



Bishop Cornish CEVA Primary School

To inspire through faith and love, that all may flourish

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Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonour others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

1 Corinthians 13:4-7

This half term's value: **Friendship**

Dear Parents and Carers,

A busy week at Bishop Cornish! Monday morning began with a presentation from Chris about the Chance to Shine Cricket Charity. After the presentation, the children had the opportunity to participate in a range of activities. Thomas in Year 4 said 'We had a lovely time. It was full of fun activities that we all could enjoy playing as a class and as teams.' Isabella followed on to say 'We were able to have so much fun in small steps to help us with the different cricket skills.' Thank you to Chris for a great day.

Also this week, our after school clubs began. The children enjoyed Cooking club, Let's Play, Drama, Lego, Arts and Crafts, British Sign Language, Netball, Games, Multi Skills and Cross Country. It was wonderful to see so many children having fun at the amazing range of extracurricular clubs on offer.

On Thursday afternoon we began our rehearsals for Young Voices. We are giving children in Year's 4, 5 and 6 the opportunity to go to Birmingham to join in with the concert. For over 29 years, Young Voices has been at the forefront in delivering an extraordinary concert experience for primary school children and this is why it isn't just any children's choir concert; it's the largest children's choir concert in the world! We very much hope that as many children as possible will join us.

To ensure that our children are given the best experiences possible both in and outside the classroom, we are looking at expanding our offer of days out and residential. We recognise that this may cause parents and carers concerns over the cost, please do not hesitate to let us know if this is a worry. There are ways in which we can support. We want your children to have the best possible time at Bishop Cornish.

Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs Tracey Fletcher

Dates for Diary

Tuesday 24th September
RNLI visiting Reception Class

Wednesday 25th September
Cornwall Air Ambulance visiting Reception Class
Opening Evening for Intake 2025

Friday 27th September
Open Morning – Intake 2025

Tuesday 1st/ Wednesday 2nd October
Parent Consultations 3.30pm

Friday 4th October
Nasal Flu Vaccinations for whole school

Tuesday 8th October
Heatree Residential Y5 Parent Meeting 3.30pm

Wednesday 9th October
Harvest Festival 1.45pm
St. Stephen's Church

Thursday 10th October
Phonics Parent Meetings 2.30pm and 7.30pm (online)

Friday 18th October
Swimming starts for Year 6

Friday 25th October
INSET Day



Achievement Awards

Romily in Reception Class for the most fantastic work in phonics and working really hard on your letter formation. Well done Romily!

Fred in Year 1 for his excellent efforts both in lessons and with his homework.

Beau in Year 2 has been amazing with his writing this week. He has remembered everything and made super progress. Beau was also very brave when a wasp flew into our classroom and stung him!

Oscar in Year 3 who has done some lovely writing this week in Literacy, using imaginative vocabulary and with beautiful handwriting. Well done Oscar.

Rosie S in Year 4 for being a superstar within all her lessons this week. Rosie has been enthusiastic in all her learning and is always eager to show off her learning and contribute to class discussions. Keep it up!

Teddy in Year 5 has worked really hard in his writing this week, thinking very carefully about the vocabulary he chooses. He has written an excellent piece of writing about the anatomy of a hexapod.

The Head's Award goes to the whole of Year 6. They were utterly amazing last week and they should be proud of their resilience and courage. They tried challenges out of their comfort zones and were supportive and encouraging of each other. They are great friends which is our Value this term.

Value Awards

Ada in Reception Class for being so kind and thoughtful to everyone in the class and always trying to help your friends. Well done Ada!

Elena in Year 1 for helping a friend do her buttons for her during P.E.

Isabel in Year 2 is a wonderful friend to others and really shows the qualities of a true friend.

Rosina in Year 3 who is a kind and loyal friend to her classmates. What a great role model you are Rosina.

Thomas in Year 4 for being a truly amazing friend and polite young man who always seeks ways to support his peers in the classroom and in supporting Mr Matthews around the class to help him settle in. Thank you!

Elsie in Year 5 has been a really good friend this week. She always thinks of others and when a friend had something which had broken, Elsie offered to share hers. Well done.

The Award for our Value of Friends also has to go to the class this week for supporting each other at Heatree. They cared for each other and were just so kind, particularly for some who missed home. They worked as a team and built even stronger friendships which will last for a long time into the future. 😊

Sports Report

On Wednesday our Girls and Boys Football teams played against St Stephens in friendly matches. The boys secured an excellent 1-1 draw against a very strong side and the girls, also playing against the boys to provide quality opposition for their upcoming Cornwall County Finals, played superbly, holding St Stephens to 1-1 until the final five minutes before conceding a couple of goals. The girls then played our boys year 5 team in a practice match yesterday lunchtime, winning 4-0. Well done to all of the children on an excellent start to the season.

This week in school we have...

Year 5 have had a super week learning about the geography of Greece, finding out about the different countries in Europe and looking in detail at our solar system and the planets in it. We have seen some super homework coming in: intergalactic jelly, many space themed cakes and biscuits (even made with Galaxy, Milky Way and milk chocolate), pictures and fabulous board games. Well done Year 5.

This week Year 6 have been incredible learners this week. After a tiring week at Heatree, they have excelled with the eagerness to learn. They have been learning numbers to 10,000,000, partitioning, rounding and ordering numbers. In English they have started their work around the book 'Rose Blanch', a story set in Germany during WWII. This links with their history topic WWII, looking at why the war started and how life changed for evacuees and for families at home. In RE, they have been using our lovely new Bibles and learning how to navigate their way around them. Keep up the good work Year 6.

Reception Class have been busy this week exploring all of our emotions with the colour monster and working out how we are feeling and how our emotions change throughout the day and how it is ok to feel our emotions and how we can deal with them.

In Year 4 this week, the children have been busy investigating the fascinating world of gases in fizzy drinks during Science, sparking curiosity and some bubbly fun. In English, we've continued to share some truly amazing writing inspired by *The Lost Thing*, showcasing the creativity and imagination of our young writers. We've also explored the concept of democracy, discussing how it's used within our school and across the country, helping the children understand the importance of having a voice and making decisions together. Well done, Year 4! Keep up the fantastic work!

This week Year 3 have been reading a non-fiction book about fossils, linking in with our class topic about the Stone Age. They have also been creating Gamalan rhythms in music, inspired by stormy seas, as well as doing some outdoor learning exploring the new water pump in the woods.

This week Year 2 have had a great week with highlights being cricket and ice-cream! They have done some super writing and are doing really well with their use of adjectives in a sentence. In maths they have been partitioning numbers carefully and learning some more about tens and ones. They drew some super cartoon strips in RE and are very good at talking about the story of Matthew the tax collector.

In Year 1 this week we have written our own version of Dear Zoo and started to remember the story of Little Red Riding Hood. We have thought about the reasons Grace Darling made her heroic rescues. We also wrote some words to describe the creator of the world.

Photo Gallery

Year 5



Year 2



Year 3



Reception



Year 1



Year 4



Year 6

