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A friend loves at all times

Proverbs 17:17

This week's value: **Friendship**

Dear parents and carers,

This week in school our value has been friendship and we have explored the importance of having good friends as well as how to be a good friend. In Collective Worship on Monday, we thought about how popularity is like the weather: it's always changing. One day, it's sunny, but then dark clouds appear and before you know it, it's raining. One day, we are everyone's friend, but the next day, we might be ignored by the same people. Year 6 children helped me to share the times when Jesus was on earth, and how he went through times when he was popular and times when people turned against him. As a school we reflected on how God loves each of us all the time and that God is always close to us.

On Friday evening last week Year 2 children spent the night sleeping with the sharks at the aquarium in Plymouth. They said that they had the most amazing time and the photos most certainly show this. Thank you to all the staff that looked after them.

This week we have been preparing for our trip to the Royal Cornwall Show on the 8th of June. The children in Year 5 have created a beautiful royal sash. KS1 have made some amazing collages out of natural materials depicting a royal castle. The children in Year 3 have created a royal crown fit for a new king, and in Year 4 and 6 they have started to prepare their plants for display.

We have also handed out the parts for the school production of 'Joseph and his Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat'. The children have started to learn the songs and are already sounding amazing. We are very excited about the production and cannot wait to share it with you.

I hope that you have a wonderful half-term break and we look forward to seeing you on the 5th June.

Mrs Fletcher

Dates for your diary

Thursday 8th June

Royal Cornwall Show – KS2

Friday 16th June

KS1 Rock pooling Trip

Wednesday 28th June

Sports Day

No After School Club following Sports Day due to meeting for all staff, all children finish at 3.15pm

Bag to School Collection (more information to follow)

Wednesday 5th and Thursday 6th July

KS2 Production – 5.30pm
Saltash Community School

Thursday 13th July

Tea and Talk – 2.45-3.15pm

Wednesday 19th July

Leavers' Service

Friday 21st July

Last day of term – no clubs, all children finish at 3.15pm

A few parents have raised concerns about the number of large dogs in the carpark at the end of the day, some children have expressed feeling nervous around the dogs. If you bring your dog with you at drop-off/collection, could you please remain by the grass verge near the minibus. We would very much appreciate your assistance with this.

Thankyou



Achievement Awards

This week's achievement award has to go to all of Reception class for their amazing writing. They have all tried so hard to get Bagel back by making traps and writing their posters. Well done Reception class, we are very proud of you.

This week's achiever award goes to Rosina in Year 1, who has done some fantastic independent writing about the King with imaginative ideas and super sentences. She also continues to work hard in all her subjects and be a caring friend to all her classmates. Well done Rosina for being a fabulous Year 1 role model.

Sviat in Year 2 has been a superstar since joining our class. We are so proud of him and know that he will carry on being amazing. Well done Sviat.

Jacob S in Year 3 for his continued good efforts in times tables. Keep it up Jacob.

This week Jack in Year 4 has been a superstar with his learning. He has worked hard, always tried his best and really worked hard to carry out all instructions with thought and care. Well done Jack.

Jacob S in Year 5 has shown lots of perseverance towards his maths and we are very proud of how well he is doing with fractions, decimals and percentages.

The Head's Award goes to Izzy in Year 6 this week. Not only is she working extremely hard, she is an absolute star during break times, ensuring everyone feels included and has a friend to spend time with. You are amazing Izzy 😊

Value Awards

Lilly in Reception Class deserves the value of friendship. She is naturally caring and loving to all and is a super friend to everyone. Keep it up Lilly!

The friendship award goes to Millie in Year 1 who is a kind and caring friend. She helps others when they fall over, makes sure children are included in games and makes everyone smile and laugh. Well done Millie.

Beau T in Year 2 is a great friend to others in the class and he makes up some really imaginative games. Well done Beau!

Filoumeni in Year 3 is a great example of the phrase 'to have a friend, you need to be a friend,' she truly is a friend for others to cherish.

Harrison in Year 4 is a very kind and considerate young man who is friendly to others. If someone needs a little support or friendship - Harrison is there. Well done.

Poppy in Year 5 is a friendly member of our class. She shows the true value of friendship to her classmates by playing fairly, being there for others and including and showing friendliness to all of her classmates.

The value award for friendship goes to Evie in Year 6. After hearing that some friends were feeling a little lonely during break, she offered to spend time with them even though she helps with the animal care so doesn't get that much down time herself. Giving your time is a lovely way to show you are a true friend Evie, thank you 😊

Sports Report

Hard luck to our Boys Football team who lost their final League match of the season, 2-3 against a very strong Carbeile side. This means that if Carbeile lose one of their 2 remaining games, we will be joint league winners with Carbeile. This completes an extraordinary season for the team which includes: ESFA Cornwall County Champions, Arena League Champions, CSFA County Cup Runners Up, SE Cornwall League 1st or 2nd, Rosewarne Cup Semi Finalists, Diamond Shield Semi Finalists.

This week in school we have...

After the most amazing sleepover with the sharks, Year 2 have had another busy week. They spent time thinking about Africa and writing questions for some African children. They also completed their RE project about how to show our faith by planning and then having a café in Year 2. They decided to raise money for the foodbank and raised an amazing £79.45. The children loved being waiters and waitresses! They used all of their maths and literacy skills to create everything they needed and to count the money.

This week Year 6 have been learning about the circulatory system. They have learnt how blood is pumped around the body and how exercise affects heart rate. They have also been learning about how to be healthy for our bodies and mental health. They have started their new English book: *The Journey*, which looks at the plight of refugees and how important it is to have a home which is safe.

This week Year 4 have been busy getting their exhibit ready for the RCS. We have been planting out our seedlings in recycled plastic bottles to make our edible bottle garden. In our PSHE lessons we have been looking at relationships and different scenarios involving problems in friendships and how we might resolve these. The discussions the children had were excellent.

This week Year 1 have been finding out about Sir Francis Drake in history and exploring the school field using a compass. They have also been learning about what makes a good friend in PSHE and enjoying some outdoor sports games with Mr Brown.

This week Year 3 have been creating a crown for the Royal Cornwall Show, continuing our work around money in Maths and making pin wheels to celebrate Pentecost.

This week Reception class discovered their classroom had been ransacked by the Highway Rat! He left a mess, threw toys everywhere and stole Bagel, our class teddy bear. The children had to write wanted posters and set traps to try and get him back. Luckily the rat apologised with a delivery of cake!

In English, Year 5 are enjoying writing the adventure story *Gorilla* by Anthony Brown. This week they have been including adjectives, similes and onomatopoeia in their writing. In Maths, we have finished exploring fractions, percentages and decimals and have explored creating graphs outside ready for next term. During PSHE we discussed having a healthy relationship with technology and ways to stay safe and happy online. In art, the children have explored watercolours and created self-portraits. During RE, a question to investigate was 'What do Sikhs believe about God?' Finally in Geography, they investigated trade and what the main exports are in the different countries of South America.

Photo Gallery

Year 4



Reception



Year 3



Year 2



Year 1



Year 5



Year 6

