

# MOUSEHOLE NEWS

Friday 23rd February 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the new half term we have got off to an exciting start. The children were very interested on the first day back with the work the Environment Agency have started with cutting back the foliage in preparation for the new culvert system.

Our fabulous Rotary Youth Speaks Team competed again on Tuesday against six other schools in the area round. The competition was of a high quality from schools all around Cornwall presenting interesting topics but we shone through and won this section. The team will now go on to represent us in Tavistock on 2nd March for the District Competition against Devon Schools. Good luck Otto, Ella, Peter and Ava!!

The girls football team competed against St Hilary on Tuesday they lost 4-1 but demonstrated great teamwork and resilience throughout the game.

Mousehole Mice and Dinghy had a super art session with Annie Vigar on Tuesday morning creating clay cupcakes and experimenting with dyes to decorate their plates. Both classes continue to access our lovely surroundings get out and about where possible despite the hideous weather currently.

Schooner Class are on camp next week in London and need to be at the train station on time on Monday morning. We are looking forward to hearing about the amazing experiences they have lined up for the week.

Congratulations to Ella who competed in the National Cheerleading Competition at The Copper Box in London over the weekend and achieved 1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th in different categories. This is an amazing feat Ella and we are very proud of your continued achievements!

We are celebrating World Book day on Thursday 7th March by dressing up as your favourite character and welcoming the author and polar explorer Huw Lewis Jones. He will be delivering an assembly about his new book "Do Bears Poop In The Wood?"

On Friday 8th March we are having a Valentine School Disco from 5-7pm. Please could you send £4 into the office in a named envelope so they can send their tickets home to you. The cost will include food and a drink.

Please let the office know if your child is unwell first thing in the morning.

Hope you have a great weekend and we manage to get some drier weather and we look forward to seeing you at 8.45am on Monday.

Sarah Trow



WHOLE  
SCHOOL  
ATTENDANCE:  
91%

# Stars of the week

Dinghy Class	- Ivy	- For her brilliant listening skills.
	- Mawgan	-For his fabulous resilience and kindness.
Skiff Class	- Phoebe	- For coming back after half term with a focused approach to her learning
	- Rudy	- For his brilliant maths skills this week, in addition and subtraction.
Lugger Class	- Spencer	- Working hard on his confidence, putting your hand up to have a go and working hard on his written methods in maths,
	- Ezra	-For his outstanding effort in all his learning and focusing so well on what he is doing particularly his excellent rainforest writing.
Schooner Class	- Amelie	- For consistently demonstrated all the attributes of a determined Year 6 pupil and your good progress in shapes and angles.
	-Zennor	- For showing a real desire to learn and dedication to improve and being brave to ask for help when needed.
	-Alina	- For really impressing us with you inquisitive nature and desire to improve in all areas of your learning.

## Marvellous Mouse Of The Week



Noah

For her amazing knowledge of her letters and sounds!

HOUSE POINTS: 

**PORTHCHAPEL: 177**

**GWYNVER: 91**

**SENNEN: 117**

**PRAA SANDS: 147**





Congratulations to Otto, Ella and Peter for qualifying for the district final in the Rotary Youth Speak Competition!!



Martha and Kerra wore their new Brownie hoodies to school on Thursday to celebrate World Thinking Day.



Congratulations Ella on achieving 1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th at the National Cheerleading Competition-and amazing achievement!



Mousehole Mice and Dinghy Class had a wonderful art session with Annie Vigar creating cupcakes out of clay and decorating plates with different dyes.



## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Spring Term:

Mon 26th Feb-Thurs 29th Feb Schooner  
Camp

Mon 4th March St Piran Concert 7pm St  
Johns Hall

Tues 5th March St Piran Parade 10am

Thurs 7th March World Book Day

Fri 8th March School Disco 5.30-7pm

Wed 13th March Tempest Group Photos

Fri 15th March Comic Relief Red Nose Day

Tues 19th-Wed 20th March Luggar Camp

Fri 22nd March Skiff Parent/Grandparent  
Lunch

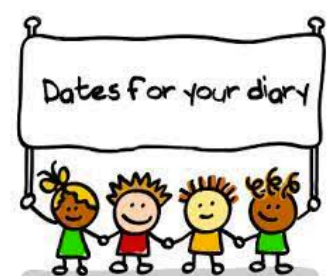
Tues 26th March Songfest

Thurs 28th March Last day of clubs

Last Day of Term- Thurs 28th March

**2023-2024 INSET Days:**

Wednesday 24th July 2024



Together for Families

# Early Help Parenting Newsletter – Spring 2024



Free information, support and guidance for parents and carers.

