



Weekly Newsletter
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This week's focus: Trevithick Day Celebrations



Last Saturday morning dancers from Tregonning and Trencrom class braved the hail and stiff south-westerly breeze to dance their way around Camborne for the annual Trevithick Day celebrations. As you can see from the photos, the children looked wonderful in their outfits and were positioned just after the band, which meant they could hear the music all the way around! Thank you to everyone who supported the children especially Mrs Stone, who organised everything and taught the children the dance. It's an experience the children will never forget.



Dates for your diary:

Monday 6th May – Bank Holiday

Monday 13th May
 NEXUS Maths Masterclass
 8.55am

13th-17th May – SATs week
 for Year 6

20th-24th May – SATS week
 KS1

Thursday 23rd May – School Photographs - Class groups, Sports Groups, Year 6 and Whole School

Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May – Half-term holiday

3rd-5th June – Camp at Eden Project - Trencrom Class

10th-14th June – Y1 phonics screening check

Friday 28th June – Sports Day

2nd-4th July – RMAT London Trip – Tregonning Class

Friday 12th July – Penponds Family Festival

Monday 15th July – KS2
 Dress rehearsal for Summer Show

16th and 17th July – KS2
 Summer Show 6.30-7.30pm

15th-19th July – Work Experience Students in school

15th and 16th July –
 Transition Days for Year 6 at CSIA



Wednesday 17th July –
Reports to parents

Wednesday 24th July – last
day for children

Thursday 25th July – INSET
Day/Staff Training –
no children in school

First day back for children:

Thursday 5th September
2019

INSET DAYS 2019/2010

Wed 4th September 2019

Mon 6th January 2020

Fri 12th June 2020

Mon 15th June 2020

Thu 23rd July 2020

Attendance and Awards for
this week:

Attendance:

Carn Brea: 99.42%

Godolphin:

Y1 – 97.39%

Y2 – 92.59%

Trencrom – 95.24%

Tregonning – 95.73%

Attendance Trophy
Carn Brea Class



Trevithick Day Table Top Display

Every year at Trevithick day there is a 'table top display' competition where all the schools in Camborne are invited to display work the children have produced as part of one of their topics. The work can be related to Richard Trevithick or a theme decided each year. It is a hotly contested event and much effort goes into making the displays eye-catching, engaging and informative. This year our display included work from all the classes based on our whole school Cornwall topic. We won third place however it was a great day for the

Awards:

Top Table: Austin, Ellie R, Evie, Maddie Tr

Carn Brea: Ia, Austin, Jessica

Godolphin:

Y1 – Annabella, Emily Q, Elijah

Y2 – Indie-Rae, Eadie, Ellie

Trencrom – Finley, Chloe, Keira

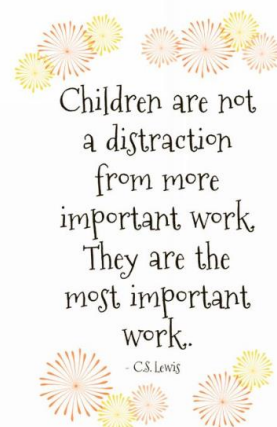
Tregonning – Ben, William, Ryan

Maths – TJ, Harry M, Jasper L-L, Jasper P, Annabella

Headteacher – Maddie Ta, Grace, Freya D, Charlotte, Oliver S, Maddy Tr, Ben G

Word Millionaire – Ben H, James, Ellena

Quote of the week:

