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Multi Academy Trust
Our Mission, Vision and Values

Mission: The Roseland Trust provides outstanding education for our communities, where everyone succeeds.

Vision: To inspire a love of learning within environments that are happy, respectful and challenging, where everyone feels valued and able to reach their full potential.

Values: Kindness, Ambition, Responsibility.



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Dear Parent(s)/Carer(s),

I cannot start my newsletter without mentioning the sad events in Ukraine and Russia. As a school, we have decided not to hold in depth assemblies regarding this. Instead, we are taking a class and child led approach whereby teachers will support pupils and respond to questions and emotional needs in a sensitive and impartial manner. Unicef has a range of ideas on how to support parents with talking to their children about war.

<https://www.unicef.org/parenting/how-talk-your-children-about-conflict-and-war>

Although we are taking a gentle approach, today in our assembly, we mentioned how, whilst we are powerless in war, we are empowered to help. Therefore, during our Comic Relief fundraiser, we will not only be supporting the associated charities, but will split donations with Unicef, who are especially concerned for the safety and wellbeing of children. We will open ParentPay for donations nearer the time. Thank you.

The school is very grateful to the anonymous donor of our 'Buddy Bench'. This is placed in the school playground and encourages pupils to build empathy, communication and inclusivity. There have been many examples of this, this week.

We had an excellent uptake with our Year SATs Family Learning Session on Monday evening. Thank you for attending; we hope that you found it useful. Please do not forget to complete the online feedback form so that we can evaluate and plan future events. Thank you. Next Wednesday, we will be holding our Year 2 SATs Family Learning session. Please email Mrs Kirby to confirm your attendance for this very important meeting. Thank you.

On Wednesday, the school sang together in a live online Sonfest 2022 concert with schools from all over Cornwall, singing songs about hopes and dreams. It was lovely to see the whole school singing together as this was not permitted during Covid restrictions.

On Thursday, the school enjoyed celebrating World Book Day by wearing their pyjamas and spending the day carrying out activities focused on reading. Everyone snuggled comfortably and shared their favourite books.

Don't forget that Porthluney will be swimming from Monday-Thursday afternoon next week and will need their swimming kit in school. They may still have a school dinner as there will be plenty of time to eat before they go.

Please sign up for Parent's Evening on Tuesday. This meeting with your child's/children's class teacher(s) is essential in sharing their progress, discussing next steps and how this may be supported at home.

We are always seeking volunteers to support us with class trips, hear pupils read and share their expertise in our school. If you are interested in becoming a school volunteer, please could you email Mrs Kirby to request details about how you go about this. Your support would be greatly received and is very much needed!

Little Carne Nursery have enjoyed a week of learning about The Hungry Caterpillar. They also had a great time for World Book Day and Pancake Day. The highlight this week has been tasting pancakes, making natural crowns in the woodland and enjoying bedtime stories with their teddies. Can we politely ask parents that toys and belongings from home are not encouraged in Nursery and we ask for children to wear or bring in indoor shoes as well as wellies.

Towan Class have been learning about safari animals and their habitats. We have been looking at the book 'Handa's surprise' and drawing/writing about things that they would like to have in their basket. On Monday, Towan especially amazed me with their super musical and listening skills. Also, this week, the children loved meeting our vet visitor and thoroughly enjoyed asking questions about their job.

Summers Class had a great last cricket lesson with Mr Shaikh this week. They put together all of the skills that they had learnt during the previous weeks in order to play a game of 'Rapid Fire'. The children had to work as individuals in order to score runs and as part of a team in order to field the balls and stop the other team from getting runs. The children worked well together and



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had a great time. Also, this week, the children have been working in small groups to compose a piece of superhero music, incorporating the aspects of music that they have been learning about: tempo and pitch.

Porthcurnick Class have been writing instructions on how to tame and train a dragon. They have started their new textiles unit, practising running stitch before they start working on their dragon eye mat designs. They also had a very interesting lesson thinking about all the different friends they have in their lives, where they met them, why they are their friends and who their most important friends are.

Portholland Class have been enjoying using 'Tuesday' by David Wiesner in their English lessons this week. In the book, giant lily pads appear all over the town one morning but the residents don't know where they have come from. The children have been writing newspaper articles based on this story, which were very amusing indeed!

