

# MOUSEHOLE NEWS

Friday 11th October 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had a wonderful time celebrating Paul Feast this week. It started with our Paul Feast Calypso Concert on Tuesday with the children singing with great gusto, reading poems they had written about Autumn and wonderful musical interludes on the violins, keyboards, cornet, guitar and ukulele. St Pol Du Leon welcomed us into the church and it was lovely to have so many members of the local community present to share this with us. A big thank you for the lovely refreshments provided for the children afterwards. This was followed by the Paul Feast Games in school on Wednesday where the children worked in the house teams to overcome several challenges, including which team could create the longest line across the playground. Alina and Coco helped the teams to warm up before hand helped by the House Captains. Thank you to Mrs Bond for organising the saffron buns which the children enjoyed afterwards and to Mrs Symons and Mr Ansell for organising the games. This year the winning house was Gwynver (green) winning by just one point! Finally the I attended the Paul Feast Church service on Sunday with Henry, Coco and Brayden who took part in the church service and shared their experiences and links with St Pol Du Leon Church with clarity and confidence. I was very proud of all of you at these special event throughout the week.

On Saturday children from Lugger and Schooner had the been asked to be guards of honour for the Pirates Rugby Club and play a match at half time as part of the sessions they have been having weekly in school. It was a fantastic opportunity for the children and they represented the school beautifully.

On Tuesday a selection of children represented us at the cross country race at Mounts Bay School. The children ran well in some very muddy conditions and demonstrated great grit and determination. We had 2 stand out runners with Jude coming 5th and Coco coming 7th. Well done to all who took part and good luck in your future races.

This week we discussed World Mental Health Day in assembly and in our classes reminding ourselves how to keep our minds as healthy as our bodies. The children talked about what they can do to improve their mental health and who to talk to. Lugger made some fantastic posters to help us.

Mousehole Mice had a super time making pumpkin pictures with apple prints and creating rain with the musical instruments at Solomon Browne this week.

**Reminder please use the footpath when walking up to school and not the road as cars are coming and going at this time.**

I hope you have a restful weekend and we look forward to seeing you all on Monday for a prompt 8.45am start.

Best wishes

Sarah Trow

# Stars of the week

<b>Skiff Class</b>	- Raph	- Wow Raph, you have really, really impressed us all with your amazing attitude, focus and learning-woohoo!
	- Eugenie	-We have noticed all the brilliant learning you are doing and all your kind, helpful and thoughtful actions-superstar!
<b>Lugger Class</b>	-Charlie C	For your fantastic focus in class and on the rugby pitch! 'Wowing' us with your independent work and super multiplication knowledge.
<b>Schooner Class</b>	- Theo	- For his positive attitude to his learning and being prepared and focused in class sessions.
	- Brayden	-For always stepping up and helping wherever he can. He is a true ambassador for the school and a great role model to others.

## Marvellous Mouse Of The Week




**Zelda**

For being the happiest most kindest friend to everyone in Mousehole Mice.  
Well done Zelda!





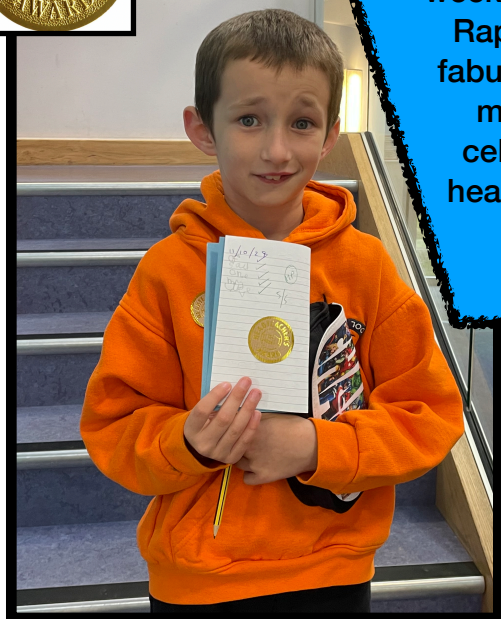
WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE:  
95.3%  
SKIFF-96.6%  
LUGGER- 98 %  
SCHOONER-90.3%

**HOUSE POINTS:** 

**PORTHCHAPEL: 131**  
**GWYNVER: 193**  
**SENNEN:184**  
**PRAA SANDS: 309**



Head teachers awards were given this week to Yael, Ruby, Phoebe, Raphi, Kit and Charlie for fabulous work in spellings, maths and posters to celebrate World mental health day. Great work all of you-keep it up!




