



# Hand in Hand

*Learning together for a better future*

Friday 13th June 2025



Dear Parent/Carer

I would like to start by thanking those of you who came out today to join us with the KS1 sports day. The weather was not on our side and as such for safety reasons we cancelled. I am pleased to say we will be trying again in two weeks. Fingers crossed the sun shines on us!

This week, many of the Year 5 children went on camp and I understand from the staff who accompanied them that the children were exceptional. The instructors at the camp gave high praise to the children. Well done.

I know that at this time of year you will be wondering who will be teaching your child(ren) next year and I am afraid that at present we are still appointing staff. Until we have made all our appointments, we cannot confirm any staffing. Sorry.

Finally, as always, I thank you for your continued support and trust. Take care and stay well.

***Polite reminder– Please can parents/carers ensure that they park in designated parking spaces within the car park and display their blue badge if parking in a disabled space. Thank you.***

The children in reception have been learning all about trees and sustainability.

**Team EYFS**

We read a story, 'The Moose Belongs to Me', by Oliver Jeffers.

It's about a little boy, Wilfred, who finds a moose. The moose lives amongst the forest and the hills. We talked about 'trees' and the animals that live amongst the trees and why we need to all look after trees. We made a collage of the environment and added the trees and the characters from the story.

If you would like to listen to the story, here is the link for the story read by Billie Eilish: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6HCPywSATtg>

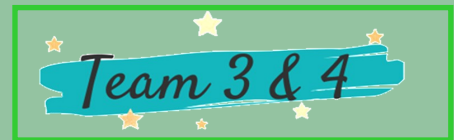


***Notice: Roskear School distributes fliers and magazines offering family services or posts details of local activities on the newsletter. Whilst we think that parents might like the information and find it useful, the school does not necessarily endorse these services.***

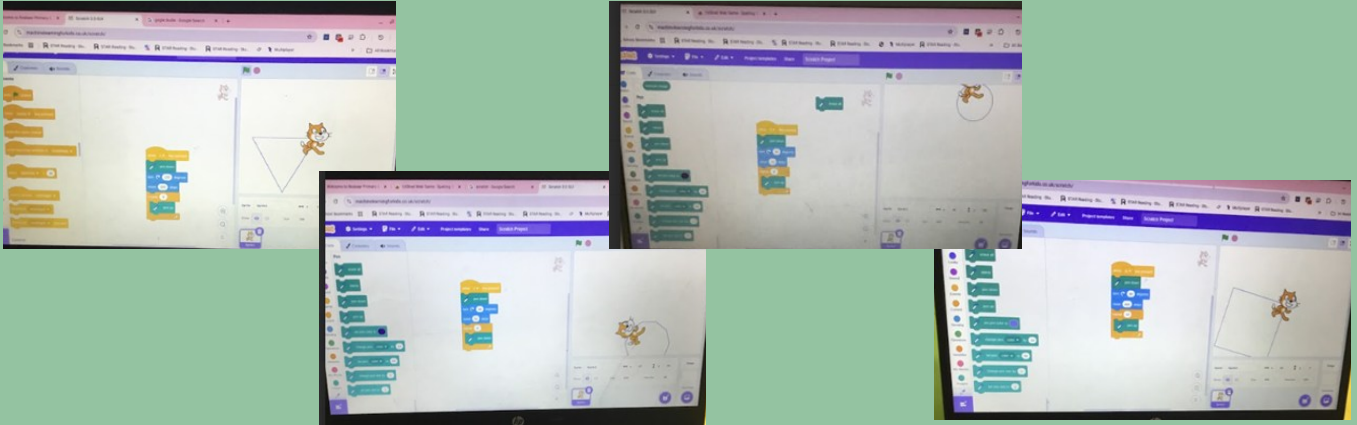
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This half term the children are learning about coding.

In this week's lesson, they learnt how to create simple commands to draw shapes. This linked to our mathematics, as we are learning about angles and turns.



The children explored the Scratch coding interface and made predictions about what 2D shapes the codes represented before testing them out.

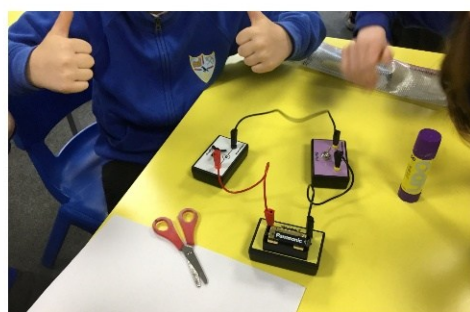
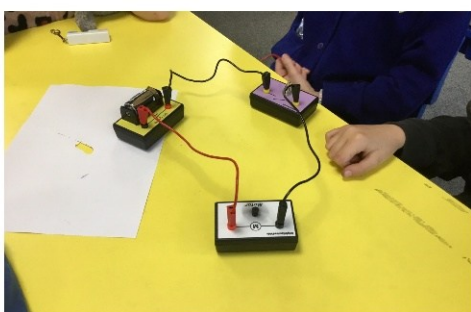
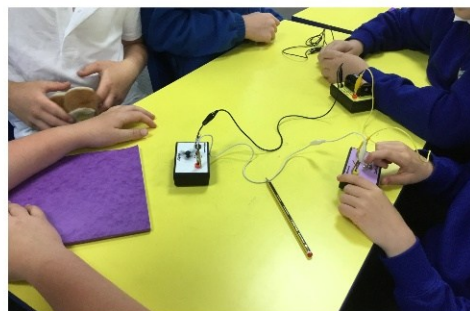
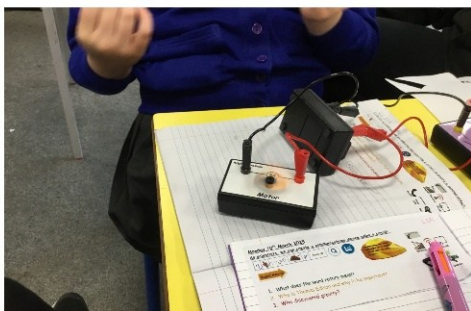


This week, Year 6 have been scientists!

The pupils were set a task of designing their own circuits to create a vacuum cleaner.



It will be interesting to see if the designs work next week and if they are powerful enough to keep our classrooms tidy!

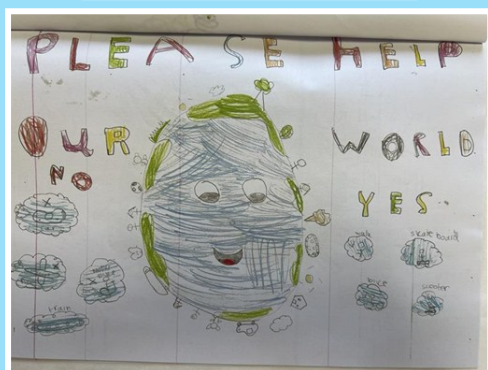




## Team 1 & 2

Last week in Year 2, we learned about the effects of air pollution in Sustainability Week.

First, we looked at different vehicles and the impact they have on the world. We looked at different low polluting vehicles and created posters to persuade people to use them or to walk or ride a bike instead.



Congratulations to Beau, who travelled to Gloucester to compete in the WMAC British Championships 2025. After fighting his way through a big category Beau came away winning Gold - making him WMAC British Champion for the third year in a row. Beau also competed in Tag Teams for the first time and went on to win Gold with his teammate!

Beau had a great day bringing home two Golds, which will be his last competition while at Roskear School.

We are all so proud of you Beau and look forward to hearing of your future endeavours even after leaving us.

Position	Class	% Attend	Number of Late pupils	Change from last week
1st	Porthcurno	99.13	3	+1
2nd	Portreath	98	1	-2
2nd	Truro	97	3	-1
3rd	St Piran	95.67	2	-
4th	St Blazey	95.33	2	-1
5th	Helston	95	1	-
6th	Newlyn	94.14	2	-1
7th	Coverack	93.45	4	
8th	Falmouth	92.67	4	+1
9th	Gwithian	92.06	4	-
10th	Marazion	90.69	1	-
11th	Poldhu	88.8	0	-5
12th	Chapel Porth	85.22	2	+1
13th	St Petroc	82.76	2	-

## WEEKLY ATTENDANCE DATA

This year's target is

**96%**

Congratulations to  
**Porthcurno**

who came

**1st**

this week.

# MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM - MHST



Parents and Carers -  
please join us at our  
1hr online  
Behaviour Workshop

Monday 22 September - 9.30am & 1pm  
Tuesday 23 September - 11am & 4pm  
Wednesday 24 September - 9.30am & 1pm  
Thursday 25 September - 10.00am & 4pm

This workshop provides parents with  
practical strategies to foster positive  
behaviour and communication at  
home.

To book a place, please complete the online  
form

<https://forms.office.com/e/gA2jNGbZ4F>

or scan the QR code



This workshop is open to parents/carers of  
school aged children enrolled in Reception  
to Year 7 in any school in Cornwall

## CALENDAR *(additions in red)*

16-17th June—Year 3 Camp Kernow Residential

Friday 20th June—KS2 Sports Day

Friday 27th June—KS1 Sports Day

30th June—Yr 6 Transition Day, Pool Academy

8th & 9th July—Yr 6 Transition Days, Redruth School

12th & 13th July—Yr Transition Days—Camborne Academy

25th July—Yr 6 Transition Day, Hayle Academy

11th July—Summer Reports out

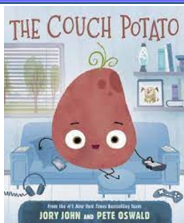
11th July—Summer School Disco Yr R,1 & 2 5:30-6:15pm, Yr 3,4,5 & 6 6:30—7:30pm

18th July—Year 6 Summer Show

21st July—10.00am Year 6 leavers assembly

23.07.25 - Inset Day—School closed to pupils

**Inset Days for academic year 2025/2026:** 03/09/2025, 22/10/2025, 23/10/2025, 24/10/2025, 03/11/2025, 23/02/2026, 23/07/2025

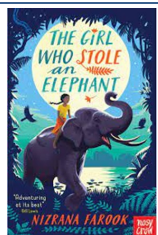


**KS1 Book of the Week:** The Couch Potato

**Author:** Jory John and Peter Oswald

**AR Book Level:** No AR quiz

The Couch Potato has everything within reach and doesn't have to move from the sunken couch cushion. But when the electricity goes out, Couch Potato is forced to peel away from the comforts of the living room and venture outside.



**KS2 Book of the Week:** The Girl Who Stole an Elephant

**Author:** Nizrana Farook

**AR Book Level:** 4.3

After stealing the Queen's jewels, Chaya must flee her village on the back of a stolen elephant. In the jungle with her friends, Chaya discovers a revolution is stirring. Can she leave her village as a thief but return as a hero?



## House Points



**Crofty**

**6753**



**Poldark**

**4657**



**Geevor**

**3020**



**King Edward**

**2916**

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



## **Golden Responsible Empathetic Aspirational Tenacious**

<b>Class</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Reason for certificate</b>
<b>Porthcurno</b>	<b>Hazel</b>	for being <b>GOLDEN</b> and following the golden rules at all times. We are very proud of you.
<b>Chapel Porth</b>	<b>Charlie</b>	for being <b>GOLDEN</b> and following the golden rules at all times. We are very proud of you.
<b>Poldhu</b>	<b>Rupert</b>	for being a <b>TENACIOUS</b> learner and always trying his hardest to improve his handwriting.
<b>Gwithian</b>	<b>Kolbie</b>	has had the most <b>GOLDEN</b> week. He has shown amazing enthusiasm towards his maths. work in particular. Great job!
<b>Portreath</b>	<b>Teddy</b>	for his <b>ASPIRATIONAL</b> attitude towards his handwriting and presentation this week.
<b>Marazion</b>	<b>Finley</b>	for being <b>RESPONSIBLE</b> by showing others how to follow instructions and try their best.
<b>Coverack</b>	<b>Isla</b>	for being <b>RESPONSIBLE</b> , organised and prepared for each lesson.
<b>Truro</b>	<b>Archie</b>	for his <b>TENACIOUS</b> attitude when learning his RWI sounds and moving up to the next RWI group.
<b>Falmouth</b>	<b>Ollie</b>	for being a <b>RESPONSIBLE</b> learner and being kind and considerate towards others.
<b>Newlyn</b>	<b>Theo</b>	for his <b>ASPIRATIONAL</b> questions on our trip to the King Edward Mine.
<b>St. Piran</b>	<b>Alexa</b>	for being <b>TENACIOUS</b> in maths this week.
<b>St. Blazey</b>	<b>Jenson</b>	for being <b>ASPIRATIONAL</b> this week and showing a great interest in Shakespeare's The Tempest.
<b>Helston</b>	<b>Harry</b>	for being <b>ASPIRATIONAL</b> in RE and asking perceptive questions.
<b>St. Petroc</b>	<b>Ivy</b>	for being <b>EMPATHETIC</b> to others.



