



Newsletter

6th May 2022

Headteacher Awards awarded on 29th April 2022

- Reception:** All the children in Reception Class this week have come back to school with a fantastic attitude to their learning and are so enthusiastic and eager to find out more about our new topic 'Minibeasts'! We started off our week with a visit from 'Marks Ark' who brought in all his wonderful insects (photos below). I want to give Jasper an award this week for being enthusiastic and hard working. Ella-Rose for settling so well into school this week and really coming out of her shell and Millie for the creative bug hotels that she created in the construction area! A great week- well done Reception class!
- Year 1:** The Headteacher's awards go to George for fantastic maths including great presentations of morning maths and brilliant fractions and Marlena who has had a brilliant week! She has completed all of her maths and made an excellent effort in phonics including really great writing! Well done!
- Year 2:** Tommy had a Headteacher's award for hard work in his writing and maths. Frankie had an award for her amazing fraction work and Edie had one for a great start to the summer term including a really fantastic effort with her handwriting! Well done!
- Year 3:** Headteacher's award last week went to Callum and Hollie. Last Thursday we were lucky to have Neil from Cornish Pirates teaching us some Rugby. Callum was a superstar the whole time! He was an excellent team-player offering words of encouragement to all of his team. His catching skills were amazing, especially when Neil tried to catch him off guard, Callum never dropped or missed the ball! The award also went to Hollie for a super week in all her learning. She applied herself in all her lessons, remaining focused the whole time, especially in English and Maths. Well done to Callum and Hollie! Proud of you both. Same again next week please?!
- Year 4:** Taylor C - For having a really positive week in Year 4. He put a lot of effort into his lessons. We are also impressed with the vocabulary that he is using in Shared Reading and English. Well done and keep it up!
Abbigail - For her enthusiasm towards her learning this week. She has been eager to contribute and has been trying her best with lots of her written work particularly with her English work. Her efforts in Fitness Fridays must also be commended. Keep it up Abbigail as it is a pleasure to see.
- Year 5:** Headteacher's awards this week go to Finley for working really hard during English and Amelie for getting 100% on her spellings despite being absent for most of the week. Well done!
- Year 6:** This week we gave a whole class award as the children have worked really hard in applying themselves all week especially in the NEFR test. Well done Year 6!

Golden Tickets

Reception: Jake for brilliant sentence writing in phonics.
Year 1: Amelia for good morning maths.
Year 2: Frankie for super work in maths.
Year 3: Harrison for using the conjunction 'because' in his handwriting.
Year 4: Cory for getting RWI spellings 4 in a row.
Year 5: Jenson for 100% in an AR quiz.
Year 6: Jack D for answering questions in shared reading.

Year 4

Congratulations to Cory, Ellie and Sophia who earned their Pen Licence last week. Well done!

Change of email addresses

Truro and Penwith Academy Trust have aligned email addresses within the academy so therefore if you need to contact the school, you will need these email addresses:

Mr Walden: head@roche.tpacademytrust.org
Mrs George: roche@tpacademytrust.org
Mrs Batten: reception@roche.tpacademytrust.org
Mrs Carlin: hcarlin@roche.tpacademytrust.org

You may receive emails from previous addresses as the changes take place, but please start using the above email addresses now. Any emails to the old addresses will be forwarded for a few weeks, but will stop.

During testing of the new emails, unfortunately they have gone into 'Junk' folders. Please add the emails into your contacts under 'trusted senders' so emails reach you.

Thank you for your patience during the transition.



A reminder to parents/carers that after school, children should not come back on to the school site to play.

Thank you for your co-operation with this matter.



If your child is going to be absent from school, please telephone the office and let them know by 8.45am. If we do not hear from you and cannot get hold of you, we can report your child as missing.

You can leave a message on the school answerphone or someone is here to answer your call from 7.45am.



Year 6 SATs

We are so proud of how the Year 6's have worked so hard this year. Year 6 SATs will take place between Monday 9th May and Thursday 12th May. Children will be invited to join us for breakfast at 8.20am each day. Please can you ensure that your child goes to bed early and gets a good night's sleep in preparation for the tests.

Last week our school was chosen to take part in the technical pre-tests of mathematics test materials for the NFER (National Foundation for Educational Research). The administrator commented on how friendly and well-behaved the Year 6s are and how they took their job of testing out these materials extremely seriously! Well done Year 6s- you represented your school really well!

Mrs Williams and Mrs Powell have some very important work for the Year 6 children this weekend – do absolutely no school work at all and have lots of fun!

All of the hard work has already been done! We can't wait to see you On Monday morning for a yummy SAT's breakfast! Mrs Powell will be ready with her chef's hat on!



Year 4 Art Project Help



Year 4 are in need of clean flat white bed sheets (non-fitted).

If you have any you could donate to Year 4 for their art project it would be greatly appreciated.

Pop them to the office.

Many thanks!



Mr Walden Sponsorship

Mr Walden is cycling the London 100 miles for the charity PHAB.

Phab brings together disabled and non-disabled people of all ages to make more life together – with exciting and challenging holiday projects for disabled and disadvantaged children and young adults, wheelchair accessible holiday homes, and 140 Phab Clubs across England and Wales with 8,000 members. Thank you for supporting Phab and Phabkids – with your help we can make a real and lasting difference to the lives of so many more children, young people and adults with disabilities, to their families and to local communities.

If you are able to sponsor Mr Walden, the link to sponsor is:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/jeremy-walden>

Home Awards!

Well done to Zak who was awarded 'Man of the Match' for Foxhole Under 9's against Dobwalls! Well done Zak!

If your child has achieved an award outside of school, please do let us know – we'd love to feature it on the school newsletter. Include as much information as you can. If you include a photo, we will assume you have given permission to put the photograph on the newsletter (which also is uploaded on to the school website).

Email your achievements to:
reception@roche.tpacademytrust.org



Year 5 Science



As part of our learning in Science, please could each member of Year 5 bring in a clean jar. Whilst a plastic jar would be preferable, we do store the jars as safely as possible and discuss health and safety around glass. The key factor is being able to see into the jar - lids are not needed.

Reception Class children enjoyed a visit from 'Mark's Ark' last week to support their topic of 'Minibeasts'! The children absolutely loved the visit and held some wonderful creatures.

Reception class staff did make sure all creatures were back in their boxes at the end of the session so nothing was left behind!



'Have a Go Days'

Free to attend. A fun and friendly activity for children with additional needs or disability and their siblings or friends, aged 6-17

Wednesday 1 June
10am-12pm
Bodmin Leisure Centre
Lostwithiel Road
Bodmin, PL31 1DE

Wednesday 1 June
2-4pm
Cornwall College (Astro)
Trevenson Rd, Pool
TR15 3RD

Booking is essential. For more information and to book your free place(s) contact Katie on 01736 759500 or email katie@disabilitycornwall.org.uk. Find us on Facebook by searching "Have a Go Days Cornwall".

