



## School Bulletin Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024

We have enjoyed 2 weeks of swimming and tennis lessons in KS2 and welcome the support and patience you have shown with our later finishing times. I know that both classes have really enjoyed the experience and we have received lots of positive feedback from the coaches and instructors. Attendance has continued to be a focus for us with a visit from Beth Thomas (EWO). We are rightly proud of the support you give to the school and your children in ensuring they are in school and learning with their friends. Next week we have a visit from Ed Rowe (Kernow King) as well as colleagues from within the trust and the resumption of sports fixtures. Another busy one!

Have a great weekend.

**Nathan Cooper – Headteacher**



## Red Nose Day – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024

To support Red Nose Day this year we will be inviting the pupils to swap ONE item of their school uniform for something Red. For example, you might wear a red jumper rather than your school jumper or red socks instead of black or grey.

Additionally, we would like you to bring in some cupcakes or similar on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March for morning breaktime.

We would politely ask that you use the **link** (its not a payment item) below to pay a donation on Parentpay with a suggested £2 minimum.

**<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=14340>**

## Attendance: 26<sup>th</sup> February – 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024 Whole School 96.4%

For all CELT schools this attendance threshold is set at 96% in line with national attendance data.

| Ash | Beech | Sycamore | Oak   |
|-----|-------|----------|-------|
| 92% | 95.5% | 99.3%    | 96.7% |

Thank you so much for your support in ensuring your children are in school regularly and therefore making the most of their educational opportunities. Congratulations to the winners - Sycamore class!

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## Wraparound Care Questionnaire

We have been offering our wraparound care (Sunrise club and Treetops) since September and would like to gather your opinions on its use and effectiveness.

We would greatly appreciate you spending 5 – 10 minutes to complete our questionnaire, using the link below, to ensure we are providing the best possible provision for our school community:

<https://forms.office.com/e/TMUWjHJ6Y5>

**Deadline to complete is 10am on Wednesday 6th March 2024.**

Many thanks

## Wraparound Care - Treetops

Treetops have been busy over the past few days. We have enjoyed model making, sewing, crafting and playing games.

Treetops after school provision runs from 3:15pm-4:15pm and 4:15pm-5:15pm Monday -Friday.

Bookings are taken via ParentPay, for more information please contact [luxulyansecretary@lux.celtrust.org](mailto:luxulyansecretary@lux.celtrust.org)



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## Unauthorised Absence School Obligations

If your child is absent from school without authorisation, you will be committing an offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £60 if paid within 21 days or £120 if paid after this but within 28 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice may result in legal action. Absence not authorised by the school may result in a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court under Section 444(1) or Section 444(1A) of the Education Act 1996, leading to a fine of up to £2,500 and/or a custodial sentence. Cornwall Council may also apply for the costs incurred in taking the matter to Court.

## Year 6 SATS Parent/Carer Information Meeting

**Monday 11th March - 3:15pm Oak Class**

As we near the key stage 2 SATS week in May we would like to share some information about this year's assessments and our plans to prepare the pupils.

We would like to invite you to attend a brief meeting on Monday 11th March at 3:15pm in Oak class to explain what will be happening and how you can help prepare your children.

If the timing presents a barrier to you attending please message me and we will try to make alternative arrangements for you.

## PALS

This week we met for our annual AGM to vote in new trustees and make plans for future fundraising.

I am pleased to announce our trustees:

**Chair Person-** Jess B

**Vice Chair-** Mary F

**Secretary-** Michelle L

**Treasurer -** Laura K

We give thanks to Jo Tonkin who was our previous secretary and Suzy Hamilton-Ellery our previous Vice Chair we commend your hard work!

A huge well done and thank you to our small but mighty committee who recently held our Valentines disco we raised £213.

## FUTURE EVENTS

 **Springo Bingo - Saturday 23rd March time TBC**

 **Quiz night in May TBC**

We welcome all new members, come along and see what we are about! **Mary Fox**

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## Go Cornish



This week our words/phrases are:

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|--|--|
| Ash and Beech  | Oak and Sycamore                         |
| <b>bryntin</b><br>(pronounced brin-tin)<br>brilliant | <b>unnek</b><br>(pronounced innek)<br>11 |

Our staff phrase of the month for March is:

**Onan, dew, tri – lagasow warnav vy**  
(pronounced onan, dow, tree, la-ga-sew wah-nav vee)  
1, 2, 3 – eyes on me

**Oll an gwella/All the best**  
**Kryw Kernewek**

## Parking on the Grass Verge

Please can we ask that the grass verge opposite the school playground is not used as a parking space as the grass is being damaged by cars parking on it at school opening and finish times.