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**Roskear School**  
**School Administrator Vacancy**  
**Ref Number ROS0004**

Contract Type:	Permanent Variable
Pay Band / FTE	Band 2 / FTE £25,583 / 38 working weeks
Pro Rata	£13,039 per annum
Hours	22.5hrs per week Monday to Friday – 0830am – 1pm
Closing Date:	Thursday 26 <sup>th</sup> June 2025
Interview date:	TBC
Start date:	1st September 2025
Location:	Roskear School



### Arbor Parent App and Parent Portal

In November last year we moved our Management Information System from SIMS to Arbor. The key reasons for the move were to allow us to communicate more efficiently with our parents and ensure that all core school data is kept in one system.

We are now ready to start using the Arbor Parent Portal and Parent App. Initially we will use this for communicating with you through in-app messages and emails. You will also be able to update the data we hold on you through the App instead of having to talk directly to the school office. For instance, if you move house or change your mobile number. In the future we will look at other areas that we can use e.g. parental consultations.

The **Parent App** is the mobile version of our Parent Portal, for use on mobile devices such as smartphones and tablets.

The **Parent Portal** is a version of Arbor accessible to guardians on a laptop or computer.

There is information for parents/carers on getting started and logging in:

<https://tinyurl.com/y7dsu968>

We have sent an information email to you; please check your inbox for your App access. If you have not received an email it probably means we don't have an up-to-date email for you. Contact the school office to let us know, thank-you

# Menu for week commencing Monday 16th June

## WEEK 3

W/C: 05/05/2025, 16/06/2025, 07/07/2025, 08/09/2025, 29/09/2025, 20/10/2025

		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT DISHES	OPTION 1	Cheese and Tomato Pizza Served with Garlic and Herb Bread 🌱	Sausage Hot Dog Served with Potato Wedges	Roast Chicken Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Oat Crusted Chicken Served with Wholegrain Rice 🌱	Battered Pollock Served with Chips 🌱
	OPTION 2	Veggie Supreme Pizza Served with Garlic and Herb Bread 🌱	Veggie Sausage Hot Dog Served with Potato Wedges 🌱 🌱	Roast Quorn Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy 🌱	Meatless Shepherd's Pie Served with Gravy 🌱 🌱	Quorn Dippers Served with Chips 🌱 🌱
	OPTION 3	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱	Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta 🌱 🌱

**HOT DISHES ARE SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES AND FRESHLY BAKED BREAD**

DELI DISHES	OPTION 4	Ham Wrap	Ham Baguette	Cheese Wrap 🌱	Ham Baguette	Ham Wrap
	OPTION 5	Cheese Baguette 🌱	Tuna and Sweetcorn Wrap	Egg Mayo Baguette 🌱	Cream Cheese and Cucumber Wrap 🌱	Cheese Baguette 🌱

**DELI DISHES ARE SERVED WITH MIXED SALAD**

DESSERT	Flapjack 🌱 🌱	Chocolate Brownie 🌱	Lemon Cookie Served with Fruit 🌱	Crunchy Chocolate Mousse	Cornflake Tart
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**BAKED POTATOES SERVED DAILY**

With a choice of toppings 🌱 🌱



**AVAILABLE DAILY**

Fresh fruit, salad, yoghurt and water



Vegetarian



Vegan



Oily Fish



Wholegrain



Fruity!



Nutritionist's Choice

Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for