



DEVORAN NEWS

Message from the Head

Dear Parents and Carers

There are lots of lovely events taking place this week in school including: World Book Day, our Spring Reading Café and celebrations of St Piran's Day. During World Book Day, children will be participating in online author events in each class with Michael Rosen and Helen Stephens and taking part in a host of different reading activities—lots of fun to be had by all.

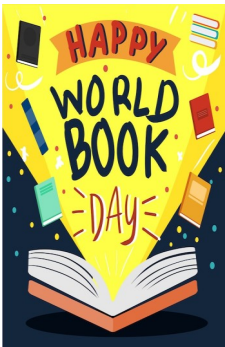
The Choir are also excited to be singing in the Cathedral on Wednesday as part of Songfest 2024—a wonderful opportunity for local schools to unite to form a mass choir.

Have a lovely week

Best Wishes

Mrs Morris

Book Swap!



If you have a book that you no longer reach for, or have grown out of, why not exchange it for a new one? Everyone is welcome to our **World Book Day Swap**. All you need to do is bring your old books along to school and then all classes will have a chance to swap during the day.



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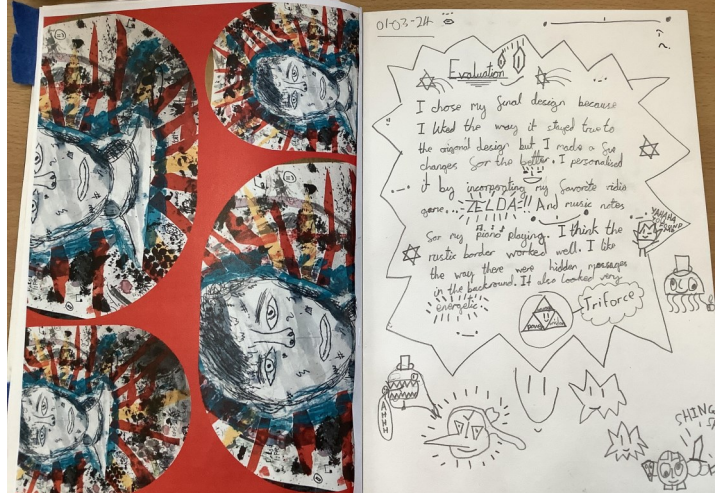
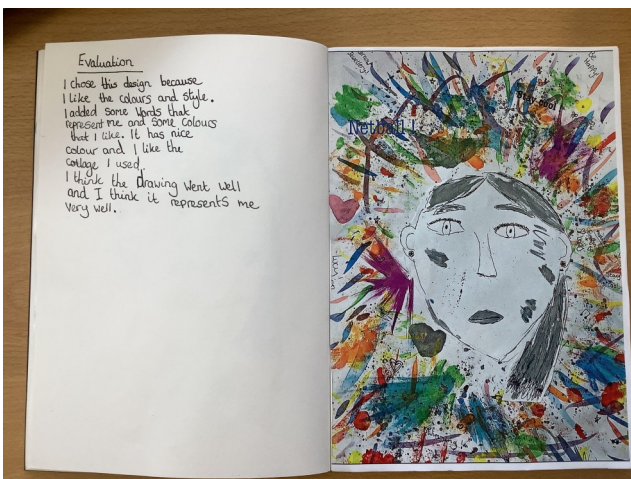
Thursday 7th March 2.40pm

Please come along to our Reading Café and join in with a reading activity with your child.



Year Six

In Year 6 Art, children have been learning to explore how artists embrace aspects of their experience of life – using their background, culture, race, gender, and interests to inform and shape their artwork. It was inspired by the artist, Mike Barrett, to enable a physical (using drawing materials, paper, collage), or digital exploration of how to make a layered portrait that captures aspects of their personality and identity. The children loved layering and using mixed media to create this collage of themselves. They then used digital software to edit and add text and filters to their designs. They chose a final design for the display and evaluated it.



Year Two

Year 2 planting their peas hydroponically in Science for our new Growing topic. We wonder how well they will grow...





Elizabeth and Arthur (Y2) are our wonderful writers for this week! Year Two's have been writing some incredible poetry and letters.