Porthluney Class have been learning about the D-Day landings and describing scenes using their senses as part of their English lessons. In science, the class has been making periscopes and explaining how they work. The year 6s have also been tackling algebra with great attitudes towards their learning.

Yours sincerely,

Kate Douglass



Before half term, our Benchball Team took part in a tournament at The Roseland. They all played exceptionally well and I could see an improvement in their confidence and tactics as the games went on. Well done to them!

Our cross country team had a pre race training session yesterday in preparation for their race on Tuesday.

Mr Shaikh held his last group of cricket sessions this week and the children really enjoyed playing 'Rapid Fire'. Thank you to Cornwall Cricket and Chance to Shine.

Porthluney will be swimming next week.

Miss K Mulroy
P.E lead



Congratulations to our School Council members.

Porthluney: Emily and Anna
Portholland: Lily and Ailla
Porthcurnick: Sennen S and Tabitha
Summers: Riley and Brandon

You can find the minutes from our meetings on the school website under the 'About Us' heading.

Miss Mulroy



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Letter reminders

For your information, the majority of letters will be sent via email so please check your inbox frequently! Thank you.

- Parents' Evening email and sign up
- Year 2 SATs Information Evening
- Price increase of school dinners
- Civid update

Value of the week

Respect

E-safety and Internet safety

You don't need to be an expert on the internet to help keep your child safe online. The link below, provides advice and resources so that you can support your child to use the internet safely, responsibly and positively.

<https://saferinternet.org.uk/guide-and-resource/parents-and-carers>

Forthcoming dates

- Porthluney Swimming: 7th March, 8th March, 9th March, 10th March, 4th April
- Tuesday 8th March Parents' Evening
- Key Stage 1 SATs Family Learning Wednesday 16th March 6pm
- Towan Swimming: 14th March, 16th March
- Summers Swimming: 15th March, 17th March, 7th April
- Porthcurnick Swimming: 21st March, 22nd March, 23rd March, 24th March, 5th April
- Portholland Swimming: 28th March, 29th March, 30th March, 31st March, 6th April
- Monday 11th April - Friday 22nd April ~ Easter Holidays
- Monday 2nd May - Bank Holiday—School Closed to pupils
- Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June - Half Term
- Friday 10th June - INSET DAY - School Closed to pupils
- Friday 22nd July Last Day of Term
- Monday 25th & Tuesday 26th July - INSET DAYS School Closed to pupils

Inset Days for 2021/22

Friday 10th June 22

Monday 25th July 22

Tuesday 26th July 22

Finally, don't forget to check our website for school related information. Each class has a page and a blog so you can see what your child is learning at school. You can also add us on



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Headteacher awards

Little Carne:
Towan: Logan for making the right choices
Summers: Gabriel, Toby R, Chester, Frank and Rory for being kind, caring and inclusive towards pupils on the 'Buddy Bench'.
Porthcurnick:
Portholland:
Porthcurnick;
Porthluney: Archie, Lawrie and Isaac for emotive reverse poems.



Class certificates

Little Carne: Nell for having a great first week in Nursery.
Towan: Ana for being a good friend and encouraging others to not give up
Summers: Toby G for always being polite and saying please and thank you
Porthcurnick: Layla for making an improvement in maths, English and reading, showing much more confidence.
Portholland: Georgia, Ailla and Annie for excellent reading test results.
Porthluney: Jago and Thomas for making outstanding progress in their reading assessments, both achieving the greater depth standard!
PE Award: Delia for always working hard in PE and being a great partner.



Lighthouse teams

Team captains and points
Godrevy: Krystal and Caitlin - 2508
Trevose: Jago and Anna - 2156
St Antony: Elwyn and Curtis - 3192
Lizard: Isaac and Megan - 2635



Attendance

Towan: 78.57%
Summers: 96.33%
Porthcurnick: 89.29%
Portholland: 90.71%
Porthluney: 100.00%



Reading Karate

White band - Isla Y
Yellow band - Oscar, Aubrey, William
Orange band - Ben, Merryn, Lacey, Evie, Liam

Blue band - Sennen, Persie, Liam, Krystal, Mia
Green band - Arthur, Henry F, Megan, Ailla, Wilf, Eva, Anna, Aimee, Leonora, Emily, Isaac
Brown band - Jasper, Tabitha, Robert, Jago, Lola B, Lola G, Henry, Megan, Saskia, Lawrie, Caitlin
Black band - Frank, Elizabeth, Annabelle, Curtis





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