**Goolan-  
Seagull**

Congratulations to Iona and her team who won the Cornwall Team tennis at the weekend. She took part in individual and doubles matches. The team winning 40-35.



A wonderful turn out to celebrate Paul Feast Concert- thank you for coming along to support the children. Thank you to Henry, Brayden, Coco and Freddie for representing the school at the Paul Feast church service on Sunday.



Children demonstrated great team work and imagination in our Paul Feast games. Congratulations to Gwynver House for winning!



Year 2 had a great time building dens and Mr Ansell sprayed water on them to check to see if they were waterproof as part of materials that they have been learning in Science.





The children had a wonderful experience at the Pirates Rugby Club on Saturday watching the game against Bedford Blues. They had the opportunity to be the guard of honour as the players ran out, played a mini match at half time and collected all the players autographs at the end. They represented the school perfectly and their behaviour was acknowledged by the staff. Thank you all for coming along to support.



## **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

### **HALF TERM: Monday 28th October 2024**

Friday 18th October 2024-Nasal Flu

Wednesday 23rd October 2024-Yr 5 Junior Life skills

Wednesday 23rd October 2024 Parent Consultations: 1pm-6pm

### **INSET DAY: Monday 4th November 2024 school closed**

Tues 5th -8th November 2024 Mousehole Mice parent Meetings

Wed 6th Nov FROMS coffee afternoon at Solomon Browne TBC

Friday 15th November 2024 - Children in Need

Monday 9th December School Christmas Fair- 2.30-4.30pm

Thursday 12th December 2024 Save the Children Christmas Jumper day

Tuesday 17th December 2024 Christmas Concert 6pm

Wed 18th December 2024 Whole School Christmas Dinner

Friday 20th December 2024-Last day of Autumn Term

### **2024-2025 INSET Days:**

Monday 4th November 2024

Monday 21st July 2025

Tuesday 22nd July 2025

Wednesday 23rd July 2025



# **SUPER 'AUTUMN' STORY TIME FOR 4-8 YEAR OLDS**



**WEDNESDAY 30TH OCTOBER**  
**10.30-11.30. READING ROOM AT THE MORRAB LIBRARY**

*Autumn, Autumn, leaves falling, animals hibernating, wind whistling, Autumn, Autumn*

Nature is changing with a blaze of colour before the winter months begin. Come to The Morrab Library to celebrate this spectacular time of year. Let's build an Autumn poem, create our own birds and make some feeders to decorate the trees around the library.

This workshop session will be led by Jak Stringer. Super Storytime is a journey for 4 to 8-year-olds but there will be refreshments for the grown-ups they bring along! Booking is essential so please let us know if you would like to come along so we can make sure we have enough cake!

All children will need to be accompanied by an adult. Entry to this event is free but donations are welcomed to help support The Morrab Library (suggested £5).

Contact us at [enquiries@morrablibrary.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@morrablibrary.org.uk) or telephone: 01736 364474 to book a place. You'll find our beautiful library in the heart of Morrab Gardens.



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# 'FLYAIKU' WRITING

WITH THE POETRY POSTIE



**A WORKSHOP FOR 8-11 YEAR OLDS**  
**FRIDAY 1ST NOVEMBER**  
**10AM - 12.30PM. READING ROOM AT THE MORRAB LIBRARY**

Sally Crabtree, aka The Poetry Postie, will be stopping off at The Morrab Library on her rounds during the half term holidays. Poetry Postie delivers poetic inspiration with colourful, quirky, interactive performances exploring the notion of communication through poetry postcards, lyrical letters and singing telegrams.

In this family workshop, aimed at children aged 8-11, the Postie will also be helping participants to create a poetic post bag of Air Mail - crafting FLYaikus, haikus folded into paper aeroplanes. The session will end with words taking to the sky in a FLYaiku contest!

Children must be accompanied by an adult. Refreshments will be provided. Entry to this event is free but donations are welcomed to help support The Morrab Library (suggested £5).

Booking is essential: please email [enquiries@morrablibrary.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@morrablibrary.org.uk) or call The Morrab Library on 01736 364474 to book a place.



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