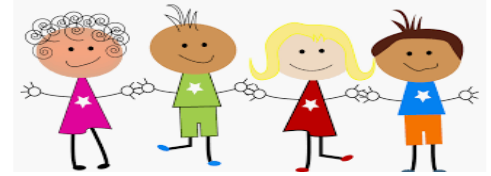




Newsletter



26th November 2021

Headteacher Awards

- Reception Class:** Brooke for using her handwriting skills everywhere in provision this week and the fantastic Rangoli pattern that she created outside using chalk.
Flora for her knowledge and use of vocabulary this week whilst learning all about Diwali.
Khloe for fully immersing herself in our new topic and enjoying learning new things.
- Year 1:** Benjamin for recall of amazing facts about a walrus in English. Bailey for brilliant communication and answering of questions in guided reading.
- Year 2:** Valentino for working hard and persevering in PE. Lola for working really hard on her English poem and improving her handwriting.
- Year 3:** Headteacher awards go to Harry D and Zak. Zak is making fantastic progress with his reading and moving through his ZPD. He is regularly getting 100% in his AR quizzes. Well done Zak, keep it up!
Harry D is a great member of Year 3 and is always making the right choices in his learning and in his behaviour. He has a very focussed learning attitude in all areas which is good self-regulating behaviour. He is kind and caring towards all his peers. He is a superb role model for all the other children in the class. Mrs Campbell is very proud of you Harry.
- Year 4:** Cory for being a good friend and trying really hard to concentrate in all of his lessons. Max J for his amazing lenticular picture in art and his amazing sketches of the Titanic at home.
- Year 5:** Whole class award for their behaviour and attitude on their visit to The Box Museum in Plymouth.
- Year 6:** Whole class award for having a great day in Lyme Regis and for answering lots of interesting questions. Imogen for improving her attitude to learning and producing some fabulous quality work.

Golden Tickets

- Reception:** Jasper for fantastic yoga.
- Year 1:** Arwen for super work in phonics.
- Year 2:** Lucy for great work in maths.
- Year 3:** Harrison for trying to sit letters on a line.
- Year 4:** Max A for a beautiful colouring of Titanic.
- Year 5:** Jack for including commas in a list and modal verbs.
- Year 6:** Jack B for 100% on an AR quiz.



Menu Change

There has been a menu change on 15th December 2021 on Parent Pay for our Christmas dinner day. Please note that if you have ordered for the term, the original meal will be voided and you will have to select the meal again.

There is a choice of Turkey or Quorn Roast, Christmas pudding or Festive biscuit. Please make sure you order one of each course.

For KS1 and FSM children, there is no charge. Otherwise it is the usual charge of £2.30.

Please pre order your child’s Christmas meal no later than 8th December.



Thank you so much to all of the parents of Y3-Y6 who have registered with AR Home Connect. This means you can track your child's reading habits and quiz scores, giving you direct feedback on their achievements. I know many of the children have been thrilled to have incentives from home in order to quiz more or to reach a certain goal – thank you for your support!

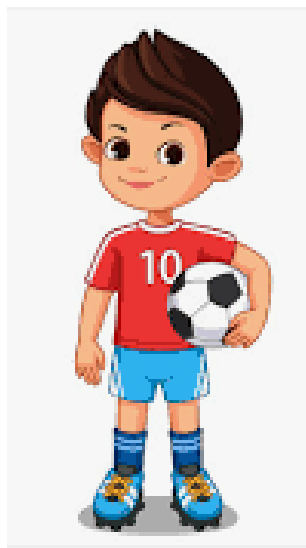
If you haven't yet signed up, and would like to, please complete the short slip and your child's teacher will re-print the letter for you or alternatively email reception@roche.cornwall.sch.uk

As with all things 'tech', the system is not fool-proof and occasionally stops working, but please give it a day and then check back.

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Please can I have the AR Home Connect letter sent home for:

(child's name)



Football Report – Roche V Bugle

By Team Captain, Logan

Last Tuesday, our Roche 5/6 football team played a home match against Bugle School. The team decided before the match to take the knee and Bugle agreed to do it also.

Bugle scored the first goal and then I took the corner, it hit the goalie and then went in! Jenson scored twice and Dylan also scored! We all played really well as a team and enjoyed the game.

I give Seb the ‘man of the match’ as he was really good at crossing the ball and tackling the other team to take possession of the ball. I also give Dylan a ‘man of the match’ for getting the ball up the pitch and scoring his first goal.

We are looking forward to playing the other schools.

Thank you for your report Logan!

