

# Hand in Hand

Learning together for a better future



### Friday 14th March 2025

#### Dear Parent/Carer

It has been another exciting week here at Roskear. This week, at lunchtimes we have reinstated football, been getting to grips with stilts and been bouncing our way around on space hoppers and lolo balls. Many of the children have become expert Didicar drivers and I've seen some incredible dens built. We have never had such fun lunchtimes!

#### She's Having a Baby

I am excited to share with you the wonderful news that Mrs Tonkin is having a baby. We would not normally make the announcement quite so early, however the children have been asking questions. They don't miss a thing! Nearer the time, we will be able to share who will step into Coverack but please be assured, as always, it's only the best for the Roskear children.

Finally, I wish you all a wonderful weekend. Take care.

#### Thank You!

A big thank you to two of our Super 6 children, James and Livia, who showed two of the Crofty Learning Trust Trustees around the school this morning. They spoke brilliantly and we are very proud of them. Well done!

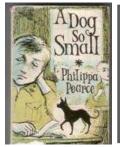
Please note that due to teacher training, there will be no teacher-led clubs next week, except for Mrs William's Art Club on Thursday.

After-School Club (Homework Club) will continue as normal each day. Thank-you



KS1 Book Of The Week: Marge In Charge Author: Isla Fisher AR Level: 2.0

Siblings Jemima and Jake Button don't know what to make of their new babysitter, Marge. When she arrives, she's dressed like a grandma and looks very serious. When their mum and dad leave, Marge lets down her rainbow hair and the adventures begin.



KS2 Book Of The Week: **A Dog so Small** Author: **Philippa Pearce** Book Level: **5.9** 

For months, Ben Blewitt has been thinking about dogs. So imagine his disappointment when, for his birthday, he receives not a dog but a picture of a dog. Ben's imagination soon gets to work, though, and that's when his strange adventures begin.

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)

21.03.25—Red Nose Day (Non-Uniform Day £1 donation)

03.04.25—Spring Disco (In the Hall)

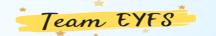
07.04-21.04 2025-Easter Holiday

26.04.2025—Trevithick Day

19-21st May—Yr 6 London Residential

23.07.25 - Inset Day—School closed to pupils

02.10.25—Inset Day—School closed to pupils





Last week, Nursery had a member of the Big Brush Club visit us for our daily toothbrushing.

They joined in with the children to make sure they were brushing their teeth correctly and spoke to us about making healthy food choices.

They were so impressed with the children and how well they were brushing their teeth and the children all earnt themselves a very special sticker.

Please talk to the children about their toothbrush club at home, as they may even be able to tell you about our special "Hey Duggee Toothbrush" song.

Amazing job Nursery!

Olivia in Porthcurno Class, has been attending a Redruth based kickboxing club, G.M.A.C. for just over one year, and she has recently achieved her 2nd belt.

This is a marvellous achievement!

Olivia's family are super proud of her and everyone at Roskear would like to congratulate Olivia and say a huge 'well done'!

We think you are

**GREAT**!



<b>House Points</b>		
<b>Poldark</b>	3665	
A Crofty	5624	
A Geever	2432	
A King Edward		



This week Year 2 have been busy being scientists.



As part of science week, we have been making predictions and evaluating our findings.

We have been learning about the importance of handwashing and deciding if using soap makes a difference.

It has been very exciting and interesting so far.



This week, it has been Science week and Year 3 children have been busy making putty!





We thought carefully about what ingredients were best to use, based on the properties of the ingredients (hard, soft). We also thought about how we wanted it to look.

Position	Class	% Attend	Number of Late pupils	Change from last week	WEEKLY
1st	St Piran	98.62	2	+2	ATTENDANCE DATA
2nd	Chapel Porth	98.17	3	+2	This year's target is
3rd	Portreath	96.9	6	+2	<u> </u>
4th	Gwithian	96.67	3	-1	96%
5th	Poldhu	96.54	3	-	
6th	Marazion	95	1	-	Congratulations to
7th	Truro	95	1	-	, j
8th	Porthcurno	94.47	4	+2	St Piran
9th	Falmouth	94.2	0	-2	
10th	Coverack	93.93	1	+1	who came
11th	Newlyn	93.33	2	-	
12th	Helston	92.86	2	+1	1st
13th	St Petroc	91.72	2	+1	
14th	St Blazey	90.69	1	-3	this week.



In science, the children have continued building on their electricity knowledge with a focus on technology through time.

- This week, the children looked at a telegraph and how it was used in the past.
- They looked at morse code and learnt how a dot makes a quick beep, and a dash makes a long beep.
- They experimented making their own telegraph by building a simple circuit with a buzzer and switch - they then sent messages to one another following the morse code symbols.







Congratulations to Olivia for her Rainbow red and Rainbow orange rosettes – awarded by Phoenix Gymnastics.

Oliva has been working incredibly hard each week to improve her skills and we can't wait to hear more about her endeavours.





Thursday 3rd April 2025. Tickets: £2.50 via ParentPay KS1 (Yr R to Yr 2) 5:30—6:15 KS2 (Yr 3 to Yr 6) 6:30—7.30

Tuck available to buy on the night: Candy Floss, Sweets, Crisps, Drinks (cash only)



Comic Relief

Red Nose Day 2025

We will be celebrating Red Nose Day at Roskear on Friday 21<sup>4</sup> March 2025.

The School's Pupil Parliament have decided that pupils may come to school wearing red clothes, pyjamas or a mismatch of clothing! The choice is yours

A donation of £1 to Comic Relief would be appreciated.

This year your donations can be paid via the Parent Pay website directly to Comic Relief or send into school with your child/children.

Our understanding is that red noses are available to buy at Sainsburys or online on the Comic Relief website and Amazon Congratulations to the following pupils who achieved 'Star of the week'



Class	Name	Reason for certificate		
Porthcurno	Eden	for her ASPIRATIONAL writing of the fox's character. We are so proud of you. Wow!		
Chapel Porth	Amalia	For her ASPIRATIONAL learning during Read.Write.Inc		
Poldhu	Everley	for being a <b>TENACIOUS</b> learner this week and using mathematical language in her problem solving.		
Gwithian	Bogdan	For showing great <b>TENACITY</b> in his writing of instructions this week in English		
Portreath	Ruben	for his ASPIRATIONAL writing with his newspaper report this week		
Marazion	Lilly	for her ASPIRATIONAL writing of a diary entry		
Coverack	Jacob	for being GREAT this week in all you do and really trying your best to give everything a go!		
Truro	Louie	for his TENACIOUS attitude across all his learning but particularly in Maths and for helping others in a mature way.		
Falmouth	Toby	for being an ASPIRATIONAL learner and working incredibly hard on your handwriting.		
Newlyn	Rossi	for his GREAT effort in reading this week		
St. Piran	Jack	for showing RESPONSIBILITY in his writing; identifying ways to improve his work independently.		
St. Blazey	Corey	for being ASPIRATIONAL in swimming this week and pushing yourself out of your comfort zone.		
Helston	Livia	for being ASPIRATIONAL in her cross-curricular writing this week - a diary entry written during the Transatlantic Slave Trade.		
St. Petroc	Jake	for being <b>TENACIOUS</b> in his mental arithmetic – gaining full marks! Well done Jake!		

## Menu for week commencing Monday 17th of March 2025

