



# DEVORAN NEWS

## Message from the Head

Dear Parents and Carers

What a great first week back! Everyone has returned full of energy and excitement for the final half term of the academic year. Our children very much enjoyed a performance of *Sword in the Stone* by Image Theatre that was kindly arranged and paid for by our wonderful PTCA. The children were not only a great audience, but also performed admirably too!

On Wednesday, 23 of our children took part in the Cornwall Primary Schools Athletics Championships held at Carn Brea track. The children took part in 3 different events each, there were 15 schools altogether with 228 athletes taking part. We are so proud of all the children and we took home medals in an amazing 16 events, 4 gold, 10 silver and 5 bronze. It was so lovely to see all the children encouraging, praising and congratulating one other. Some of the children attempted the high jump and long jump for the very first time and won medals. All the children ran strong, our hearts were racing with some nail-biting finishes. It truly was a day to remember. Go Devoran! The photos are included on the next few pages of this newsletter!

On Wednesday evening, we also celebrated 7 of Our Year Six children who had been awarded special awards at the prestigious TRLC ceremony in the Cathedral. 3 of our Year 5 children also sang along with other schools to mark this special occasion. Congratulations to everyone involved. We are all very proud of you.

We hope your children all enjoyed the discos on Thursday evening. We look forward to more PTCA events to come in the near future!

Today we welcomed our new starters (September) to their first learning together event in their new Foundation Stage outside area. It was lovely to see their excited faces. Welcome to Devoran Class of 2029!

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes

Miss Lock

### Aidan runs THIS WEEKEND!

We all wish Aidan all the very best for his amazing Centurion Challenge this weekend.

If you would like to track him, please download the Open Tracking App or use the following website:

[https://live.centurionrunning.com/SDW100-2022/?mc\\_cid=b8dd99377f&mc\\_eid=7e3b1e3a05](https://live.centurionrunning.com/SDW100-2022/?mc_cid=b8dd99377f&mc_eid=7e3b1e3a05)

Don't forget you can donate to Aidan [here](#).

### Autograph Food Theme Days – CHANGES TO THE MENU

Golowen Festival – Thursday 23 June

Sports Day Picnic Menu – Monday 27 June

Please see the change to the menus on the next pages. Everyone is welcome to book their child on to a lunch via ParentPay.

Autograph are also going to be hosting a **food taster session** for parents on **Friday 24 June at 2:30pm**. This will give you the opportunity to sample some of the food on offer and meet the wonderful kitchen team who will be on hand to answer any questions you may have.

### Tom runs his 100<sup>th</sup> Parkrun!

Tom Reid in Year 6 achieved his 100<sup>th</sup> Parkrun on Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> June. We think he is the youngest runner to have achieved this at Trelissick and we are all incredibly proud of this milestone achievement. Congratulations Tom!



### PTCA Planning Meeting

There will be a PTCA Planning Meeting on **Thursday 16 June at 7pm**, Devoran School Hall. It would be great if you could attend!

### PTCA School Disco

We had great fun at our school disco on Thursday evening – so much fun we didn't even take any photos! Thank you to all the parent volunteers who helped – we can't do these events without you!

### Sports Day - save the date!

Sports Day will take place on **Monday 27 June from 9:30 – 11:30**. You are all warmly welcome to attend. The PTCA will be running a drinks station for parents too with rumours of scones, strawberries and cream, so please bring your coins for refreshments! Don't forget to wear your trainers too for the annual adult races.

Children will need to wear a T-Shirt that is the colour of their House. Ask your child which house they are in.



## Tennis Festival

Years 3 and 4 went to a Tennis Festival today. Everyone had lots of fun learning tennis skills alongside other schools. The Penair Sports Leaders took small groups of children from each school, our Devoran tennis players did really well, had fun and represented the school well.



Athletics



TRLC Awards at the Cathedral



# Image Theatre – Sword in the Stone





**10/06/22**

Dear Devoran School

Soccer Aid for UNICEF 2022 is just around the corner and we're really excited to be getting involved this year with our very own Soccer Aid Schools Challenge! This is a great opportunity to have fun, play and get the whole school together after two years of distance and disruption. Through the Schools Challenge, our pupils will learn about and raise money for children everywhere to help give them a childhood full of play.

### **What are we doing?**

To raise money, on Friday 17<sup>th</sup> June, we will be inviting children to come to school in sports kit for a donation of £1, each class will take part in a football obstacle course throughout the day. After school, children and adults will have the opportunity to take part in a 'Beat the Teacher Penalty Shootout' outside Year 6. We are asking for donations of £1 for 3 penalties all going towards this important cause.

### **How can you help?**

We would love to invite you to join in the fun! In return for a small donation, children, staff and parents will all be able to take part in a thoroughly enjoyable event, whilst making a difference to children's lives around the world.

### **Why are we doing it?**

Childhood should be one endless playtime. But around the world, disease, hunger, conflict, poverty and disaster are disrupting play for millions of kids. The money we raise can help provide clean water and vaccines, education and protection from violence so that children can grow up happy, healthy and able to play. Just like children should.

Just £6 could buy a large plastic brick to help build a classroom in Cote D'Ivoire.

Just £30 could provide an emergency shelter kit to help protect children forced from their homes.

We have set a target of raising £350 which is enough to fund a water pump for a community in a developing country.

We really appreciate your support and hope that you will join us to play, fundraise and change children's lives.

Please do get in touch if you have any questions at all, and to find out more about Soccer Aid for UNICEF, visit [socceraid.org.uk](http://socceraid.org.uk).

Thank you so much,

Yours sincerely

The Rights Respecting School Group



# Garden Party Picnic Menu

Autograph

Mini Cheese and Onion Pasties

Carrot and Cucumber Sticks

Pizza Pinwheels

All homemade by your friendly Autograph catering team!

Lemon Cupcakes

Mini Vegetarian Sausage Rolls

Rainbow Fruit Skewers



If your child doesn't currently eat school meals with us, and has any dietary requirements, please let us know ahead of any theme days so we can ensure they only eat food that is safe for them!  
Speak to your school's catering team or email [catering.helpdesk@mitie.com](mailto:catering.helpdesk@mitie.com)

For more information visit: [www.autographfood.co.uk](http://www.autographfood.co.uk)



## TODAY'S MENU



### Golowan Festival

(Celebrated 23<sup>rd</sup> December)

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**

Golowan (sometimes also Goluan or Gol-Jowan) is the Cornish language word for the Midsummer celebrations in Cornwall, UK; widespread prior to the late 19th century and most popular in the Penwith area and in particular Penzance and Newlyn

**Cornish Party Pasty**

Or

**Cheese Party Pasty**

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**Jacket Wedges, Baked Beans and Garden Peas**

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**Seasonal Salads**

**Freshly Baked Bread**

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**Festival Fruity Compote and Ice Cream**