St Levan Primary School where all children SHINE...for life

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Dear Families

Well this is different... Or is it?

While some things feel a little different - too much sunlight in the classroom according to one Chough and Cassandra not having to run across the playground to take messages - other things are much the same, John Brolly singing the Rattlin' Bog, 99 club and never ending lost water bottles.

The move went well, we think we have found everything... and everyone managed to find us! We were thrilled to welcome our 6 new starters, 5 in Reception and 1 in Year 3!

Many thanks must go to our bus drivers, Lorna (St Just) and Oscar and George (St Levan). They have done a fantastic job getting us to school on time! It's not too late to sign up for either of the buses if you would like to.

Thank you also to the lovely staff at Heamoor School. They have made us feel very welcome.

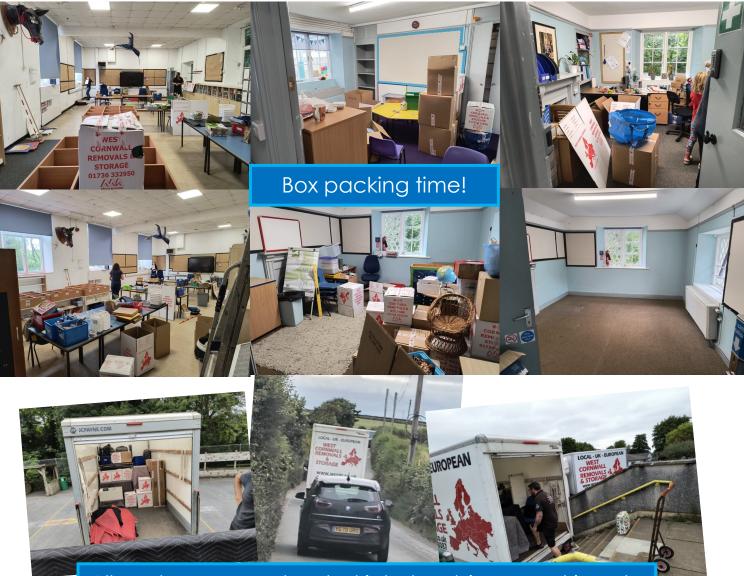
The best thing about the move is we are all together in a lovely suite of rooms. The worst thing is the kettle has broken.

Friends are already hard at work, I hear rumours of a Ceilidh and welcome supper - watch this space!

We have had a few technical issues this week so there are not too many photos - expect a bumper edition next week!

Payments	
We still haven't set up the payments for this year. It fell to the bottom of a big list of things to do. We expect the system to be up to date and working	
next week.	
	Attendance (YTD) = 96%
Stars of the Week	Choughs = 96%
Everyone for coping with the move so well!	Puffins = 95%

Moving Schools



All our boxes were loaded into two big vans, driven to Heamoor and then unloaded again.





And meanwhile... the scaffolding has gone up at St Levan and the work has begun!

Message from Mrs King!

Hello everyone,

I hope it's been a really good start to the term for you all in your new temporary home!

I just wanted to say a huge thank you to the whole wonderful St Levan School community: Thank you for the amazing (and overwhelming!) assembly at the end of last term, for the many messages, cards, gifts and kind words from children, colleagues, parents and governors. They were very much appreciated and will always be treasured. Thank you all SO much.

It's been a real privilege to be part of the unique and very special St Levan School family. I hope to see you before too long and send warmest wishes to you all.

Angela

Message from Sarah Sejahtera



Hello. My name is Sarah Sejahtera and I am your school's children's wellbeing practitioner. I work for the Mental Health Support Team (in schools), an early intervention service which is part of the Child and Adolescent Mental Health Service (CAMHS). My role is funded through the NHS. I work with children (and sometimes their parents) 1:1 to provide low intensity cognitive behavioural therapy (LI-CBT). Our aim is to get in early and support children who are feeling sad and worried by teaching them simple techniques to manage their thoughts, feeling and behaviours. We work closely with families and schools to support children. All my referrals come through the school's Mental Health Lead, Jessica Ferguson, so if you think your child may benefit from support please speak to her.

We also work in partnership with school to offer a whole school approach to positively embed wellbeing in school. An example of this is the way in which I recently worked with school to complete a mental health audit (the results will be shared with you all soon). The parents that attended the focus group for this asked to know more about the service, so in response I will have a slot once a month in the newsletter to share what I am delivering in school and to explain more about my role.