



# Hand in Hand



**Friday 7th July 2023**

*Learning together for a better future*

Dear Parent/Carer,

Message from Miss Furnish

*It has been another action-packed week at school with Year 6 out and about, two sports days and ending with the summer Fayre. Thank goodness the weather held off for us. Fingers crossed for next week for KS2 sports day events. Today I had the pleasure of spending time in a writing lesson in Year 3 and was extremely impressed with the focus and engagement of the children, along with the progress they have made with their writing this year. Well done Coverack class. Even though the end of the year is approaching children across the school continue to be busy learning as such it is vital that, unless unwell, they attend school on time every day please.*

*I wish you all a sunny and relaxing weekend.*

## C16 Summit

On Thursday, Kemaya and Reece represented Roskear at the C16 summit, where they joined the other Crofty Trust pupil councillors for a variety of workshops and discussions about improving the energy use in our schools. It was a fantastic day. This is what Kemaya and Reece had to say:

***“It was interesting finding out how schools can save so much money from energy.”***

***“We talked about how to travel in eco friendly ways and how to reuse and regenerate energy.”***

***“We discussed what the new pledges mean and what we have to do.”***



## **ASTRONOMICAL ATTENDANCE**

Truro class have reached the next planet on their astronomical attendance. They will be having a 'bring a toy day' (non electronic) on Tuesday 11th in the afternoon.



## **Children's University**

If your child has a Children's University passport, could they please take it to Mrs James to have their hours counted by the end of next week.



Many thanks.

***Notice: Roskear School distributes fliers and magazines offering family services or posts details of local activities on the newsletter. Whilst we think that parents might like the information and find it useful, the school does not necessarily endorse these services.***

### Team 3 & 4

A few weeks ago, the year 3's ventured off on their residential trip. We travelled all the way to Plymouth via coach. While in Plymouth, we went to The Box Museum, where the children learnt all about prehistoric artefacts and ways of living. There were some fantastic things to see.

We were also informed that, in the summer, The Box is free to enter for families and that they will be running free creative workshops for children. So, if you are visiting Plymouth, we do recommend you pop in the museum.

After the museum, we went to the aquarium, where we stayed overnight by the large fish tank. It was a great evening filled with workshops, games, a tour, and a



movie. We had the best time!

### Team 1 & 2



As Scientists, we have been learning about what plants need to grow and to be healthy. We have planted

beans, peas, beetroot and cress. We have also carried out an experiment to see what conditions plants need to grow. First, we got four bean seeds and planted them in the same soil. The first pot was placed on a sunny windowsill and was watered every day. The second pot was on a sunny windowsill but had no water. The third pot was in a dark cupboard with water. The fourth pot was in a dark cupboard with no water. Look at our results after 3 weeks! We are now going to put the tall, yellow plant on the sunny windowsill and see whether it turns green and healthy! We have made scientific predictions and we cannot wait to find out what happens.

### Team EYFS

**The children in reception had their sports day and picnic event on the school field. Once again, the children demonstrated exemplary behaviour and had a fabulous time racing in their teams. They made a lot of noise cheering on the team members as they took their turn. They had to compete in a variety of skills races as well as novelty races like the Roskear 'potato and spoon' race and the 'snippy snappy crab' race!**



**Thank you to all our spectators who also made a lot of noise cheering us all on! We finished by awarding the children with a super, shiny trophy sticker and everyone enjoyed a picnic under the trees afterwards before the rain started.**

**Well done team EYFS!**

### Team 5 & 6

Year 6 have enjoyed an action-packed, fun-filled activities week! We have walked to Heartlands and explored the adventure playground, experienced thrilling rides at Flambards, had a paddle at Portreath and watched 'Mummies' at the cinema.... Phew!

We have had some wonderful comments from the public praising our exemplary behaviour this week. Well done year 6!







