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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.



Peter from Wonder Struck igniting children's curiosity

Thank you to FROMS for funding the workshop

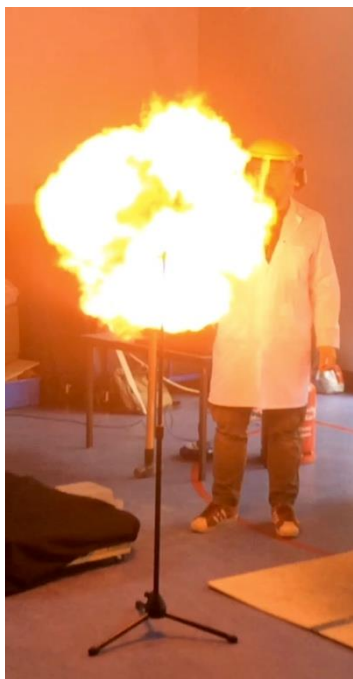
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At last week's **Celebration Assembly the Star Award** certificates went to Ben and Reign in Dinghy Class, Sunny, Tess and Bethany in Skiff Class, Reggie and Daisy in Lugger Class and Sam, Honey and Harrison in Schooner Class. This week activities were taking place in the school hall so no assembly. Congratulations and well done, you are all Mousehole stars!



Our KS2 children have had a truly exciting day working with Peter Wright from Wonder Struck and his **Science Show and Castles Workshop**. The children learnt lots of interesting facts about the history and science of explosives and rocket propulsion. They also found out about how the science of forces and pressure dictates how castles are built and sometimes destroyed.





This is intended as a polite reminder as the weather turns colder that we expect all children to come to school every day wearing a school jumper or cardigan which proudly displays our **school badge**.

We would like to pass on our best wishes to **Mrs Eustace** from Dinghy Class as she starts her maternity leave. We look forward to having her come back soon for a visit. Thank you to all parents who contributed towards her flowers and mummy pampering gifts.



Dinghy Class enjoyed their first school trip to Penzance Fire Station learning how to keep safe on Bonfire Night. There were some great questions and lots of fun was had by all. Don't

forget if you catch fire: **STOP, DROP and ROLL**.

We are still waiting for some **sponsorship money** to be handed in from our recent **Sports for Schools** event with Anthony James the Team GB swimmer. When we have collected all the money we will ensure that children receive their prizes. If you have returned your child's form but not the money, please ensure it is handed into the office as soon as possible.



Our **Three2Five Club** is extremely busy. We thought some of you would like to know we are currently looking at increasing capacity which may mean raising prices. In the meantime it is still really important to book places well in advance.

Rude	Unintentional	Hurtful	One-off
Mean	Intentional	Hurtful	One-off
Bullying	Intentional	Hurtful	Happens more than once, even when you ask them to stop or show that you are upset

This week we have been discussing bullying and using some of the Anti-Bullying Alliance resources released for recognition of **Anti-Bullying Week**. We have been talking about what bullying is (see the chart above) and using the Power For Good (kind words and compliments) to maintain the positive school atmosphere at Mousehole School which doesn't allow bullying behaviours to build momentum.

School Information:

Don't forget, a full and up to date listing of school events and dates can be found on the CALENDAR page of our website. A copy of all the newsletters and everything you would like to know about the school is also located on the school website. We hope you enjoy following the Twitter feed as well.

We are currently considering a number of ways to improve the way we communicate with parents and the community including Facebook and our own eschools app. We will be setting up some form of feedback to canvas opinion on this. If you think it would be useful then please let us know at the parent's consultation on Wednesday.

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