



Weekly Newsletter
Summer 2021 – 1
Friday 23rd April 2021

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Godolphin Class – Dinosaur Topic

Godolphin class children have been busy learning about dinosaurs and have created models and drawn pictures of fossils.



Dates for your diary:

May Bank Holiday

Monday 3rd May 2021 – school closed

WWF Fundraising Day – RMAT event

Friday 7th May

Children can come to school dressed up as an animal for a 50p donation



Group/Class Photos with School Photography Company

Friday 28th May

Surf Days at Gwithian with Global Boarders

Tuesday 22nd June

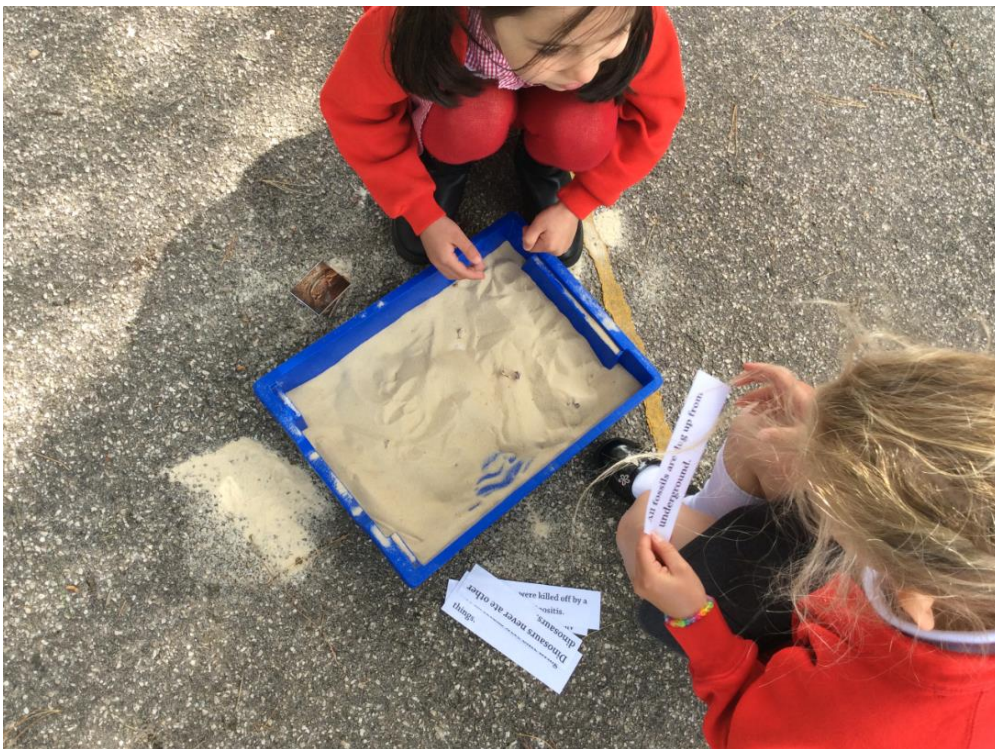
Trencrom Class

Thursday 24th May

Tregonning Class

Summer Half-Term week

31st May – 4th June 2021



School Reports to Parents

Friday 9th July

Last day of Summer Term

Wednesday 21st July 2021

Inset Days:

Thursday 22nd July 2021

Friday 23rd July 2021

First day of Autumn Term 2021/2022

Tuesday 7th September

Inset Days:

Monday 6th September
2021

Tuesday 4th January 2022

Friday 8th April 2022

Monday 25th July 2022

Tuesday 26th July 2022

Attendance this week

Carn Brea: 93%

Godolphin:

Y1 – 100%

Y2 - 97%

Trencrom – 99%

Tregonning - 98%

Class Certificates

Carn Brea

Eden, Arlo, Henry C, Evan

Godolphin

Jessica, Esmee, Elijah

Trencrom

Harry, Ethan, Emily Q

Tregonning

Sophie, Bella, Kaiden



Headteacher Certificates
Keira, Harry P, Lily Davis,
Summer, Henry C, Austin,
Emily G

Quote

People will forget what you
said, people will forget
what you did, but nobody
will forget how you made
them feel

Maya Angelou

Poem



Where the bluebells and
the wind are,
Fairies in a ring I spied,
And I heard a little linnet
Singing near beside

Where the primrose and
the dew are
Soon were sped the fairies
all;
Only now the green turf
freshens,
And the linnets call.

