

Newsletter

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Our school blog

Research completed over 20 years ago found that reading for enjoyment is a major factor in a child's future academic success; even more important than their family's socio-economic status. There has been a great deal of research on reading for pleasure since and the findings regularly back this statement up.

This is why I am really pleased that the school will be taking part in the St Austell Festival of Children's Literature at the end of June this year.

The festival takes place over 3 days (Friday 28th - Sunday 30th) and includes lots of workshops, fun games, competitions and book signings by famous authors. We hope as many of our children as possible will visit over the weekend and benefit from this great event that we are lucky to have on our doorstep.

More information can be found by following 'St Austell Festival of Children's Literature' on X, Facebook and Instagram.

I myself can't wait to have my personal copy of 'The Boy at the Back of the Class' signed by Onjali Q Rauff and to meet the author of the 'Lottie Brooks' series of children's books, Katie Kirby, who also had number of best sellers in the comedy genre aimed at parents.

Lastly, as it's secondary school offer day, I hope all our Y6 children were successful in being offered a place in their first choice of school.

Have a great weekend

Mr Gynn

When you have collected your children at the end of the day, please ensure that you vacate the site/grounds. The play equipment, field and Wild Tribe area must not be used without a member of our staff being present.

Many thanks for your co-operation with this

Thursday 7th March

Not only is it World Book Day but we'll also be hosting a Book Fair from 3.15pm in the school hall.

There will be a QR code to pay for books - we will share this as soon as we receive it.

Mrs Manton



This week's achievers

Well done to the children below for following our BB Rules for Life. This week, we are celebrating our achievements in DT

Little Doves

Cole

For showing enthusiasm and getting stuck in when making bread. Well done, your bread roll looked delicious

Little Fish

Elliott

For a brilliant 'kneading' action when making bread for our Great Fire of London topic

Little Lambs

Isla

For making a fantastic bread roll on the Great Fire of London day

Peacocks

Charlee-Ann

For your brilliant rain gauge that you have been using at home

Pelicans

Ashton

For working hard in planning, creating and constructing a powered vehicle. You participated well as a team and your balloon boat was awesome!

Phoenix

Rylee

For showing creativity during DT lessons and for working constructively with other members of your team

Angels

Sadie, Emma, Scarlett and Sophie

For creating an amazing cat-themed go-kart, that was speedy, stable and quite frankly, looked amazing!

Faith

Sienna

For being a great team mate in the DT project building go-karts. You listened to everyone!

Hope

Jenson

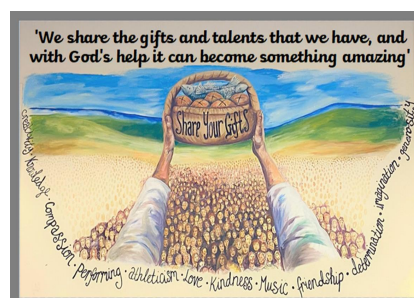
For working well in your team to create a well-designed, creative and winning go-kart! Your team-working skills were super! Well done!



This week we celebrate these KS1 pupils who represented BB at the Poltair cross-country event this week. They all did so well, with lots of them achieving medals and all persevering and completing the race.

Well done, we're so proud of you all!

Our school vision is at the heart of all we do at Bishop Bronescombe. We feel it is important to share the achievements of children who have worked hard to share their gifts and talents.



This week's achievers...



This week, we learnt about and celebrated our school vision of perseverance

Little Doves

James

For showing perseverance in phonics lessons while spelling tricky words

Little Fish

Billy

For always trying your best in every circumstance and persevering to produce the best work you can

Little Lambs

Devanshi

For always working hard in everything and working hard in your maths lessons in particular

Peacocks

Oscar

For your perseverance in maths. Well done!

Pelicans

Ella

Well done for persevering with the everyday things you find tricky. You are learning to become much more independent in self-care and Mrs H-V is so proud of you!

Phoenix

Leyla

For always persevering when you find something difficult, especially in maths this week. Well done! You never give up

Angels

Sienna

For tackling all of your learning with sheer grit and determination

Faith

Bella

For showing great perseverance in your maths. You are doing brilliantly and should be very proud of yourself

Hope

Jamie

For showing great perseverance and a mature attitude to learning

Dear God,

Thank you for giving us the incredible gift of creativity, the joy it brings us and the imaginative ideas for DT projects.

