

KEA NEWS

# A GREAT PLACE TO LEARN AND MAKE FRIENDS

#### Year 6 PGL Residential

We went to PGL which means 'Parents Get Lost'. It was a fantastic camp and the weather made it even better. Everywhere we went we had to sing rhyming songs together!

We would like to say a big thank you to Miss Warren, Mr Moyse, Miss Brooks and Mrs Lightfoot for looking after us and stopping us from getting too sunburnt. Zoe, we would also like to say thank you to you too because you were a fantastic group leader. Miss Warren was an abseiling adventurer – well done! It was hilarious when she was so dedicated to her challenge that she fell into the pond. Mr Moyse was the security guard for checking we were all sleep. Each time Sam tried to check he was still there, he snuck a peep out of the window and he still WAS there! Maybe next time we should just focus on getting to sleep? Ruan's mum sent a special cake for the birthday boy – we sang Happy Birthday 14 times to Ruan! It was lovely to be back with Miss Brooks again and Aiden really enjoyed defeating her in fencing, the score was 3-0 but she put up a good fight! Her scream could be heard for miles, Brandon quotes "She was screaming every time I saw her!". Lilly, Maisie and Izzy B's canoe got stuck in the tree, so they had to use some OAR-some strength to get out! The balancing game was EPIC! Pablo the monkey wore a helmet and we had to try to make it as far around the course as possible, whilst passing him from each team member. It was hilarious. By Sam, Thomas R, Brandon, Lilly G, and Lily W.



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Please note that after school clubs for this term have now finished. From next week children will need collecting from school at the normal time of 3.30 pm.

Clubs for next term will be published very soon. A new on-line system for booking your child onto a club will be set up before the end of term so you will be able to make bookings over the summer holidays.

#### Social Media

Please see the following link about Snap Chat. Although the minimum age for Snap Chat users is 13, we are aware that several children at Kea use this social media site on a regular basis. Their recent updates have enabled people to see on a map the exact location of someone sending a message or picture. <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MhHXbGKshgw</u> Please ensure that your children are safe online and that their privacy

settings are strong. This link contains useful guidance for parents: https://www.connectsafely.org/wp-content/uploads/ snapchat\_guide.pdf

#### Kea Show Jumping Team

Congratulations to Sam in year 3, Amelia in year 4, Henrietta in year 2 and Bella in year 6 who competed in the Cornwall Primary Schools Show Jumping and Gymkhana competition held at Chyverton Park in Truro last Friday. 11 schools took part and our brilliant team of little jockeys came 1st in the jumping, 2nd in the gymkhana and 5th in the tack and turnout. Well done to Sam who individually won the best turned out. A big thank you to their parents for transporting the children and their ponies to this event.

#### **Reports**

Pupil reports will be issued during next week. Each class reports will be given out when they are complete and printed. Please bear with us if some classes receive reports before others.

Weekly Attendance Figures	<u>Pl</u>
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government is 95%. Kea School's at-	cour
tendance figures for week ending is 7	wee
July 2017. Whole school - 96.36%,	Cub
Year F - 96.21%, Year I - 96.33%,	Jaco
Year 2 - 95.33%, Year 3 - 96.90%,	3. T
Year 4 - 96.00%, Year 5 - 96.55%, Year	days
6 - 97.24%. Well done everyone.	Achi

# laying Place Cubs Go Walkabouts

The Ist Playing Place Cubs took part in the countywide Figure of Eight walk last weekend around the St Austell area. The Cubs from Kea School are Rudi year 5, Jacob year 5, Bronnen and Florence in year 3. They walked a total of 14 miles over 2 days! "Well done, what an amazing Achievement!"



## Stagecoach Truro West End Workshop



Stagecoach Truro is holding a West End Workshop (Open to All aged 4-18 years) on the 22nd July 2017, 10am-4pm. West End performers from London will be delivering workshops including, The Art of Vocal projection, Breathing techniques, Singing with Accents and character, Recording a Single, Physical theatre including Characterisation, West End Dance and Choreography.

Open to Non Stagecoach Students, Cost £30.00 for the day. The West End Workshop will take place at Penair School, St Clement, Truro, Cornwall, TR1 ITN. For more information please contact Eily Tatlow (Principal), Email <u>truro@stagecoach.co.uk</u>, phone on 0845 265 7082 or visit us online to book <u>www.stagecoach.co.uk/truro</u>

#### Parent Briefing Sessions

We are holding parent information briefing sessions for years 1-6 on the following dates/times. These will be an opportunity for you to meet your child's new teacher and to go through school routines etc.

Tues 5 Sept at 3.00 pmYear 1 & Year 2Thur 7 Sept at 3.00 pmYear 3 & Year 4Fri 8 Sept at 3.00 pmYear 5 & Year 6

#### Parent Pupil Workshops

In the autumn term we will be holding parent/pupil workshops again. Each of these will start at 9.10 am and will comprise of an activity that parents are invited to carry out with their child, as well as information from the classteacher about the curriculum and internet safety.

> Mon 18 Sept - Year 3 Tue 19 Sept - Year 4 Wed 20 Sept - Year 5 Thur 21 Sept - Year 1 Fri 22 Sept - Year 6 Mon 25 Sept - Year 2

## Lost Property

Just a reminder to check the green box in the parent shelter to collect any lost property before the end of term. Checking your child's cloakroom area is also advisable to collect any lunch boxes, drink bottles, coats and PE kits. Any uncollected property will be disposed of at the end of term or donated to charity.

## Healthy Eating Booklet made by the School Council

As part of the Government's Healthy Eating initiative, the School Council has recently been talking about how we can become healthier. Mrs Sanford-Howard has helped the children to create 'Kea School's Healthy Recipes for Everyday Foods.' You will find this booklet on the recipe section of the website and in it you will find lots of healthy recipes for meals such as pizza topped chicken and stew with dumplings plus many more.

## Message from School Kitchen

Can all outstanding payments for lunches to be paid in full by the end of term.

## KEA SCHOOL - DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

<u>July</u>	
Sat 15	12.00 - 3.00 pm 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	9.15-9.45 am Year F and KSI Parent Presentation in the 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
Mon 24	6.00 – 7.00 pm KSF Disco Year F, 1 & 2, 7.15 - 8.30 pm KSF Disco Years 3 - 6
Tues 25	Children break up

Notice Kea School distributes fliers and magazines offering family services or posts details of local activities on the newsletter. Whilst we think that parents might like the information and find it useful, the school does not necessarily endorse these services.