Anti-Bullying Week

For anti-bullying week we gave out certificates for acts of kindness that we noticed happening around the school. Well done to the following children who received a certificate for their kindness:

Reception Class:	Delilah for looking after her friends at lunchtime.
Year 1:	Stella for looking after her friend when she fell over.
Year 2:	Harley for being kind to everyone inside and outside of the classroom.
Year 3:	Lowen for being kind to her class.
Year 4:	Ellie for being kind to her friend in shared reading.
Year 5:	Jacob for holding the door when no one else did.
Year 6:	Brooke T, Logan and Harriet for showing kindness throughout the week.

Student Council

The Student Council have worked hard to develop a new E-Safety Acceptable User Agreement for us all to follow. It is available on the school website and will be sent out to you via email.

This IT User Agreement is an unsigned agreement between the Parent, Carer, Visitor and Roche Community Primary School. All classes have contributed to this agreement based on their work on E-safety.

Online Safety

Online gaming

Online games are social activities, and most have features that allow children to chat with others whilst they play. For information about the positives of gaming, the risks of in-game chat and measures you can take to help protect them, watch this short video: [In-game chat: a guide for parents and carers](#).

The PEGI (Pan European Game Information) rating system can be a useful tool to help you decide what online games are appropriate for your child.

For more information on the PEGI system and other factors to consider before deciding what's suitable, read [Gaming: what's appropriate for your child](#)

Gaming is popular with both children and adults and can help to cure that lockdown boredom! If your child is gaming, you may have some questions about how to keep them safer. If so, check out - [gaming: what parents need to know](#).

For a guide on the apps, sites and games your child might enjoy, visit: [Net Aware](#).



Fidget Toys/Chew Aids

Please do not bring fidget toys or chew aids in to school. If you feel your child needs one of these items, please speak to your child's class teacher who can speak with our SENCO Mrs Carlin.





Football/Netball Matches

The next football/netball match is a **home** game on 7th December 2021 against Luxulyan School.

If your child is in the team, you will receive an email and consent for your child to play will be on Parent Pay.

Please note, there will be no netball club after school this day.



Parent Code of Conduct

The school website has been updated with a Parent Code of Conduct policy. Please take time to read through the policy.

https://www.roche.cornwall.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/11/TPAT-Parent-and-Visitor-Code-of-Conduct_Oct-21.pdf



Tilly's Diary

Hello everyone!

Here I am sitting on Mrs Batten's chair waiting for Mrs George to come back from a meeting! I was very patient waiting for her so I had a treat! Everyone has been admiring my haircut this week! I feel so much lighter!

I have had visitors from lots of children this week and they have been giving me treats too!

I had a play with Mrs Gardner's dog, Ki on Tuesday! We had lots of fun in the quad. We raced to see who could get from one end to the other the quickest! I bet you can't guess who was the fastest!

Have a lovely weekend everyone!

See you next week!

Love Tilly x



Assemblies

During our online assembly this week we watched Stay Safe, Speak Out with Ant and Dec.

Please see on this newsletter the poster for Child Line.

For further information, please see the NSPCC website.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/>

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Whatever your worry, call us
and a friendly person will be there
to listen. It's free, you don't have
to tell us your name, and we're
here all day and night.



PERSONAL SOCIAL HEALTH EDUCATION

FIVE WAYS TO WELLBEING



Bernadette, from Little Harbour came to visit Year 3. She told us all about the work that Little Harbour do for poorly children. She gave us a virtual tour around the hospital and showed us all the different rooms that the hospital has. We learnt how the money which is raised provides many different resources for the children. Did you know Little Harbour costs £3.2 million a year to run? That's why fundraising is so important to them and is greatly appreciated.

By meeting Bernadette, we were supporting our 5 ways to wellbeing. It was lovely to **CONNECT** with Bernadette and find out all about Little Harbour, we **LEARNED** a lot of facts about the hospital and the children who use it.



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FESTIVE FAMILY FUN DAY

Sunday 12 December | 10:00-16:30 | Booking recommended



Join our **Festive Family Fun Day**, packed full of **festive activities** around the grounds!

- ❖ Be explorers in the Family Forest School session, complete with **campfire, hot chocolate and a lantern walk!**
- ❖ Sparkle on the Community **Christmas Tree walk**
- ❖ Hear about a Cornish Christmas in our **storytelling sessions**
- ❖ Tuck into our delicious **festive lunches, cakes and drinks** in the café
- ❖ Get creative with **Christmas crafts** and make the perfect present
- ❖ Find that **Christmas present** in the gift shop
- ❖ Follow the **Reindeer Trail** in the woods
- ❖ Plus get your **new annual pass**
- ❖ Listen to our **local choirs**

£10.50 adults
£6 children
£5 for annual pass holders

Remember your Christmas jumpers or fancy dress!

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