*Well done Beau for yet another award for his martial arts prowess. Beau took part in the Mythical Martial Arts interclub competition and came away with a first place gold medal in his category!  
Keep it up Beau!*



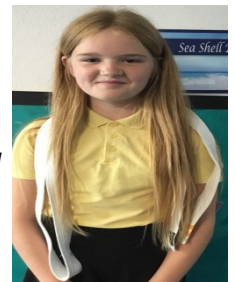
*Congratulations to Jake and Remilis! The boys represented Troon FC, competing in the Tregorrick Park Tournament. After reaching the final, Jake score a last minute goal to clinch them victory! Well done boys and we can't wait to see you representing the school in football too!*

*Bravo Isla! Isla received a gold medal for her gymnastics – performing excellently in the bars discipline. Isla also finished 5<sup>th</sup> overall being awarded a rosette for her endeavours. Amazing!*



*Next up in this week's awards are our Year 4 dodgeball team! After winning the regional event, our team travelled to Camborne School to compete in the County Final. We are proud to say that we are now the Cornwall School Games Dodgeball Champions! This is a huge achievement and we are so proud of all involved! Next year, the children will compete in the Year 5/6 category, well done!*

*Judo Joy! Aliyah has obtained her yellow tags in Judo! To get her new belt she had to be graded individually, having to recap her learning and teach the teachers. Aliyah has recently joined the Carn Brea Judo Club, which takes place on Tuesdays after school in our hall.*



*Well done to the Year 6 pupils that took part in the Quad Kids event at Carn Brea! The children had to complete: a 600m run, 75m sprint, standing long jump and vortex howler throw. We narrowly missed out on the team first but had some individual successes along the way!*

*Well done Sahara for her most recent football award. Sahara represented St Day FC and received a silver medal in the R and T tournament. St Day won the shield and Sahara scored a total of 6 goals in the process – 1 being against Plymouth Argyle! Well done Sahara!*



*A huge congratulations goes out to Grace, who took part in a cricket tournament on Sunday at Hayle Cricket Club. This was her first ever tournament and although they didn't win the tournament, she still helped her team seal a victory in the tournament. We are all very proud of Grace and look forward to hearing about her next fixture!  
Well done Grace!*

*Karate Kenzi! Year 3's Kenzi has been awarded two medals for her Karate. Kenzi practises Doryoku Ryu Karate Jutsu at Wesley Church and took part in the competition at Bodmin. She received a silver medal for individual kata and the bronze medal in individual kumite (non-contact fighting). She has been learning for 4 years and is currently a purple belt. Well done Kenzi!*





## What Parents & Carers Need to Know about

# RUMBLE



on the App Store; Teen' on Google Play

A video-sharing platform designed as an alternative to YouTube, Rumble is the epitome of a 'slow burner' in digital circles: it was initially launched in 2013, but it's only in the last two or three years that it's begun to gain serious traction. Much of Rumble's recent growth has stemmed from its association with Truth Social, the platform founded by former US President Donald Trump. Rumble's content frequently reflects some intense political viewpoints; this can often affect the way it approaches topics and has occasionally caused the platform to venture into controversial territory.

### WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

#### POLITICAL AFFILIATIONS

The company which developed Rumble is also responsible for hosting Truth Social, the often contentious news and social network founded by Donald Trump. Indeed, Rumble's content often reflects the ideas of one group of US voters, who have embraced it as an alternative to more mainstream social media. Many parents may feel that such an overtly political platform isn't suitable for young people.

#### PROVOCATIVE CONTENT

Rumble prides itself on championing free speech, with its CEO declaring the platform "immune to cancel culture". Many of Rumble's highest-profile content creators – such as Andrew Tate and Russell Brand – are well known for sharing opinions which are often described as extreme. While adults might be equipped to treat this content objectively, much of it may not be appropriate for a young audience.

#### INAPPROPRIATE MATERIAL

In very simple terms, Rumble works a little like YouTube but with far fewer censors and restrictions being applied to its content. If age-inappropriate material or potentially harmful misinformation is trending on the platform and being shared among more mature users, there's a distinct possibility that Rumble's algorithm may also recommend that content to a child.

#### CONTROVERSIAL FIGURES

Many of Rumble's best-known accounts are owned by individuals who have previously been banned from other social media platforms. There could, of course, be a variety of reasons behind this – but it almost certainly increases the chances of your child coming across content on Rumble which probably wouldn't be deemed acceptable on other similar platforms.

#### SENSITIVE TOPICS

In recent months, some prominent Rumble influencers have expressed uncompromising views on sensitive subjects such as gun control, abortion, LGBTQ+ issues and more. With many Rumble accounts tending to display a noticeable political bias, the concern would be that young people using the platform may not always be presented with an impartial perspective on these important and complex topics.



## Advice for Parents & Carers

#### TALK ABOUT POLITICS

Rumble *does* have a team of moderators, but the nature of the platform means that some permitted content is likely to be controversial and highly subjective. That possibility might make many parents uncomfortable – but if your child *does* view (or hear about) something provocative on Rumble, it can still provide a useful opportunity to discuss politics at home in a safe, relaxed environment.

#### CHECK UP REGULARLY

Like any video-sharing platform, there's a chance that Rumble might suggest inappropriate content for your child. There may be an algorithm issue – or it could be that the recommendations are based on videos they've previously viewed. If your child uses Rumble, you might consider a chat with them about which accounts they follow and what type of content is suitable for their age.

#### RESEARCH ALTERNATIVES

No video-sharing platform is totally free from potentially harmful content, of course – but the number of prominent account holders on Rumble whose output has previously been banned from similar services is certainly a cause for concern. If your child is becoming interested in influencer culture or politics specifically, you could perhaps research more family-friendly platforms together.

#### DISCUSS IMPARTIALITY

Many prominent Rumble accounts wear their political leanings firmly on their sleeves. As a result, it can be tricky for impressionable young people to appreciate both sides of any given debate. If your child is old enough to use Rumble, you may feel that a discussion of some things they've seen might be prudent – if so, be prepared for some complex (and possibly lengthy) conversations!

### Meet Our Expert

Lloyd Coombes is Editor in Chief of gaming and esports site GGRecon and has worked in the gaming media for around four years. A regular visitor to the App Store to try out new tools, he's also a parent who understands the value of online safety. Writing mainly about tech and fitness, his articles have been published on influential sites including IGN and TechRadar.



#WakeUpWednesday

Source: <https://www.pewresearch.org/journalism/2022/10/06/prominent-accounts-on-alternative-social-media-sites-mostly-are-individuals-not-organizations/>





# Mrs. Mitchell's Mindfulness

With an adult at home:

First sit side by side and take a deep breath in and then a deep breath out. Take another deep breath in then out. Find a moment of calm like we do in PSHE lessons when the chime sounds.

## The Five Senses



Notice five things that you can see. Cast your eyes around and bring your attention to five things you might not normally notice. Choose something you wouldn't ordinarily pay attention to, like a shadow or a small crack in the concrete.

Notice four things that you can feel. Bring your awareness to four things you are currently feeling, like the texture of your chair, the feeling of the breeze on your skin, or the smooth surface of a table you are resting your hands on.



Notice three things that you can hear. Try to tune in to the sounds of your surroundings. What can you hear in the background? This might be a bird singing, the low hum of the refrigerator, or the faint sounds of traffic from a nearby road.

Notice two things that you can smell. Tune your senses into smells you might usually gloss over, whether they're pleasant or unpleasant. Perhaps the breeze is carrying the scent of trees, or the smell of coffee.



Notice one thing that you can taste. Focus on one thing you can taste right now, in this moment. You can take a sip of drink, savour some chocolate, eat something, notice the current taste in your mouth, or even open it to search the air for a taste.

## ***Congratulations to the following pupils who achieved 'Star of the week'***

Class	Name	Reason for certificate
Chapel Porth	Olive	For trying hard in all of her learning and being an amazing listener. Well done Olive!
Porthcurno	Violet	For her amazing writing using all her phonic knowledge and the sentence toolkit. We are very proud of you.
Poldhu	Dragos	For reaching 99 club!
Gwithian	Olivia H	For positive learning.
Coverack	Daniel	For your amazing portal story invention, packed full of interesting sentence starters and description.
Portreath	Alfie	For completing the Read, Write, Inc programme! Well done, Alfie!
Marazion	Fynn	For completing 99 club! Well done Fynn.
Truro	Whole Class	For coping well with changes happening this week.
Falmouth	Jacob	For being incredibly sensible during our recent Jigsaw lessons.
Newlyn	Kerra	For her amazing effort in trying to achieve a million words in the word count.
St. Blazey	Ethan	For trying his best with handwriting and presentation in writing. Well done and keep it up!
St. Piran	Mohammad	For the progress he is making in writing! I loved reading your invent losing tale.
Helston	Whole Class	For their exemplary behaviour during activities week, they are a credit to Roskear.
St. Petroc	Whole Class	For their exemplary behaviour during activities week, they are a credit to Roskear.

**PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING THE 6 WEEKS SUMMER HOLIDAYS 2023**  
COURTESY OF MONEY SAVING CENTRAL

**ASDA**  
Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.

**TESCO**  
Kids eat free with a purchase of 60p+ from Mon 24th July - Fri 1st September 2023

**SAINSBURYS CAFES**  
Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

**BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE**  
Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

**THE REAL GREEK**  
Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult

**TABLE TABLE**  
Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

**TRAVELODGE**  
Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

**HUNGRY HORSE**  
Kids eat for £1 on Mondays & up to 2 Kids get free breakfast with 1 adult breakfast

**PREMIER INN**  
Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

**SIZZLING PUBS**  
Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

**IKEA**

**MORRISONS**  
Spend £4.49 & get one free kids meal all day, every day.

**GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS**  
Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day at selected Gordon Ramsay restaurants

**PRETO**  
Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

**BILLS**  
2 kids eat FREE all day, every day from Monday 24th July - Friday 1st Sept 2023

**BELLA ITALIA**  
Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Mon to Thurs.

**WHITBREAD INNS**  
Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

**SA BRAINS PUBS**  
Children can eat for £1 with any adult main. Valid All Day Wednesdays

**FUTURE INNS**  
Under 12's eat for free with any adult meal. During the school holidays

**PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM**  
Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

**YO! SUSHI**  
From Mon 17th of July until Fri 11th of Aug kids eat free with every £10 adult spend

**TO BE CONFIRMED...**

**ART CLUB**

WE WILL BE TAKING PHOTOS USING THE LIBRARY AND BOOKS AS OUR INSPIRATION. PLAYING WITH LIGHTING AND USING A VARIETY OF DIFFERENT EQUIPMENT.

**FRIDAY 14TH JULY**  
**CAMBORNE LIBRARY**  
3:30PM / AGES 7-14  
RESOURCES PROVIDED

BY KAMM BRONN

ROSKEAR PRIMARY AND NURSERY SCHOOL

**SPORTS STAR OF THE WEEK**

Scarlett & Teddy for amazing sportsmanship and teamwork during sports day!

Position	Class	% Attend	Number of Late pupils	Change from previous week
1st	Helston	99.3	0	-4
2nd	Falmouth	96.2	9	+1
3rd	Coverack	96.1	2	-
4th	Chapel Porth	94.8	9	-
5th	Gwithian	94.7	5	+2
6th	Truro	94.6	3	+1
7th	Portreath	94	4	-8
8th	Poldhu	93.1	3	+1
9th	St. Petroc	92.4	2	-4
10th	St. Piran	92.3	3	-2
10th	Porthcurno	92.3	1	-1
11th	Newlyn	91.9	3	-2
12th	Marazion	90.7	6	-2
13th	St. Blazey	80	1	-4
<b>Totals</b>	<b>Whole School</b>	<b>93</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>-22</b>

*ATTENDANCE DATA*

*This year's target is*

**96%**

*Congratulations to*

**HELSTON**

*Who came*

**first**

*this week.*



# Calendar

- 10.07.23 - 2.30pm - 3.00pm Transition - story time in new classroom
- 11.07.23 - 12.07.23 - Redruth School Yr 6 transition days
- 11.07.23 - KS2 Sports Day at Roskear School (not Carn Brea) - Years 3 & 4 - 9.30am - 11.00am. Years 5 & 6 - 1.15pm - 2.45pm
- 11.07.23 - Chapel Porth & Porthcurno out to Portreath Beach
- 13.07.23 - Parent Council meeting (everyone welcome)
- 13.07.23 - 1.10pm - 3.00pm Transition - afternoon session in new classroom
- 14.07.23 - FORSA Summer Disco - Infants 6.00pm - 7.00pm, Juniors 7.15pm - 8.15pm. £2.00 per child via Parent Pay
- 17.07.23 - Yr 6 school play (1.30pm & 5.00pm)
- 18.07.23 - Transition - children to go straight to new classroom at 8.40am.
- 18.07.23 - 1.30pm - 2.30pm - Parents of new Sep Rec children meeting in school hall.
- 18.07.23 - 19.07.23 - Camborne School Yr 6 transition days
- 20.07.23 - Yr 6 Leavers Party 3.15pm - 5.00pm
- 21.07.23 - 10.00am - Yr 6 leavers assembly
- 21.07.23 school finishes for Summer Holiday - school finishes at 3.15pm
- 24.07.23 - 25.07.23 Inset Day
- 04.09.23 - Inset Day
- 05.09.23 - Inset Day
- 06.10.23 - Inset Day
- 20.10.23 - Inset Day
- 19.02.24 - Inset Day
- 24.07.24 - Inset Day

## NO DOGS PLEASE

Reminder to parents please, due to health & safety reasons, dogs are not allowed on the school site.



