



NEWSLETTER

19th April 2018

Dear Parents

Welcome back to the Summer term. I hoped that you all enjoyed the break. Finally we seem to be due good weather. Please make sure that all children have sun hats and sun cream applied before coming into school.

We are delighted to announce that the children raised £217 for Sport Relief. It's not too late to send any outstanding sponsorship money to the school and we will forward it on to the charity.

David Reardon
Headteacher

DIARY DATESto cut out and keep!

April	
20 th	KS2 visit to MVV Waste management, Plymouth
23 rd	All after school clubs start
26 th	Parents Phonics session, 2.30pm
27 th	Duchy Cross Country- permission slips will follow shortly
30 th	Tempest Photos for Classes & Teams – <i>please note new date</i>
May	
7 th	Bank Holiday – School Closed
11 th	Duchy Cross County Presentation
12 th	FOTS Duck Race
14 th – 17 th	SATS week
16 th	Governors Meeting



Pre-School & Hedgehog News

Welcome back to the Summer term. We hope that you all enjoyed the break. If there are any Easter holiday achievements or experiences that need to be included in your child's Learning Journal, please tell Miss Farrelly.

Please make sure that all children have sunhats with them each day while the current fine weather lasts and have suncream applied before they come to school.

This term we are having animals for our topic. Please send in any photos of your pets or any animals you may have seen at zoos or farm parks.

Miss Farrelly will be holding a Parent's Phonics session on Thursday 26th April at 2.30pm. This will just assist parents to support reading at home. It is open to all parents throughout the school.

Stay and Play will continue to run every Friday morning from 9.00 am – 10.15am at a cost of £1.00 per adult. This will give our new and future parents and carers, with toddlers the opportunity to introduce their children to the Pre-School and its facilities. There is no need to book – just pop in for a chat and a cup of tea.

KS2 VISIT TO MVV WASTE MANAGEMENT

Owls and Badgers class will be visiting MVV Waste management in Plymouth on Friday 20th April. We will be traveling to Plymouth by train from Gunnislake station and are asking parents for help with transporting the children to and collecting from the station. Children should be dropped off at Gunnislake station by 9.10am where they will be met by a member of staff and collected again when the train returns at 1.45pm. Younger siblings can be dropped off at the school earlier than normal to accommodate parents driving to the station.

Children will need a packed lunch, a drink and a coat. Permission slips have been sent out.

Friends of Trekenner School

We are holding our popular Duck Race on **Saturday 12th May**. Please meet and park at Treburley Club at 2.00pm for a 2.30pm race start. Sadly we are not able to permit dogs. After the race there will be refreshments and cakes available – if you are able to donate or buy a cake for the sale, we would be grateful. Raffle tickets will be sent home shortly to purchase a duck for £1 each. The first prize is £50 cash, with other prizes available on the day. More information will follow but please come along and join us for this popular family fun day.

SPORT & CLUBS

All Clubs will start week commencing 23rd April 2018



GARDENING CLUB This will take place on Tuesdays, starting Tuesday 24th April with Miss West & Mrs Behennah. Parents are welcome to send 'gardening clothes' with their child if they wish. There will be limited spaces available and this club will become the cooking club in the Autumn term so that children follow the whole process of growing food to eat. We would be grateful for any donations of seeds, plants, compost or gardening tools. The club is open for years 2 - 6



FOOTBALL: Football Club will start on Tuesday 24th April and is open to children from Year 1 – Year 6. As a general rule for football, if it has rained for most of the day and is still raining at 3.00pm, the session will be cancelled. If the session begins in adequate conditions but is interrupted by the weather, we shall as speedily as possible head for Owls Class and play indoor games. On such occasions a towel in your child's Kit bag would be handy. The session for the infant children (Years 1 & 2) will end at 4.00pm and at 4.15pm for the junior children. There is no need to complete the permission slip unless your child is new to the club.



STEM BUILDING CLUB (Science technology engineering & making) Following our successful STEM day, Mrs Harrison will be holding a STEM Club on Thursday's starting on **Thursday 26th April**. As there will be glue guns, scissors & other implements being used, this club is for serious participants only please.



INFANT SUMMER SPORTS will start on **Thursday 26th April** with Mr Horn and will include such sports as rounders, cricket and athletics. This will be for the children from Squirrels Class only. Please bring a change of clothing and suitable footwear for activities on the field. The club will finish at 4.00pm.



JUNIOR SUMMER MULTI SPORTS CLUB with Ryan Lucas will start on **Friday 27th April from 3.15pm – 4.15pm**. This will be for children from Year 3 – 6 and will include sports such as cricket, rounders and tennis

Next Newsletter during week commencing: 30th April 2018

VOUCHERS / TOKENS / PRINTER CARTRIDGES:

Your help with these collections will be very much appreciated.....

Store / Product	What we Get	Scheme Ends
Printer Cartridges	A new scheme run by The Recycling Factory is now operating. However, only small inkjet cartridges can be recycled mainly Hewlett Packard, Epson, Dell Kodak, Samsung and Canon	Open ended

Equality To keep up with the constant changes in current legislation, we are asked to measure the impact of our equality schemes. If you would like to be involved in this process, please contact me. If you feel that you or your children are ever treated unfairly in any way, please make sure that I know about it. I would also like to remind you that if you wish to discuss your child's progress at any time, appointments can be made with the teachers at the office.

Safeguarding If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child or young person, there is a new telephone number at Cornwall Council – 03001231116. All calls will be handled by a professional social worker who will listen to the concerns and decide what action needs to be taken. Alternatively, please speak to Mr Reardon who is our designated Safeguarding Officer.

If you have any comments concerning the school, please enter them in the box below and return it to Mr Reardon. Thank you.

***Should you wish to contact the school the telephone number is 01579 370435
or email secretary@trekenner.net***

DISCLAIMER FOR LEAFLETS DISTRUBUTED BY THE SCHOOL ON BEHALF OF THIRD PARTIES FOR CLUBS, HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES ETC.

All providers have confirmed that they hold all necessary accreditation, qualifications and insurance to organise and run the events and activities described. No duly appointed officer of Cornwall Council has inspected these services and parents must make their own enquiries and satisfy themselves as to the suitability of the providers before engaging their services. In all the circumstances, neither the school nor Cornwall Council will accept any liability arising out of those events.

School Clubs: Parental Permission – clubs start week commencing 23rd April 2018

Child(ren)'s Name(s): Year:

..... Year:

..... Year:

Would like to take part in:

		Please ✓ as applicable
Whole Term	Gardening Club with Miss West & Mrs Behennah Y2 – Y6	
Whole Term	Football with Liam & Mr Reardon Y1 – Y6	
Whole Term	Infant Summer Sports Club with Mr Horn Year 1 & 2	
Whole Term	Junior Summer Sports with Mr Lucas Year 3 - 6	
Whole Term	Stem Club with Mrs Harrison Year 1 - 6	

Signed:

Date: