



Cross Country



Henry in year 5 came 11th and Findlay in year 4 came 15th (out of 64) in the cross country finals last Thursday at Newquay. They also achieved 1st & 2nd in their team race. Really well done boys.

Clubs

Please remember that except for running club next Tuesday morning all clubs for this term are now finished so children need collecting from school at 3.30 pm next week.

School Comms

The school office has, on occasions, received messages from parents saying they have not received text messages from the school office when clubs etc have had to be cancelled at short notice. If you have downloaded the app onto your phone you need to ensure you have the school comms notifications enabled on your phone so that you are alerted when you receive a message. If you have not downloaded the app you will receive the message as a normal text message.

Spring concert - 29 March 2017

A spring concert is being held on Wednesday 29 March at 2.30 pm in the school hall. The school choir, band and year 6 soloists will be taking part in this concert. Parents and families of these children are invited to join us for the concert.



Year 2 Puppet Show - 31 March 2017

Year Two parents are invited to come in and watch the class do some puppet shows they have made up. It will be Friday 31 March at 2.45 pm in the year 2 classroom.

Talent Show for Red Nose Day



On Monday afternoon, the whole school and staff extremely enjoyed watching different acts from each year group for the Red Nose Day Talent Show. There was a range of talents to enjoy including gymnastics, dancing, juggling, card tricks, playing musical instruments and singing. The judges had difficult decisions to make but eventually decided that the first place winner was Ruby from



year 4 for her excellent gymnastic skills performance. Second place went to Bella and Ziggy from year one for their brilliantly confident ballet dancing. Third place was awarded to Lilly G from year 6 for her powerful and confident singing. Well done to all the children who took part in the talent show. It was a fun afternoon, which helped to raise money for Comic Relief. Thank you to Miss Warren and governors Mrs White and Mr Rowe for judging the talent show, and to Mr Miles for being such a great commentator.

Year 3 & 4 Trip to Royal Cornwall Showground

Thank you to Mrs Harvey for organising the year 3 and 4 visit to the Royal Cornwall Showground for the farm and country day. Children and staff had a brilliant day. Here are some of the children's quotes:

Bella: "I liked seeing the baby animals, the lambs, calves and piglets. The calves were 2 to 3 weeks old."

Shaun: "I like the baby pigs. One climbed on its mother and then fell off."

Findlay: "I enjoyed sorting foods into different food categories."

Amelia: "We got told how ice cream was made and then we could choose an ice cream. It was delicious."

Jago: "I liked putting the nettle leaves onto the cheese. You dipped the leaf three times in the lemon juice."



Weekly Attendance Figures

The attendance target set by the government is 95%. Kea School's attendance figures for week ending 10 March 2017: Whole school - 95.33 % Foundation Class - 95.33 % Year 1 - 97.67 % Year 2 - 93.23 % Year 3 - 97.67 % Year 4 - 98.00 % Year 5 - 95.17 % Year 6 - 90.33 % Well done Years 1, 3 and 4.

Clubs Summer Term April/May 2017

Monday Clubs	Tuesday Clubs	Wednesday Clubs	Thursday Clubs	Friday Clubs
Basketball Club 3.30-4.30 pm Year 5 & 6 with Mr Cotterill Starts 24/04/17 Finishes 22/05/17 Start 05/06/17 Finishes 10/07/17 Places are limited	Cross Country Club Years 1, 2 & 3 with Mrs McPherson Starts 25/04/2017 Finishes 23/05/2017 Places are limited	Lunchtime Choir Years 3-6 with Mrs Wheeler & Mrs Green Starts 26/04/17 Finishes 12/07/17 No permission slip required. Children to let Mrs Wheeler know if they wish to join	Lunchtime Band Years 3-6 with Mrs Harvey Starts 27/04/2017 Finishes 12/07/17 No permission slip required. Children to let Mrs Harvey know if they wish to join	Tennis Club Years 3-4 With Mrs Garside Starts 28/04/17 Finishes 12/07/17 Places are limited
Year 2 Art Club 3.30-4.15 pm Year 2 With Miss Rogers (SCITT student) & Mrs Leverton Starts: 24/04/17 Finishes: 22/05/17 Places are limited	Rounders Club 3.30-4.30 pm Years 3-6 with Mr Cotterill Starts 25/04/17 Finishes 23/05/17 Places are limited	Sewing Club 3.30-4.30 pm Year 6 with Mrs Lightfoot Starts 26/04/17 Finishes 12/07/17 Places are limited to 6	Drama Club 3.30-4.30 pm Year 2 with Mrs Olive Starts 27/04/2017 Finishes 12/07/17	
	Wildlife Watchers 3.30-4.30pm Years 3-6 With Mrs Wheeler Starts 25/04/16 Finishes 11/07/17 Places are limited	Cricket Club 3.30-4.30 pm Years 4-6 with Mr Cotterill Starts 26/04/17 Finishes 24/05/17 Places are limited	ICT Club 3.30-4.30 pm Years 3, 4 & 5 with Mrs Stone & Mrs Perman Starts 27/04/17 Finishes 25/05/17 Starts 08/06/17 Finishes 13/07/17 Same children as Spring term	
	French Club 3.30-4.30pm Year 1-2 With Miss Brooks Starts 25/04/16 Finishes 23/05/17 Places are limited		Multi Sports Club 3.30-4.30 pm Years 3 & 4 with Mr Cotterill Starts 27/04/17 Finishes 25/05/17 Places are limited	
			Sports Leaders Club 3.30-4.30pm Years 5 & 6 With Mr Cotterill Starts 27/04/17 Finishes 25/05/17	