## Need help?

Contact the Early Help Hub on 01872 322277 for support, advice and guidance.

If you have immediate concerns, are worried about a child or young person's safety, please telephone the Multi Agency Referral Unit (MARU) on 0300 123 1116.

## Parenting Support Workshops

We offer interactive parenting programmes both online and face to face. For more information about our parenting support on offer and to book onto a workshop please visit:

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

The programmes currently available are:

**Solihull: Understanding your Child** – Supporting parents/carers of children aged 1 to 3, 4 to 8, or 9 to 11 (10 x 2-hour sessions)

**Take 3** – Supporting parents/carers of teenagers aged 12-17 (10 x 2-hour sessions)

**Living with Parents** – a one day workshop for parents and their young person aged 12 to 17 years.

**Supporting Healthy Relationships** – (3 x 2-hour sessions)

- **Me, You and Baby Too** (for parents pre-birth – 12 months)
- **Arguing Better** (for parents of children aged 1 – 19)
- **Getting it Right for Children** (for separated/separating parents with children aged 0 – 19)

**Understanding your Child with Additional Needs** – a self-guided course accessed through Solihull:

<https://inourplace.heiapply.com/online-learning/course/36>. To access the course, please register for an account using the code TAMAR

- If accessing from a **computer**, please [click here](#)
- If accessing from a **mobile/tablet**, please [click here](#)

## Bitesize Parenting

Bitesize parenting workshops are weekly 2-hour sessions (12:30 – 14:30) delivered by our parenting team to support on a wide range of topics. Please book on by visiting [www.cornwall.gov.uk/parenting](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/parenting)

Date	Bitesize Child (for parents/carers of children aged 4-11)
06.02.24	Remaining Calm
13.02.24	Praise and Rewards
20.02.24	Technology and Safety
27.02.24	Sibling Rivalry and Conflict
05.03.24	Bullying
12.03.24	Special time with your child
19.03.24	Supporting Education and School
26.03.24	Routines and Boundaries
Date	Bitesize Teen (for parents/carers of young people aged 12-19)
07.02.24	Sibling Rivalry and Conflict
14.02.24	Teenage Brain
21.02.24	Supporting Education and School
28.02.24	Mental Health and Wellbeing
06.03.24	Remaining Calm
13.03.24	Drugs and Alcohol
20.03.24	Technology and Safety
27.03.24	Body Image

“ I found the agreements and I-statements to be valuable tool to tackle this week. You (the facilitator) have been amazing. Very clear messaging every week. ”

– Parent of teenager attending Take 3

## **Neurodevelopmental Assessment Team (NDAT) Parent Information Sessions**

### **For parents of children who are awaiting or considering an NDAT assessment**

We will be running some information sessions in order to tell you more about:

- ❖ The NDAT team – who are we?
- ❖ The assessment process:
- ❖ What happens in the initial appointment?
- ❖ What information we need to gather for the assessment?
- ❖ What other factors we might consider during the assessment process?
- ❖ What help is available whilst you are waiting for the assessment to occur?
- ❖ We will also update you on any new developments

**We have planned the following online video meetings to be held via Microsoft TEAMS:**

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> February 2024 - 10am – 11.30am**

To **book a place** please email your name, your child's name & your child's date of birth to:

[cpn-tr.asdteam@nhs.net](mailto:cpn-tr.asdteam@nhs.net)

Here is what a few of the previous attendees have to say about the information sessions:

*"Excellent presentation and informative", "It helped me understand the process from ASDAT's viewpoint", "[The most useful parts were] finding out what is involved at the assessment and what to expect."*