

Hand in Hand

<u>Thursday 24th October 2024</u> Learning together for a better future



Dear Parent/Carer

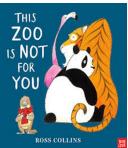
I cannot believe that we have already come to the end of the first half term. The children have certainly been GREAT! My thanks to everyone for making the half term such a positive start to the year. Today, members of pupil parliament assisted the senior team in making new appointments for after half term and we are looking forward to welcoming our new colleagues to the Roskear Family.

Tonight is the disco, please remember that if your child is coming they need to enter through the back doors to the hall, which are around the back of school near the KS1 adventure equipment (if in doubt do follow the crowd). Children need to then be collected from the hall via the door to the right of main reception.

I wish you all a super half term and thank you once again for your continued support and trust.

Disco

We are very much looking forward to the disco but due to high demand and safety of numbers in the hall I am aware that some children will miss out on the disco this evening. Moving forward, we will consider whether we need three discos next time to ensure that all children that wish to come can. Please can I also remind parents and carers that it is vital if the school gives a deadline for ordering, parents/carers book before the deadline as this too will help avoid disappointment. Thank you.



KS1 Book Of The Week: This Zoo Is Not For You Author: Ross Collins Book Level: No AR Test

When a platypus stops by the zoo one day, all the animals assume he wants to join their zoo, and he is swiftly taken through a rigorous interview process. But the platypus is far too bland for the chameleons, he's not nearly graceful enough for the flamingos, and his tricks will never impress the monkeys.



KS2 Book Of The Week: Raven's Gate Author: Anthony Horowitz Book Level: 4.4

Sent to live in a foster home in a remote Yorkshire village, Matt, a troubled fourteen-year-old English boy, uncovers an evil plot involving witchcraft and the site of an ancient stone circle.

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.



CALENDAR

(additions in red)

25.10.24 - Inset Day - school closed to pupils 11.11.24— School Photos—Individual Photos (At school) 12.11.24— School Photos—Individual Photos (At school) 29.11.24 Adult Bingo - School Hall - Doors open at 6.15pm 20.12.24— KS2 Christmas Service— Centenary Wesleyan Church (Pink Church) at 10:30 24.02.25—Inset Day—School closed to pupils 23.07.25 - Inset Day - school closed to pupils 02.10.25—Inset Day—School closed to pupils



Nursery have been so excited to explore our pumpkins this week. We talked about the colours, textures and how they look inside, using our magnifying glasses to investigate! It was such great fun and we can not wait for Halloween!











Year 2 had an informative zoom call with Sue Sayer, from the Cornwall Seal Group Research Trust. It is a local charity which protects seals and their ocean home. Sue tald us that if we see a seal, we need to give them space.







Take your rubbish home. A 2-week-old seal pup was seen trying to swim to safety, but it was being bashed by plastic bottles and other rubbish. Join a local beach clean to remove rubbish and fishing nets from our shores. Buy a frisbee without a hole in the middle. A seal got her head stuck in a frisbee. She still has a mark around her neck now!

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Position	<u>Class</u>	<u>% Attend</u>	Number of Late pupils	<u>Change from</u> last week
1st	Coverack	98.7	3	-1
2nd	Newlyn	98.3	5	+1
3rd	Gwithian	98.1	3	+2
4th	Marazion	97.1	4	0
5th	Truro	97.1	10	-1
6th	Helston	96.7	3	0
7th	Chapel Porth	95.5	7	+1
8th	Falmouth	95.2	12	+3
9th	St. Piran	94.0	0	-2
10th	Portreath	92.5	5	0
11th	Polduh	92.4	5	+1
12th	St. Blazey	90.1	2	+3
13th	St. Petroc	87.9	3	-2
14th	Porthcurno	81.1	0	-2
Totals	Whole School	94.1	41	-17

ATTENDANCE DATA This year's target is

96%

Congratulations to **Truro** who came **first** this week.



We have been learning about health lifestyles in science. The children planned a fair test in where they measured their recovery pulse rate after exercise. The children were drawing conclusions on which exercises made their pulse the quickest and why.