Cornwall

Springfields park has pony rides
~~and~~ animals and lots of slides

Godrevy beach is lots of fun
watching the seals lay in the sun

To Dairy land to feed the calves
and in the ~~to~~ bull pen to have some
laughs

~~for~~ finding sea glass on Trebah beach
then we have an ice cream each

We go on a ferry to St. Mawes
then into the sea to ~~wrinkle~~ wrinkle our
paws

Dear Bear, How
lucky to have been
asked to play in the
city! I think that you
should go because ~~it~~ it
is a great opportunity.
Best wishes Arthur.



Sports Messages from Mrs French...

Running Club

The Running Club have really noticed that Spring has arrived; they enjoyed seeing the lambs on their Wednesday run. If you would like to come along, please contact Mrs French.



Year Five and Six Football

The Year 5 and 6 headed to Truro Prep School on Wednesday 28th February. The Year 6 played their league match and the Year 5 played a friendly against Truro. All the boys did well on a very wet and muddy pitch. The sportsmanship and encouragement they give each other is always great to see. They were all very pleased to have a drink and a biscuit at the end.

'It was a good match and both sides played really well. We put up a good fight but they came out on top in the end. They had a good strategy and the score ended up 8-2 but at least we tried our best!' By Morley and the Year 6 boys

'We think it was a great football match because we all played well as a team and it was a fair game. We all tried our best and a great score of 3-0 to DEVORAN! It was fun indeed! We got to see old friends including club friends', by Freddie T and the Year 5 boys.



Upcoming Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 5 March – Y6 and FS Height and Weight check

Wednesday 6 March – Songfest

Thursday 7 March – World Book Day and Reading Café

Monday 11 March – Cornwall Music Festival starts

Friday 15 March—Red Nose Day (wear something red)

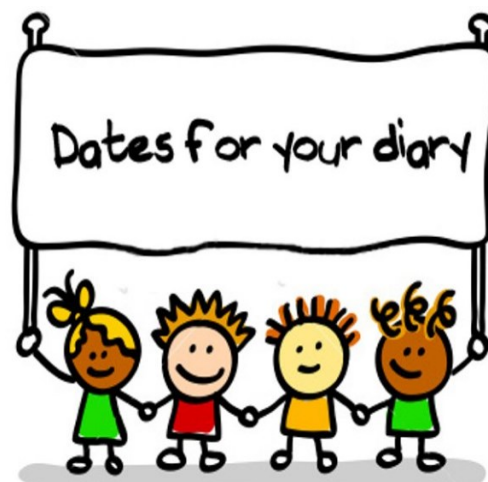
Friday 15 March—House Team event pm

Monday 18 March—Stay Safe Online

(Parents evening session)

Saturday 23 March – Devoran Spring Flower Show

Monday 25 March – Rocksteady Concert 10.00am



Friday 15 March

Please wear something red (no matter how small) and help us to raise money for Red Nose Day. There will be **RED NOSES** available to purchased from the office from **Monday 11 March** for £2.



Careful Driving

Please be mindful when dropping off or collecting your child/ren from the school grounds. The road leading up to school can become very busy and it is vital that we safeguard all our children by ensuring that we drive carefully, even if it means being a few minutes late!

Thank you for your consideration.

House Points

| Longships | Pendeen | Trevose | Godrevy |
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| 197 | 224 | 197 | 180 |

Congratulations to Pendeen!

Don't let your child catch it

– get them vaccinated with the MMR vaccine

The number of young people catching measles has risen. It's never too late to be vaccinated. You need two doses of MMR one month apart to be fully protected against measles, mumps and rubella.

It's time to make measles a disease of the past.

If you have symptoms of measles, stay at home and phone your GP or NHS 111 for advice. **STAY AWAY** from GP surgeries and A&E departments – you could spread the illness to others.

Measles symptoms include: high fever; sore, red, watery eyes; coughing; aching and feeling generally unwell; a blotchy red brown rash, which usually appears after the initial symptoms.

 **mmunisation**

the safest way to protect your child

For more information contact your local GP surgery or visit: www.nhs.uk/mmr