28th April 2017 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.



Schooner Class poetry and water colours

Foxes Lane, Mousehole, Penzance, Cornwall, TR19 6QQ Tel: 01736 731427 www.mousehole.cornwall.sch.uk @MouseholeSch At the first **Celebration Assembly** of the summer term the **Star Award** certificates went to Jasper and Lacey in Dinghy Class, Harriet, Maisie and Sunny in Skiff Class, Sawyer, Oscar and Eliza in Lugger Class and Billy, Isla and Anya in Schooner

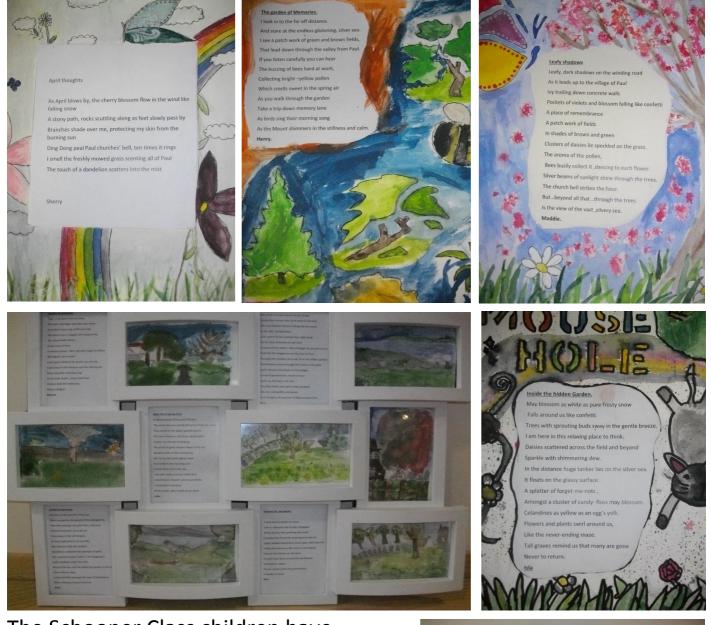
Class. Congratulations and well done, you are all Mousehole stars!



Skiff Class are well on the way to creating our **Pollination Garden**, thanks to David Kilner from the Polli:Nation project who visited us this week. The children planted a lovely variety of plants which should all attract those all-important bees. We need the bees to pollinate the plants which provide us with food and they help our wild flowers to thrive. If you see a watering can or jug near the outdoor tap and the plants look dry please feel free to fill it from the water butt or tap and water the plants. This project needs volunteers like you to help us keep

a beautiful and purposeful garden blooming. Enjoy watching it grow and look out for new additions to the garden areas. We would also like to say a huge 'thanks you' to those parents who came in and helped clear the garden beds and cleaned the place up. Also, thank you to Trevena Cross Garden Centre for helping us out with such lovely plants.





The Schooner Class children have created some lovely poems and illustrations which will be on display at St Pol de Leon Church for a couple of weeks as part of their **Poetry Festival**. On Monday, 1st May, at 11:00am eight children will be performing at the festival and showing their work.



Everyone is welcome to attend this free event.

You should have received a 'Mood Board' for this year's **Mazey Day** event giving you some suggestions on costumes. Mrs Newborn is still on the hunt for metallic paper and card to make this year's parade images, so please bring them in. You may have noticed we have had the pleasure of welcoming a few **New Pupils** recently. Our current pupil role is 106! This the most pupils we have had at Mousehole for 10 years. This is reassuring in the face of real term cuts to the education budget and diminishing local authority services as the vast majority of school and academy funding is based on the pupil role. We thought it would be helpful to know, we have a few spaces in years 2, 3 and 5. We also have 2 spaces for a start in reception class in September 2017.

Please Remember if you thinking about sandals or croc style shoes for your child for the summer, make sure they are appropriate for the playground they should have closed toes and be blue, black or grey.

Dates for your diary:

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.

Monday, 1st May – Bank holiday. Tuesday, 2nd May – Surfing Year 4 & 5 Wednesday, 3rd May – Skiff Class Eden trip. Thursday, 4th May – FROMS tea party – Solomon Brown Hall. Monday, 8th May – Start of SAT's week. Monday, 15th May – Bags2School collection at 9:00am. Tuesday, 16th May – Surfing Year 2 & 3 Friday, 19th May – FROMS pub quiz – Kings Arms. Monday, 22nd May – Start of school camp for Schooner Class. Saturday, 27th May – May King & Queen at Paul. Monday, 29th May – Start of half term week. Monday, 5th June – School closed for staff training. Tuesday, 6th June – School closed for staff training. Thursday, 8th June – Carn Brea athletics. Monday, 12th June – Start of RE block – The Circle of Life.

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