Sport Clubs Summer Term June/July 2017

Monday Clubs	Tuesday Clubs	Wednesday Clubs	Thursday Clubs	Friday Clubs
Football Skills Club 3.30-4.30pm Years 3-4 With Mr Cotterill Starts 05/06/17 Finishes 10/07/17 Places are limited	Rounders Club 3.30-4.30 pm Years 3-6 With Mr Cotterill Starts 06/06/17 Finishes 11/07/17 Places are limited	Football Club 3.30-4.30pm Years 4 & 5 With Mr Cotterill Starts 07/06/17 Finishes 12/07/17 Places are limited	Athletics Club 3.30-4.30 pm Years 5 & 6 with Mr Cotterill Starts 08/06/17 Finishes 13/07/17 Places are limited	Tennis Club 3.30-4.30pm Years 5 & 6 With Mr Cotterill Starts 09/06/17 Finishes 14/07/17 Places are limited
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Coose Cross Country

Poppy in year 2 and Matilda in year 1 competed at the annual Coose Trannack Cross Country event last Saturday. Poppy came 10th in the Y2 race and Matilda 12th in the Y1 race.

Temporary School Secretary

We are delighted to announce that Mrs Helen Trivett, Maisy in year 2's mum, has been appointed to the post of temporary school secretary working on a Friday. She will commence her role on Friday 21 April 2017. We look forward to welcoming her to our team.

Miss Brooks

It is with great sadness that Miss Brooks will be leaving Kea School at the end of the summer term 2017. She has decided to take some time out from her teaching career to follow her dream of going travelling. Miss Brooks has been a valued member of our school team and she will be deeply missed by the staff and children. We will arrange a leaving collection nearer the end of the summer term. Recruitment for an experienced upper KS2 teacher will take place in the summer term.

Pupil Progress

Over the last few weeks I have been monitoring the children's work in their books. Mrs Olive has carried out some literacy lesson observations. We have been delighted with children's progress this year, particularly in writing. Hopefully all parents have met with their child's teacher to discuss their learning. Katherine Warren.

Clubs Summer Term

Please see the clubs that are on offer for next term. Please also note that some clubs only run for half a term. Sign up permission letters are in the foyer. If you cannot get into school you can email in any club requests.

Trampoline Event

On Sunday 19 March Charlotte competed in the ABTC Trampoline competition at Brannel Sports Centre at St Stephens and won a Gold medal. Well done Charlotte.



KEA SCHOOL – DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

March

Sat 25	Cross country at Polwhele House
Tues 28	Last swimming session for Y3 & Y4
Wed 29	2.30 pm Spring concert in school hall
Fri 31	2.45 PM Year 2 puppet show Break up for Easter

April

Tues 18	Back to school summer term commences
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May

Mon 1	Bank Holiday
Thur 4	Y4 to Bishops Forum booked
Fri 5	Y4 back from Bishops Forum
Fri 5	Year 5 & 6 Tag rugby qualifier at Penair
8-12	SATs week
Fri 12	Kea Young leaders at Penair
Mon 15	Year 5 & 6 tag rugby finals at Redruth RFU
Tues 16	5.00 pm New YF Sep 17 Parent Meeting
Fri 19	Year 5 & 6 quadkids athletics qualifier at Carn Brea
Wed 24	Y5 go to Porthpean booked
Fri 26	Y5 back from Porthpean
Fri 26	Break up for half term
Fri 26	Year 3 & 4 quadkids athletics qualifier at Carn Brea

Rotary Young Writer Competition

We are pleased to announce that Isha in year 6 has won second prize in the junior section of this year's Rotary young writer local competition. Congratulations Isha.

