

10th May 2019 Virtue of the week— Integrity

HEAD OF SCHOOL UPDATE

As most of you will be aware next week, our year 6 children will take their SATs tests. We will try to keep this week as normal as possible with clubs and music lessons still running. We are extremely proud of all the year 6s and the way they have worked this year and wish them every success for the week. A reminder that a breakfast club will run in the hall from 8am Monday to Thursday for all Y6 children and their siblings at no cost.

Please can we ask all parents that children arrive at school on time each day between 8.30am and 8.45am to ensure registers and lunch orders can be organised in plenty of time.



On Tuesday this week, Tempest came into school to take the class photographs. A big thank you to parents and carers for ensuring all children looked extra smart for the photographs.

Also on Tuesday, year 1 attended a multisports event at Camborne Science and International Academy. Although it was a rather cold day, all the children had lots of fun taking part in a variety of activities, alongside several other local schools.

On Wednesday, we welcomed the RNLI into school to deliver an assembly on the importance of beach safety. A huge thank you to the lifeguards who attended and gave such an interesting and informative presentation.



Also on Wednesday, the whole school celebrated Plastic Free Day. The aim was to raise the awareness of how much single use disposable plastic we use in our everyday lives and then re-educate the children to make a difference in the future by researching alternatives. Year 5 investigated the amount of packaging used to send a single item and discussed a variety of posters and slogans and assessed their effectiveness at persuading the reader to make a change in their behaviour. After listening to a story and researching the facts, the children put into practice their



new skills and designed posters with effective, eye-catching slogans to inform their peers of the dangers.

GWINEAR SHOW

Well done to all those pupils who entered examples of their work at Gwinear Show on Saturday, 4th May. Many congratulations to all those who were awarded prizes - we are very proud of you all for taking part.

PARKING

Please can we remind parents and carers that when dropping off and collecting your child/ children from school, to be considerate to our local residents. Please do not block driveways or cause any obstructions.

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ATTENDANCE

Our school target for attendance is 96%.

1st Place	Year 6	97.8 %
2nd Place	Year 2	97.2 %
3rd Place	Year 3	96.4 %

SHINE AWARDS



Our next Shine Assembly is on **Friday 17th May**, at 2.40pm. Parents of the children below are warmly invited to attend.



Please come along to main reception no earlier than 2.35pm. A special well done to:

Reception	Liam	For his fantastic enthusiasm and reasoning when solving maths problems using the part-part-whole model.	
Year 1	Solomon	For showing greater independence and enthusiasm in all areas, especially in writing.	
Year 2	Orla	For her wonderful attention to detail in written and art based activities across the curriculum.	
Year 3	Annika	For showing maturity and independence when solving fraction challenges.	
Year 4	Alice	Alice has worked so hard in her times tables practice, achieving 25/25 for her MTC.	
Year 5	Alara	For her effort and determination to reach her targets and the support she gives to her peers to reach their goals.	
Year 6	Jayden	For his excellent organisation, attitude and positivity towards revision activities.	
Writer of the week	Izzie Year 4	For writing a fantastic autobiography as Juliane Koepcke, using a range of rich vocabulary.	
YR & KS1 Reader of the week	Alice Year 1	For reading with expression and having clear understanding of the story.	
KS2 Reader of the week	Ebony Year 6	For offering thoughtful contributions during our reading comprehension sessions this week.	
Mathematician of the week	Navarre Year 2	For excellent and thorough verbal and written explanations when reasoning and problem solving.	
Performer of the week	George Year R	For his resilient attitude towards his learning in PE, particularly when practising his throwing and catching skills.	
Citizen of the week	Otis Year 5	For being Mr Pascoe's right-hand man and keeping the year 5 library and classroom in such good order.	