Thank you for teaching us to keep going when things get tough and to show resilience in tricky situations

Amen

Dates for your diary

Tues 5th Mar - St Piran's Day...pasty lunch! (plus scone making workshop for Angels/Phoenix)

Wed 6th Mar - Parent Café around ASD (2-3pm)

Thurs 7th Mar - World Book Day

Thurs 7th Mar - Book Fair (3.15pm, school hall)

Thurs 7th Mar - KS1 SATs info session (3.30pm), Lambs classroom

Fri 8th Mar - LKS2 (Peacocks/Pelicans/Phoenix) trip to Wheal Martyn

Fri 15th Mar - Rocksteady concert (2.15pm, school hall)

Tues 16th Mar - National Offer Day (Primary schools)

Wed 17th Mar - Class photos

Tues 19th Mar - Doves/Fish Fire Station visit

Thurs 21st Mar - Y6 MFL Day, Penrice

Fri 22nd Mar - Lambs Fire Station visit

Wed 24th Mar - KS2 RNLI safety sessions

Tues 26th Mar - BBFriends Easter Fete (3-4.30pm)

Wed 27th Mar - Rainbows class Newquay Zoo trip

Fri 29th Mar 24 and Mon 1st Apr - Bank holidays (school closed)

Tues 2nd Apr 24 to Fri 12th Apr - Easter holidays

Mon 6th May - Bank holiday (school closed)

Mon 20th May to Wed 22nd May - Y5/6 residential (London)

Mon 27th May 24 to Fri 31st May - Half term

Wed 5th Jun 24 to Fri 7th Jun - Y4 residential (Kernow Sports, Hendra)

Mon 17th Jun 24 to Wed 19th Jun - Y3 residential (Porthpean)

Fri 28th to Sun 30th June - St Austell Festival of Children's Literature

Mon 22nd Jul, Tues 23rd Jul, Wed 24th Jul - Inset days (school closed)

Thurs 25th Jul to Fri 30th Aug - Summer holidays

Other notices

GOOL PERAN LOWEN!
ST PIRAN'S DAY CELEBRATIONS

Menu

Traditional Steak Pasty or Cheese and Onion Pasty

Hevva Cake

Jacket Potato available on request

CHARTWELLS GENUINE PASTY

Pasties were taken down the mines by the adults and children who worked there; the shape and size made them ideal for carrying. It's distinctive D shape with the crust acting as a handle, which was discarded to prevent contaminating the food with grubby, possibly arsenic-ridden hands.




All Proper Cornish we are passionate about quality pastry, filled with great tasting ingredients, made properly in Cornwall for people who love food.

We are passionate and honest about where our ingredients come from. All Proper Cornish, we believe in supporting our local farmers. Our swede comes from Hoyle, courtesy of Harold Goldworthy's family run farm, our potatoes come from third generation farmer Chris Durlow from Par and our onions are grown by Anthony Neal of Topnotch. Cornwall grows some of the highest quality produce in the world, so why go anywhere else?

Chartwells

To mark St Piran's Day on Tuesday 5th March, we will be having a pasty lunch!


All existing lunch bookings will be cancelled when ParentPay upload the new menu, so please make sure you re-order for this day.

Gool Peran Lowen!

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GIRLS FOOTBALL CENTRE

Politair School Hall (St Austell)
 Every Tuesday (Term Time)
 6pm - 7pm
 Ages 5-11 All Abilities Welcome.
 Fun, engaging football sessions.



A fun pressure free environment offering girls the opportunity to fall in love with the beautiful game.

For more information & booking please go to
www.goactivecornwall.co.uk/holidayclubs
 Contact Email – neil@goactivecornwall.co.uk
 Phone – 01726 212708

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If you have a passion for swimming, are 8 yrs+ and want to join St Austell ASC please visit our webpage for more information. <http://www.staustellswimming.co.uk/>

Welcome to St Austell Swimming Club

Our Swimming Club is a competitive swimming club based in St Austell. We train at St Austell Leisure Centre where our professional coaches work with our swimmers to help them achieve their potential and prepare them for competition.








Depending on your current level of swimming and capability, an assessment will be arranged. If successful and we have space, this will be followed by a free trial session. It is important to note that as a competitive swimming club, we work on technique and stamina to help swimmers prepare (and bring out their best) in competitions. Swimmers joining us need to be able to competently (without stopping) swim 25m in the three main strokes – front crawl, back and breast stroke. You can also trial for our **Junior water polo team**.

We also offer a masters session for those adults who want to train with a club.

If you are interested in joining St Austell ASC, please contact us using the information below.
<https://www.staustellswimming.co.uk/join-us/> or via our membership secretary
 Juliette Smith (Membership Secretary): membershipsecretary@staustellswimming.co.uk

Parent Cafe



This is being run by the Autism Advisor, Katie Frampton. We are planning to discuss with you the work we do as a school to support children with autism. Our SENCo, Rachel Moseley, will be on hand along with our Autism Champions.

Everyone welcome, attendance is encouraged for those who have a child with a diagnosis or are on the pathway.

No need to book, just come along!

Wednesday 6th March 2-3pm