 94%

Choughs = 91%

Puffins = 95%

Wellbeing

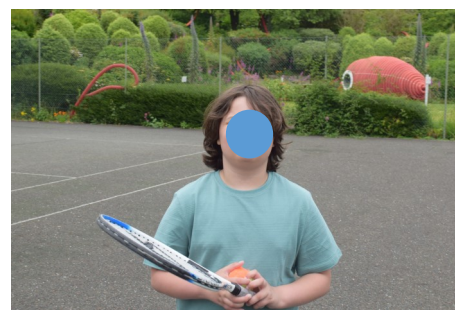
Thank you to all those who have returned the questionnaire - there is still time for those of you that haven't completed it yet!

We would welcome volunteers for the focus group on 4th July 3-4.15pm - please let us know in the office if you would like to take part.

Summer Time fun in Puffins!

Puffins have been incredibly busy! This week there has been:

- **Tennis at Porthcurno**
 - **Swimming**
 - **Capoeira**
- **Singing for Operation Kernow**
- **Sports Day PE with DT Coaching (Daisy)**
- **Dance for Operation Kernow**



Tennis

Tennis was really cool—Ellyn (our teacher) is so nice! AS

I learnt how to actually hit a ball! AL

It was amazing—there were so many different games to play! AP

Trying to hit the cones was fun! AB

PE with Daisy

She was really fun and explained things really well! SA

PE was really fun with her - it is really good we have someone to train us for Sports Day! FB

Daisy is such a fun teacher! CH

Swimming

I wore my bowser shorts - I did so much splashing including Mr Hooper! TTE

It's so much fun - you can get moving and stuff! BS

I enjoy jumping into the deep end *and* falling on my face in the deep end! JP

Singing

I have been practising the dancing at home! AD

I love doing all the lifts and I am excited about performing in front of 600 people! FN

I am so excited for the performance! RN

Parachute fun

As part of our early years transition programme, we enjoyed parachute games in the sun.



Plants

We have lovingly tended our sunflowers for the last few weeks and carefully monitored their progress with sunflower diaries. This week, we talked about what we'd learned.

"The tallest one was big because it had a large pot and the right amount of water and it was in the right place on the tray so it got a lot of sun." UY

"I do not think it was a fair test because some people's snapped and some people had smaller pots." HS

"The bigger pots store more water in their pots." FB

"Big pots worked better because they had more water, soil, space and roots." DS

"At home, I will give mine a bigger pot and water and sunshine." RTW



Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



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Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.