New Lunch Menu

After Easter the lunch menu is changing. The new menu has been sent home with your child. Please also note that Eden Foods have rebranded to Autograph and after Easter cheques will need to be made out to Interserve Catering Services Ltd.

Next Friday (31 March 2017) the kitchen will be serving pasties, sausage rolls and chips with a selection of biscuits and cakes instead of the advertised menu.

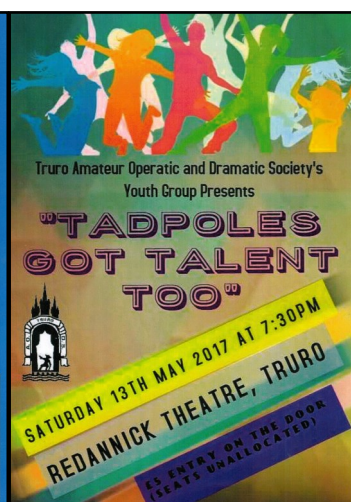


Cornwall Netball Camp
@ The Sir Ben Atholke Sports Centre
5th-6th April 2017

Time: 09:30 - 16:30
Age: 8 - 14 years
Cost: £25 per day (£40 two days)

Cornwall Netball Camp provides high quality coaching for all abilities delivered by Level 2 coaches from Cornwall Netball. Coaches will cover defensive strategies, shooting techniques, passing & receiving skills, advanced attacking drills and match play.

For an application form please visit our website www.sirbenatholkesportscentre.com



Truro Amateur Operatic and Dramatic Society's Youth Group Presents
"TADPOLES GOT TALENT TOO"

SATURDAY 13TH MAY 2017 AT 7:30PM
REDANNICK THEATRE, TRURO

IS ENTRY ON THE DOOR (SEATS UNALLOCATED)



JUNIOR TRIATHLON TRAINING CAMP
@ The Sir Ben Atholke Sports Centre
10th-13th April 2017

- Swim technique
- Planning training intervals and pace work
- Transition skills
- Bike skills and training
- Triathlon competition

Date: 10th - 13th April
Time: 0830 - 1500
Age: 8 - 14 Years
Cost: £100 (All 4 days) or £55 (Two days)

A Junior Transition Training Camp to take place at Truro School to enable young triathletes to have the opportunity to train with professional coaches, gain more confidence and experience in all disciplines and have fun!

For more information and an application form please visit our website www.sirbenatholkesportscentre.com



St Kea
EASTER

Maundy Thursday 13th April
7.00pm Service of Holy Communion at All Hallows

Good Friday 14th April
10.30am All-Age service at All Hallows
2.00pm Reflective service at All Hallows

Easter Sunday 16th April
8.30am Traditional service of Holy Communion at Old Kea
All-Age Easter Day Celebration (with Communion) at:
9.30am at Penair School
11.00am at All Hallows
7.00pm Easter Praise at All Hallows (coffee from 6.45pm)

PLENTY OF FUN AT THE ROYAL CORNWALL MUSEUM THIS EASTER!

Easter activities at the Royal Cornwall Museum will centre on *Great Little Artists* – 'make and take' your own masterpiece this Easter Holiday. **All sessions are bookable when you call 01872 272205. Sessions cost £3 per child. Please check the www.royalcornwallmuseum.org.uk for session dates and times.**

Parent Questionnaire

Next week we will be emailing out the parent questionnaire so please look out for it.

Thank you. Katherine Warren.

Bake Off



Thank you to everyone who took part in the Truro High School Bake Off yesterday. Congratulations to Matilda in year 5 who won the competition with her yummy rolls. She goes forward to the next round in April.

Car Park

As you will have noticed the Junior Road Safety Officers and I have been monitoring the car park most days after school. We would like to thank everyone for their cooperation in this matter, the car park is much improved at the end of the school day. However, in the mornings some staff are struggling to get parked. Can parents please avoid parking in the staff parking bay as staff are often carrying heavy bags to school. We have also received complaints about the speed of some cars travelling towards the school from Playing Place. Please please can you kill your speed and not a child!!

Hockey Dynamics Easter Camps

TRURO- APRIL 3RD AND 4TH 10AM- 4PM

PLYMOUTH- APRIL 6TH AND 7TH 10AM- 4PM
AGES 6-14

To book your place, visit:
<https://goo.gl/forms/XA1RBLC82DTSuYDT2>
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