



Viking and Saxon Workshops

On Tuesday and Wednesday this week children in years 3, 4, 5 and 6 took part in Viking and Saxon workshops. Adrian Chapman from Blast from the Past gave a Viking presentation on the battle of Stamford Bridge in 1066 and children did workshops on Viking words, runes and longboats. They also took part in a quiz about where Vikings travelled and played in the Nine Man's Morris game.

In the afternoon the children listened to a presentation on the story of Alfred the Great. A discussion took place about why the story of eating burnt cakes has survived. Children learnt about battle tactics and took part in a battle re-enactment on the school field using Viking shields. Thank you to Kea School Friends for funding the workshops.



Weekly Attendance Figures

The attendance target set by the government is 95%. Kea School's attendance figures for week ending 28 April 2017:
Whole school - 95.65% Foundation Class - 96.36% Year 1 - 94.88% Year 2 - 94.90% Year 3 - 96.31%
Year 4 - 95.98% Year 5 - 95.98% Year 6 - 95.80%. Well done years F, 3, 4, 5 & 6.

IntoTri Series Triathlon



Poppy and Ivy in year 2 and Freya in year 4 competed in the first IntoTri series triathlon at Bodmin Dragon Centre on Monday. In the eight year old category Poppy and Ivy did superbly, finishing in 5th and 6th place respectively. Freya performed equally impressively to finish 20th out of 60 in the 9-10 year old category. The girls go on to compete in the second of the series at Helston next weekend.

Well done girls and good luck for next weekend.



Message from Kea School Friends

The noticeboard in the playground (on the wall outside year 6) is being used again by Kea School Friends. Key dates and fundraising information will be displayed.

They are now also running a termly second hand uniform shop. The dates for this will be on the noticeboard. Please note that any lost property that is not collected by the last day of each term will be washed and sold the following term.

New Toy Shop

Robyn in year 5 became a reporter with the West Briton and had a go-pro strapped to her head. She filmed the very first visit to Truro's new toy shop.

Please take a look at the link below:

<http://www.cornwalllive.com/the-entertainer-in-truro-opens-tomorrow-and-we-take-a-first-look-inside-through-the-eyes-of-a-child/story-30300341-detail/story.html>

KEA SCHOOL – DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

May

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| Sat 6 | 7.30 PM School Choir singing in Kea Church |
| 8-12 | Year 6 SATs week (Mon - Reading paper, Tues - Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling paper, Wed - Maths paper 1 & 2, Thursday - Maths paper 3) |
| Wed 10 | 3.00 pm Stay and Learn parent session in Foundation Class |
| Thur 11 | 6.30 PM Full Governing Body Meeting |
| Fri 12 | Kea Young Sports Leaders training at Penair |
| Mon 15 | Bags to School Collection |
| Mon 15 | All day Bikeability Session - group 1 |
| Tues 16 | All day Bikeability Session - group 2 |
| Tues 16 | 5.00 pm New YF Sep 17 Parent Meeting |
| Fri 19 | Year 5 & 6 Quadkids Athletics Qualifier at Carn Brea |
| Wed 24 | 8.00 AM Year 5 leaving to go to Porthpean |
| Wed 24 | 3.00 pm Stay and Learn parent session in Foundation Class |
| Fri 26 | PM Year 5 returning from Porthpean |
| Fri 26 | Break up for half term |
| Fri 26 | 9.15-10.00 AM Year 1 & Year 2 Parents Invited to share work on Explorers and Adventures |
| | Year 3 & 4 Quadkids Athletics Qualifier at Carn Brea |

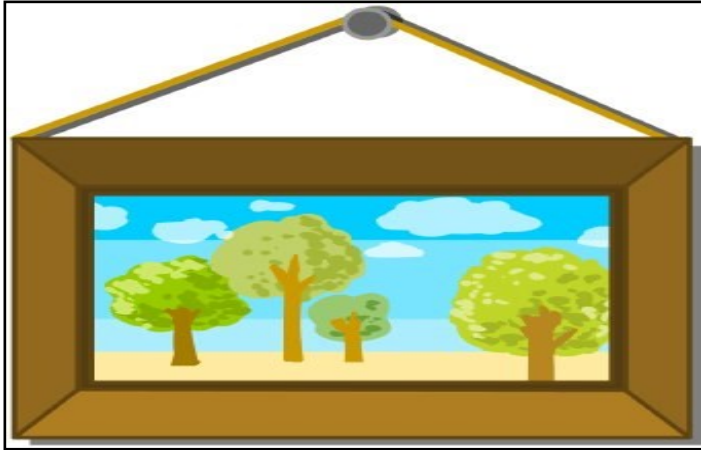
June

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| Mon 5 | Back to school |
| Mon 5 | 2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2017 Learning Together Session |
| Fri 9 | Year 5 & 6 NSPCC Workshops |
| Fri 9 | 8.30 AM Year F to Year 1 Transition Session for Year F parents |
| w/c 12 | Year 1 Phonics check |
| Mon 12 | 2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2017 Learning Together Session |
| Wed 14 | 9.15 am Class Photos |
| Fri 16 | Year 3-6 tennis festival at Penair |
| Mon 19 | 11.00 am Sports Day |
| Tues 20 | Resources & Safeguarding Committee meeting 8.00 am |
| Tues 20 | Teaching & Learning Committee meeting 2.00 pm |
| Wed 21 | 2.45 PM Years F – 6 Open Afternoon |
| Fri 23 | Big primary summary sports festival at Penair |
| Mon 26 | 2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2017 Learning Together Session |
| Tues 27-Fri 30 | Y6 Residential Visit to London |
| Fri 28 | 2.45 PM Year F to Year 1 Transition Session for Year F parents |

July

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| Mon 3 | Last 2.30 – 3.15 pm New YF Sep 2016 Learning Together Session |
| Tues 4 | Y6 Induction at Richard Lander & Penair |
| Tues 4 | Move up day for all classes |
| Wed 5 | Y6 Induction at Richard Lander & Penair |
| Wed 5 | Full Governors meeting 6.30 pm |
| Mon 10 | 2.45 PM Year F to Year 1 Transition Session for Year F parents |
| Thurs 13 | KSF Disco |
| Sat 15 | Kea Fete |
| Mon 17 | KS2 rehearsal in Kea Church all day (parents to drop and collect children from Church) |
| Tues 18 | KS2 dress rehearsal in school hall |
| Wed 19 | AM KS2 dress rehearsal in Kea Church (parents to drop and collect children from Church) |
| Wed 19 | 2.00 pm KS2 Production - Kea Church |
| Wed 19 | 6.00 pm KS2 Production - Kea Church |
| Thur 20 | 6.00 pm KS2 Production - Kea Church |
| Mon 24 | 2.00 pm Y6 Leavers' assembly |
| Tues 25 | Children break up |

2017 Kea Day Picture Competition
"My Kea"



Age groups: 11 and under, 16 and under and over 16.

Pictures in any medium including photography

Judging will take place prior to Kea Day and results will be announced at Kea Day on the 20th May 2017

Pictures to be no larger than A4 and to have name, age if under 16 and contact details on back

Pictures to be delivered to Cllr Pam Roberts,

47 Old Coach Road, Playing Place, TR3 6ET by 8th May.

For any additional information please contact the clerk at

clerk@keaparishcouncil.org.uk

Kea Community Day

Saturday 20th May from 2 – 5pm

Kea Community centre & Park

Meet your Parish
Councillors

Display of old
photos from around the parish

Free bouncy castle

Displays from local groups
and businesses

Refreshments

Come and see what your community has to offer.

For further info contact
clerk@keaparishcouncil.org.uk