Thank you for your cooperation.

# Fun FRIDAYS in Camborne

**7TH JULY TO 8TH SEP**

Different entertainment & activities in town for all to enjoy every Friday between 10.30am-3.00pm

- Demelza Dragon
- Face Painting
- Circus Skills
- Spinning Art
- Live Music
- And lots more!

Organised & funded by BID Camborne  
Visit [www.cambornetown.com](http://www.cambornetown.com)

FUN DAY FOR ALL THE FAMILY

**RAYLE FARM**

# RAYLE FARM FUN DAY!!

Rayle Farm events venue, Bridge Hill, Redruth, TR16 4QP  
1PM -11PM

**22nd JULY 2023**

Music, Food, Drink , Raffle, Face art, Bouncy castles & Much more

£3 entry per person

Raffle prizes incl weekend break and other wonderful prizes donated from local businesses

All money raised by Rayle Farm will be donated to an amazing charity - **Teenage Cancer Trust**- they can be found at the event

Cuckoo Valley cider

Hideaway





Dear Parent/Guardian,

**Funded Holiday Activity – Summer 2023**

It is with great pleasure that we can inform you that the **Time2Move Holiday Programme for Summer2023** is live.

The programme offers fun physical activities, games and wider activities plus a funded meal for every child. All children are welcome to attend, and it is completely **funded** for children that are eligible for benefits-related Free School Meals.

As a parent or guardian of a child eligible for benefits related free school meals you will need your child's unique code in order to access the activities for free. You can access your child's code quickly and easily at:

[www.cornwall.gov.uk/time2move](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/time2move)

Once you have this code you can search and book on activities here:

[www.activecornwall.org/T2MHolidayProgramme](http://www.activecornwall.org/T2MHolidayProgramme)

The activities are all delivered by approved providers with the main focus on fun and enjoyment. So please search for activities near you, book your child's place and we look forward to seeing your child over the summer holidays.

For any questions regarding the Time2Move Holiday Programme please email [Time2Move.HolidayProgramme@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:Time2Move.HolidayProgramme@cornwall.gov.uk) or phone 01872 323335.

Yours faithfully

**The Time2Move Holiday Programme Team**

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Scan here  
to book!

## SUMMER 2023

Activities are taking place across Cornwall during the  
Summer holidays, from 24th July – 1st September

- Activities including multi sports, forest schools, circus skills, water sports and lots more – for children aged 5 to 16
- Every session includes a healthy meal for all children
- Funded places for ALL children eligible for benefits related free school meals



**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

[www.activecornwall.org/T2MHolidayProgramme/](http://www.activecornwall.org/T2MHolidayProgramme/)  
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# Menu for week commencing Monday 10th July 2023

## WEEK 1

W/C: 17/04, 08/05, 29/05, 19/06, 10/07, 11/09, 02/10

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT MAINS	<b>Cheese and Tomato Pizza</b> 🍕 Served with Potato Wedges	<b>Pork Sausages</b> Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	<b>Roast Turkey</b> 🍗 Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	<b>Beef Bolognese</b> 🍖 Served with Wholemeal Pasta and Garlic and Herb Bread	<b>Breaded Fish Fingers</b> Served with Chips
	<b>Vegetable Pesto Pasta Bake</b> 🍝	<b>Macaroni Cheese</b> 🍝	<b>Roasted Vegetable Butterbean Crumble</b> 🍷 Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	<b>Vegetarian Bolognese</b> 🍝 🌱 Served with Wholemeal Pasta	<b>Vegetarian Dippers</b> 🍷 Served with Chips
JACKET POTATO	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🍷 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🍷 with a choice of hot and cold fillings, including Salmon Mayonnaise ➡	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🍷 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🍷 with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes</b> 🍷 with a choice of hot and cold fillings
<b>Tomato Pasta</b> Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta 🌱 🍷					
All main meals are served with two vegetables					
DESSERT	<b>Vanilla Ice Cream</b>	<b>Hot Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Custard</b>	<b>Strawberry Jelly with Fruit</b>	<b>Fruity Picnic Bar</b>	<b>Chocolate Ice Cream</b>

### PACKED LUNCH AVAILABLE

Ham and Cheese sandwich available daily with veg sticks and fresh fruit or dessert of the day