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Newsletter



We aim to create an exceptional school that harbours confidence, respect and a love of learning and prepares children for the challenges and adventures of life.

Dinghy Class pirate parrots



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A big **Thank You** to those parents who turned up yesterday to help Dax with some heavy manual work on the circular grass area in the playground. It is taking shape quite fast now and the children's design for the area will soon be realised.



What do we need to take flight? **Skiff Class** have had a busy half term: writing flying spells; learning about the first woman to fly to Australia solo! We encountered a spooky witch in the woods up on the school field who taught us how to make potions and had a fantastic visit from an actual airline pilot and stewardess. It was great fun acting out life working on an airline plane. Today they cast flying spells with magical results!!



There have also been some spooky goings on in **Lugger Class** this week. They had a visit from vampire expert, Dr Van Helsing. They wrote some fantastic directions to get to Dracula's tomb at Whitby Abbey.



The **High 5** A-team played a league game against St Buryan School and won 9-2. The B-team played against Sennen School and, again, won 7-0. The previous week our girls football team played brilliantly at the Penwith PE festival. They scored 12 goals in 4 games. Our other football team have won the Cornwall Small Schools tournament two years in a row and will be representing Cornwall at the regional finals next term. Well done teams... great work.

Schooner Class have been making films this week to retell the greatest love story ever told. It is the story behind one of India's greatest land marks – the Taj Mahal. Here is a picture of the cast of the films.



Parent Governor

elections! We have an excellent governing body at Mousehole School who are regularly praised by outside agencies involved in reviewing the school's provision (Cornwall School Improvement Team, Challenge Partners and Ofsted). The governing body are looking to recruit two committed and positive thinking parents to the governing body. Look out for information and nomination forms which will be sent out in the first week after half term. If you want any more information about the role of the governor please speak to one of our current parent governors (George Manzi or Tracey Bowers). You can also speak to Mr Roynon, Linda Hodgson (the chair of governing body) or Vikki Hills (vice-chair).

At last week's **Celebration Assembly Star Award's** the certificates went to Tess and Ruan in Dinghy Class, Rubie and Flo in Skiff Class, Lulu in Lugger Class and Anabelle, Jessica, Faith and Leon in Schooner Class. This week the awards go to Ted and Mollie in Dinghy Class, Solomon, Bibi and Flora in Skiff Class, Kyla, Elle, Kade and Isla Mc in Lugger Class and Poppy, Thomas and Dylan in Schooner Class. Congratulations and well done, you are all Mousehole stars!



Diary Dates for information:

Monday, 26th October – Start of half term week.

Tuesday, 3rd November – Skiff Class field trip.

Wednesday, 4th November – Parent Consultation day.

Thursday, 5th November – Bonfire Bang special lunch menu.

Monday, 9th November – Schooner Class field trip.

Friday, 13th November – Skiff Class field trip.

Monday, 16th November – Schooner Class field trip.

Thursday, 19th November – School Nurse visit Reception and Year 6.

Tuesday, 24th November – Bags2School clothes collection.

Thursday, 26th November – Indian special lunch menu.

Thursday, 3rd December – Christmas Fayre 3:00-5:00pm.

Tuesday, 15th December – Christmas concert at St Pol de Leon.

Wednesday, 16th December – Children's Christmas meal.

Monday, 21st December – Start of the Christmas holidays.

Monday, 4th January 2016 – Start of Spring term.

Monday, 15th February – Start of half term week.

Don't forget, dates can be found on the events page of our website. By clicking on events you can often find out more.

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Have a great half term break!