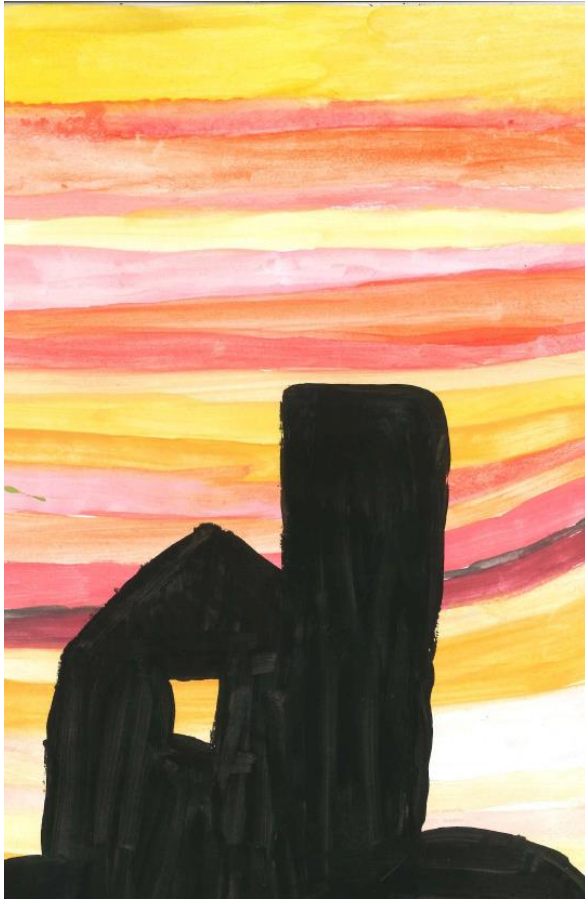


By C S Lewis

Rainbow MAT as Troon were 2nd and St Meriadoc Junior were 1st. Trencrom class were also awarded for their effort in their artwork and craft skills. Well done to Mrs Treen for all her efforts and Miss Souch and Miss Uren for setting the display up.



Trevithick Day Art Competition



A wonderful display of art work from Trencrom Class was displayed in the window of Camborne Funeral Care on Trevithick Day.

Congratulations to Sophie, Harvey and Tristan who came 1st, 2nd and 3rd respectively in the Camborne Funeral Care Trevithick Day art competition.

Here is Sophie's painting.

Netball Festival

On Friday 26th April Years 3 and 4 Netball team went to CSIA for a netball festival. Firstly, we practised our passes and had some shots at goal. After that we played a few games against Weeth School. Everyone had an opportunity to play. It was challenging but great fun was had by everyone. We won the Netball event and each of us received medals. Team members were Daniel, Bella, Hollie, Alex K, Vincent, Lily, Griffin and Ellie. By Daniel





Cross Country Event

This afternoon some children from Years 3 and 4 took part in a cross country event at CSIA. Everyone did very well and enjoyed the event. Charlotte came first in the Year 3 girls race; Jowan came second in the Year 3 boys race; Tristan came third in the Year 4 race and Harvey came fourth in the Year 4 race. Well done to all the children.



Nexus Success!



A massive congratulations to Gina and Alfie from our Year 6 class who have been successful in gaining a place at Nexus for September. Both had to pass an aptitude test and an interview panel to be selected.



Word Millionaires

Three more pupils achieved their word millionaire status this week for quizzing on books they have read using Accelerated Reader. Well done to Ben, Ellena and James from Tregonning and Trecrom class.

Crisp packet recycling



We've had a huge response to the School Council's request to start recycling crisp packets. The first day we had 34. The second day we had over 200! The children collect the packets in the big red bin in the hall and we will send them all to Terracycle on a regular basis. If you want to bring them in from home

that'll be great as the more we collect the more chance we will have of getting a crisp packet recycled bench (as shown below). See

<https://www.walkers.co.uk/recycle> for more information. Thank you for your support!

Children are using smart devices from a much younger age than ever before. It's why it's essential we talk to our children about how to use them safely. There are so many positive benefits to the new technology at our disposal these days - however there are plenty of downsides too. As a parent, it's important you understand these risks and how you can take steps to protect your family against them.

1 PUT YOURSELF IN CONTROL

Make use of the parental control settings available to you. With most devices, you're able to change the settings to control the content your child has access to. This isn't difficult to do, as you'll often find guidance in the instructions that come with the device. By setting a private pin code on certain devices, you can make sure your child can only access it when you allow it.



