

Bishop Cornish CEVA Primary School **To inspire through faith and love, that all may flourish** Issue 31: Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025 Phone: 01752 845463 Headteacher: Mrs Tracey Fletcher Safeguarding Team: Tracey Fletcher (Headteacher and Designated Safeguarding Lead)

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"Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love." **Ephesians 4:2** 

This half term's value:

## Respect

**Dear Parents and Carers** 

This term seems to have passed very quickly and we have squeezed so much in! We have introduced our value of respect and made sure that we know what that looks like both in and outside of school.

Children from across the school have represented the school in a number of sports fixtures and done extremely well. The children in Year 6 have sat the Statutory Assessments. They were an absolute credit to the school in their positive attitude. We are very proud of each and every one of them. They have now started their Entrepreneur Project. Keep your eyes peeled for the extravaganza!

The Year 2 children began their Secret agent Training as well as having a night away at the aquarium in Plymouth. They had a whale of a time ③. In addition the whole school went to see Chitty Chitty Bang Bang at the Theatre Royal.

And finally, to end the term we have held auditions for the school performance of Madagascar and the children have been give their parts.

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Everyone deserves a well-earned rest.

Have a great half-term break.

Mrs Fletcher

Dates for the Diary

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May** Half Term

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June** Year 3 Trip to Truro Year 4 Trip to Falmouth

Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> June No After School Club – whole school staff meeting

**Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June** Tempest Sports Team photos

Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June Sports Day

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> July Bag2School collection

**Friday 11<sup>th</sup> July** KS1 Beach Trip

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July KS2 Production of Madagascar

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July Leavers' Service, 1.45pm

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July** Year 6 Leavers' Assembly Year 6 End of Year Trip

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July** Last day of term for children (Non-pupil days 21-23<sup>rd</sup> July)









Achievement Awards	Value Awards
Oliver in Reception Class for using some	Bellamy in Reception Class for always being
amazing vocabulary in his writing!	respectful to his grown-ups and his friends by
	always offering a helping hand when they are in
Hallie in Year 1 produces wonderful results - she	need.
has such potential, keep it up Hallie!	
	Hope in Year 1 is showing the value of respect
All of Year 2 for being absolutely amazing at the	in our classroom and she is blooming, keep it
aquarium. They were all so polite and well	up Hope!
behaved and we were super proud of them.	
Benji in Year 3 who did some excellent problem	Sammy in Year 2 for always showing respect to others and treating everything with respect.
solving with money for our Maths market	Sammy you are a pleasure to have in the class.
morning. He participated with all of the activities	Summy you are a preasure to have in the class.
very well and used his mental maths, working to	Elliott in Year 3 who is mature and polite and is
a budget and calculating different amounts.	very good at respecting different opinions and
Well done Benji.	view points in class discussions. Well done
	Elliott.
Tobi in Year 4 has shown incredible focus,	
determination, and a fantastic attitude towards	Martha in Year 4 for always showing
his learning across all subjects. keep up the	consideration and excellent manners towards
amazing work!	both classmates and adults in all that she does
Theo in Year 5 has been working really hard on	around the school.
his writing for all of this term. He has been really	Isla in Year 5 is well-mannered and shows
trying to apply all of our fantastic features which	respect to everyone and everything. She treats
we have been learning this term in his final piece	others as she wishes to be treated and also
of work.	treats our school pets with the love, care and
	respect they deserve.
Casey in Year 6 has shown a mature attitude	
this term towards all his earning. His	Daniel in Year 6 for always doing the right thing
determination in SATs even though he found	and being respectful towards others when
things tricky was outstanding. Well done Casey.	working in a group.

## KS2 Production of Madagascar

Monday 14<sup>th</sup> July And Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July

Saltash Community School



## This week in school we have...

This week Year 6 have started their business plans to raise money for their end of year trip. They have started by deciding on their product writing letters and presenting their business plan to Mrs Fletcher to encourage her to invest. They have really taken on board costings, marketing and have researched people's opinions on flavours, colours etc to ensure their product will be popular.

This week in Reception class, we have been learning all about the Gruffalo's Child and looked at our terrible creatures that we made last week. We discussed and wrote how this would make the Gruffalo's child feel and have begun to bring our creatures to life by making them out of clay! In RE, we have finished our learning about special places and were able to identify different parts or areas of places of worship. We have been practising more of our digraphs in phonics and in maths we have learnt about the concept of sharing and halving.

This week in Year 1 we have been writing our own version of Grandad's Island, learning about deciduous and evergreen trees and being historians and finding evidence in pictures of what people did at the seaside over 100 years ago. This week in Year 4, we've had a busy and exciting time of learning! We've been exploring time – learning all about years, months, weeks, and days, as well as understanding how hours, minutes, and seconds work. In preparation for writing our own newspaper articles, we have been identifying the key features of a newspaper. We looked at headlines, introductory paragraphs, and how to write in a formal, informative tone. Our science lessons have been all about electricity! We've been investigating how switches work in electrical circuits and experimenting with how they control the flow of electricity.

This week in Year 2 we have been working super hard on writing stories about the duck who was afraid of the water. The children have done an amazing job and we are super proud of them. In maths we have worked hard on fractions and equivalence. We had a super Monday afternoon in RE making collage of when Mohammed received the stories from the Quran and then went on later in the week to use our artistic skills again designing our own safari park maps in geography.

Year 3 have had a really interesting week! In History and Geography, they learnt about Cornish smugglers and the infamous 'wreckers', exploring the reasons why smuggling was so widespread in Cornwall and some of the secrets of how goods were hidden and transported. They had a fantastic time in Maths, setting up an outdoor market to practise their money skills, finding change, making amounts and spending within a budget of £5. We were very impressed with how they applied the mathematical skills that they had been learning in the classroom. In Art they had a super messy and creative time painting seascapes with just their hands (no brushes), with fantastic results!

Year Five have had another super week. In our RE learning, we have been discussing the Ten Commandments and what these mean to Christians. We held a debate on the topic 'Are the 1st 3 Commandments the greatest?' We really enjoyed our music lesson this week exploring the timbre of different percussion instruments, improvising as part of a group and playing short melodies on tuned percussion. To finish our writing unit, the children have completed excellent stories of their own.