Many thanks

## Congratulations to our Celebration Award Winners

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| <b>Ash</b>             | <b>Star of the week – Amber H</b><br><b>Superstar Learner – Harry V</b>     |
| <b>Beech</b>           | <b>Star of the week – Jack V</b><br><b>Superstar Learner – Zach P</b>       |
| <b>Oak</b>             | <b>Star of the week – Lucas W</b><br><b>Superstar Learner – Alex T</b>      |
| <b>Oak (last week)</b> | <b>Star of the week – Isabelle C</b><br><b>Superstar Learner – Jayden M</b> |

## Early Finish on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024

The last day of Spring term will be an early finish – 1.30pm

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## Parental Consultations for Ash Class

Parental Consultations for Ash Class will be held on Tuesday 19th March 2024

Please use the link below to book a 10 minute appointment with Miss Allison to discuss your child's progress.

You can select a first and second choice time.

<https://forms.office.com/e/EmHcmT7xYL>

The deadline for completing this form is Tuesday 5th March. After this time, please email Miss Allison direct on: [rallison@lux.celtrust.org](mailto:rallison@lux.celtrust.org)

Miss Allison will let you know the time of your appointment slot by Tuesday 12th March via Class Dojo.

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If you have a passion for swimming, are 8 yrs+ and want to join St Austell ASC please visit our webpage for more information. <https://www.staustellswimming.co.uk/>



Depending on your current level of swimming and capability, an assessment will be arranged. If successful and we have space, this will be followed by a free trial session. It is important to note that as a competitive swimming club, we work on technique and stamina to help swimmers prepare (and bring out their best) in competitions. Swimmers joining us need to be able to competently (without stopping) swim 25m in the three main strokes – front crawl, back and breast stroke. You can also trial for our [Junior water polo team](#).

We also offer a masters session for those adults who want to train with a club.

If you are interested in joining St Austell ASC, please contact us using the information below.

<https://www.staustellswimming.co.uk/join-us/> or via our membership secretary

Juliette Smith (Membership Secretary): [membershipsecretary@staustellswimming.co.uk](mailto:membershipsecretary@staustellswimming.co.uk)

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## Dates for you Diary 2024

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| 8 <sup>th</sup> January   | 1 <sup>st</sup> Day of Spring Term   |
| Week commencing 15 <sup>th</sup> January  | School Clubs start   |
| 17 <sup>th</sup> January  | Parent/Carer Forum   |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> January  | Cross Country Race 2   |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> January  | Keystage 2 Residential Trips Meeting   |
| 24 <sup>th</sup> January  | Stay Safe Workshops  |
| Week commencing 29 <sup>th</sup> January  | KS1 Mock SATS  |
| 29 <sup>th</sup> January  | Y1 – Y4 – Dodgeball Festival   |
| 30 <sup>th</sup> January  | Luxulyan V Bugle HOME  |
| 2 <sup>nd</sup> February  | Cross Country Race 3   |
| Week commencing 5 <sup>th</sup> February  | Children's Mental Health Week  |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> February  | Year 5 – Year 6 Dodgeball Festival   |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> February  | Breakfast morning with the SendCo  |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> February  | Ash Class – Vision Screening   |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> February  | Valentine's Disco – Whole School   |
| Week beginning 12 <sup>th</sup> February  | February Half Term   |
| Week commencing 19 <sup>th</sup> February   | Swimming and Tennis Oak Class  |
| Week commencing 26 <sup>th</sup> February   | Swimming and Tennis Sycamore Class   |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> February   | KS1 Cross Country at Poltair School  |
| 29 <sup>th</sup> February   | Worry Workshop-Mental Health Support Team 3.15pm-4.15pm in the school hall - Childcare available   |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> March  | Sycamore Class – St Pirans day trip Bodmin<br>Pre-ordered Pasties/Jacket Potato for lunch in school<br>Treverbyn v Luxulyan Fixture AWAY |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> March   | World Book Day – Dress up a Potato   |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> March  | Year 6 SATS Parent/Carer Meeting 3.15pm Oak Class  |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> March  | Red Nose Day   |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> March  | Ash Class Parental Consultations   |
| 22 <sup>nd</sup> March  | Oak Class MFL day at Penrice Academy   |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> March  | Weight and Height Check – Ash Class and Year 6   |
| 28 <sup>th</sup> March  | Last day of term – Early finish 1.30pm   |
| 29 <sup>th</sup> March to 12 <sup>th</sup> April  | Easter Holidays  |
| 15 <sup>th</sup> April  | First Day of Summer Term   |
| 16 <sup>th</sup> April  | Lifeguards Assembly  |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> May   | May Bank Holiday   |
| Week commencing 27 <sup>th</sup> May  | May Half Term  |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> June  | Community Cohesion Day (school closed)   |
| 11 <sup>th</sup> June – 13 <sup>th</sup> June   | Oak Class London Residential Trip  |
| 19 <sup>th</sup> June – 21 <sup>st</sup> June   | Sycamore Class Porthpean Residential Trip  |
| 27 <sup>th</sup> June   | Year 2 Canna Farm Residential Trip   |
| 26 <sup>th</sup> July   | Last day of Summer Term  |