We are delighted to announce that Roskear School has achieved the School Games GOLD Mark Awardl The School Games Mark is a Government-led award scheme facilitated by the Youth Sport Trust to reward schools for their commitment to the development of competition across their school and into the community and we are delighted to have been recognised for our success. A huge thank you and congratulations to Mr Forder who has been a driving force of this!

Roskear Readers – Weekly Word Count

It has been another great term for reading here at Roskear School. Every week in school, we celebrate the word count, both whole class and individual children. At the end of every half term, each child with the highest word count across the school and the child with the highest number of tests passed are awarded a prize. So, all you readers out there get reading and passing those quizzes.

This Term's Class Word Count

1st place - St Piran 1 561,509

2nd place - Heiston 758,962

3^{re} place - 5t Petroc 528,383

This Term's Word Count/ test winners

Portreath - Travis and Scarlett

Marazion - Lilly and Jago

Coverack - Avaya and Olivia

Truro - Oscar and Lyla

Falmouth - Rosalind and Marcus

Newlyn - Fynn and Indy

St Blazey - Julia and Isla

St Piran – Gemma and Mohammed

Helston – Isabel and Addy St Petroc – Ivy, Lily and Esma





NIGHT!

For our Parents and Carers

Friday, November 29th 2024 DOORS OPEN 6:15pm EYES DOWN 7PM at Roskear Primary & Nursery School in the School Hall £7.50 per ticket (cash purchase only)

Enjoy a fun evening of Bingo with refreshments, raffle and more



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5	30	36	46	68
2	17	35	58	67
9	27	☆	60	70
6	24	31	52	64
13	20	40	47	73

We have been fortunate to receive donations of prizes from:

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- The Croust Hut
- Vouchar
- St Eval Christmas
 Rugby Tickets Candles
- Bottles of Wine Cinema Ticketa . Ber In A Beg
- Circular&Co Cups & Hot Chocolate
- Hair Salon Voucher
- Montson's Voucher
- Pizza Supper
- and more



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

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Class	Name	Reason for certificate	
Porthcurno	Meggan	For being GREAT , always following the golden rules. We are very proud of you.	
Chapel Porth	Luca	For following the class routines and the GOLDEN RULES. We are so proud of you Luca!	
Poldhu	Nabiha	For being a GOLDEN and responsible learner this week and writing number sentences using the plus and equals symbols in maths.	
Gwithian	Amber	For writing a super postcard showcasing all of the learning she has done this term in Geography. You are GOLDEN Amber!	
Portreath	Elija	For creating a GREAT information text about all the grey seals.	
Marazion	Matilda S	For creating a GREAT creature in science and using fantastic descriptive language.	
Coverack	Zainab	For being TENACIOUS with your maths learning this week and using your resources to help you.	
Truro	Dennis	For being a responsible learner this week and his TENACIOUS attitude when writing an explanation text.	
Falmouth	Sonny	For your fantastic persuasive letter to the prime minister about the causes of deforestation and demonstrated RESPONSIBILITY .	
Newlyn	Arlo	For his fantastic persuasive letter about deforestation and showing RESPONSIBILITY .	
St. Piran	Liza	For always showing GOLDEN behaviour and being aspirational with her learning.	
St. Blazey	Elijah	For showing such RESILIENCE today and completing your explanation text from start to finish. I am very proud of you.	
Helston	Brooke	For being TENACIOUS in learning short division this week. She preserved and did not give up!	
St. Petroc	Isla	For her TENACITY shown in maths, using BODMAS.	

CROFTRY VACANOTES

Illogan School

Teaching Assistant – Fixed Term

Reference Number: ILL0001

Contract Type:	Fixed Term until 31/08/2025
	Experience working within KS2 preferable
Pay Band / FTE	Band 2 / FTE £24,790 / 38 working weeks
Pro Rata	£16,808 per annum / 30hrs per week
Hours	Monday to Friday
Closing Date:	10 th November 2024
Interview date:	TBC w/c 11 th November 2024
Start date:	TBC
Location:	Illogan School

Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal Poppies (donation please), Poppy Stickers (donation please), Festival Bands (£1) and Snap Bands (£1) will be on sale for all our Parents, Carers and Pupils from $w/c 4^{th}$ November 2024, thank-you