2

PROTECTING ANDROID DEVICES

You can set up restricted users on Android tablets through a Google account. Open the settings menu (look for a cog icon) and select the 'Users' option. Here you can add a new restricted user. After setting up a password and username, select which applications you want to restrict access to. On an Android smartphone it's similar, but first select 'Parental Controls' in the play store.



3 PROTECTING APPLE DEVICES

For Apple devices, you can simply visit the preferences/settings menu and within 'General' there is an option for 'Restrictions'. Here you can turn off any applications or features on your child's device that you do not want them to have access to.



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THINK ABOUT ALL YOUR SMART DEVICES

As well as tablets and smartphones, you should think about any device in your home connected to the Internet: a games console, a media hub, or a personal computer. In each case you can usually find parental controls in the settings. Think carefully about how much access you want to allow your child, especially when it comes to accessing the Internet.



5

MAKE SEARCHING MUCH SAFER

Most search engines, such as Google, Bing or Yahoo!, have a 'safe search' setting. You should activate this. Otherwise, it's extremely easy for a seemingly harmless search on the Internet to return unexpected and inappropriate results. Depending on the browser you're using, go to the settings and search for 'safe search'. Make sure you save the change so it defaults each time you open the browser. This will seriously reduce the chances of your child being exposed to something they shouldn't be.



9 Top Tips To Get Smart About children's devices

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REGULARLY CHECK SOCIAL MEDIA SETTINGS

Before you allow your child to use social media, you should discuss the dangers with them. You should also make sure you're able to access their profile and privacy settings and check them regularly. The companies behind social media platforms often make privacy changes without making it very obvious to the user, such as Facebook's introduction of facial recognition software.



7

DON'T LET PEOPLE SEE WHERE YOU ARE

Location software sounds useful for seeing where your child is, but it also provides the opportunity for others to locate your child too. For safety, it's a good idea to disable location software on all devices or at least turn it off when it's not required. Also, be mindful of specific apps that record running routes or locations where your child might be playing a game. Talk to your child about why these can be dangerous and how to turn the setting on and off as required.



8 WATCH OUT FOR FAKE PROFILES

Sadly, social media presents an enormous opportunity for the likes of paedophiles to set up fake profiles and interact with children. Keep a track of the people your child interacts with on social media and if you do not recognise a user as a friend, consider blocking them.



9 KEEP A CHECK ON SCREEN TIME

Managing how much time we spend on screens is a new challenge for us all. It's critically important when it comes to children, especially younger children who are still developing. It's not just a case of setting arbitrary time limits. Guidelines published by The Royal College of Pediatrics and Child Health suggests it's more important to consider the 'context and content' of what the screen is being used for. Still, it is helpful to put limits on devices using 'Guided Access' functions, which you can find in the settings of certain devices.



Meet our expert

Emma Davis was a secondary school Computer Science teacher for more than decade. Since leaving education, she has been working in a cyber security firm delivering cyber awareness training to businesses and carrying out network testing. She is a mother of a five-year-old, she's had vast experience of controlling and managing how children access online services and use apps.





AN INTRODUCTION TO UNDERSTANDING AND MANAGING DYSPRAXIA

Are you a parent, carer or professional who supports a person with Dyspraxia? Perhaps you have Dyspraxia yourself? If so, why not join Emma, The Dyspraxic Doctor for a talk on understanding and managing Dyspraxia.

TUESDAY 18TH JUNE 6.30PM-8PM

Penventon Park Hotel, West End, Redruth.
(For sat nav use TR15 3AD)

£6.50 per ticket for Members of The Dyspraxia Foundation
£12.50 per ticket for Non Members

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE FOLLOWING LINK
<https://dyspraxiafoundation.org.uk/dyspraxia-foundation-devon-cornwall-event/>

Early booking advised, as spaces are limited

Event Organised by Dyspraxia Foundation Devon & Cornwall Group
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