Walter De La Mare





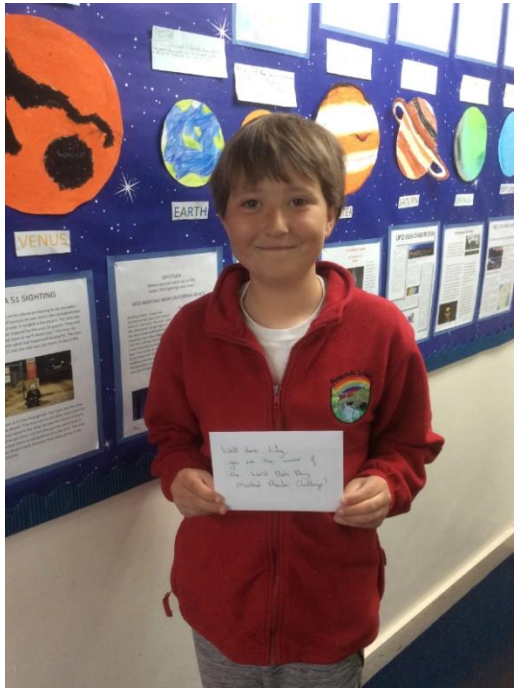
Gardening update

Tregonning Class have made good progress this week with the raised beds, planting out a variety of plants. Ia's Dad, Zennor has also been kindly volunteering tidying up and establishing a wild garden area. This week he planted some buddleia to attract the butterflies and bees in the summer. Thank you very much, Zennor. We are also expecting a delivery from the charity called Welcome to our Future who have offered to supply us with free RSPB bird nesting boxes soon.



Winners and Awards

The following awards were made this week.



Lily - winner of masked reader challenge

Kaira - winner of World Book Day emoji quiz

Freya - has become a word millionaire.



Mrs Lamb's Tea Party

Here are the latest fantastic readers celebrating at Mrs Lamb's tea party today.



Covid 19

If your child or anyone in your household develops symptoms of Covid-19 then you need to isolate and book a test via the Government website

<https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test>



Get a free NHS test to check if you have coronavirus - GOV.UK

You can have a swab test to check if you have coronavirus (COVID-19) now. Who can get a free test. You can only get a free NHS test if at least one of the following applies:

www.gov.uk

We have a designated email address set up if your child tests positive for Covid-19. Please email **covid@rainbowacademy.org.uk**

Posters

Please see attached:

- Camborne Trevithick Day – Window Shopping Competition
Further details: <https://trevithickday.org.uk/windowcomp2021/>.
- Sustrans Big Pedal – 19-30 April
- Cornwall Council Health Visiting and School Nurse advice line. New website at www.cornwall.gov.uk/healthvisiting or www.cornwall.gov.uk/schoolnursing for up-to-date information and support for Families and Professionals or contact HVSN Advice Line on 01872 322779 or email hvsnadvice@cornwall.gov.uk
- Letter from Sam Jones. RMAW WWF Fundraising Day on Friday 7th May

Richard Trevithick

250th Anniversary 1771 – 2021

Window Shopping Competition

1st prize £100

2nd prize £60

3rd prize £40

Plus 20 most correct entries receive a copy of Philip Hosken's book
Genius: Richard Trevithick's Steam Engines worth £7.99

**Match the 21 clues on the entry form to the
Camborne shop window where
they appear**

Forms available from Camborne Library, at some shops and from our website trevithickday.org.uk. Hand your completed entry in to Camborne Library or email to competitions@trevithickday.org.uk

For more details and terms & conditions see
[trevithickday.org.uk/
windowcomp2021](http://trevithickday.org.uk/windowcomp2021)





Richard Trevithick 250th Anniversary 1771 - 2021 Window Shopping Competition

Name	Tel.
Address	
Email	

There are 21 Clues about Richard Trevithick in the article below. Match the clues to the Camborne shop window where they appear and have the chance to win a prize. The first 20 most correct entries will receive a copy of the book *Genius: Richard Trevithick's Steam Engines* by Philip Hosken, worth £7.99. In addition there will be a first prize of £100, a second prize of £60 and a third prize of £40.

Richard Trevithick 1771 – 1833

Born on April 13th 1771, Richard was only a few months old when his family moved to a **Cottage in Penponds**. He married **Jane Harvey** in **1777** and by 1798 was already building **table top model prototypes of high pressure steam engines** of a road carriage. His **first road locomotive** ran on Christmas Eve 1801 followed by the **second road locomotive** in 1803. The world's first recorded railway journey was of his **Pennydarren locomotive** in 1804. His legacy to the maritime industry included the invention of the **iron buoy**, designs of **iron ships**, a version of the **screw propellor**, and a **steam driven paddle steamer** that used the principals of the hovercraft to make it more efficient. He also designed and built a **steam barge with an inboard crane** for more efficient loading and unloading of cargo at the docks. Other inventions included a **threshing machine** and the **night storage heater**.

He spent ten years in South America and while he was away Jane's family established her in the **White Hart Hotel**, Hayle, to enable her to support herself and their children. He spent six years in **Peru**, where he erected steam engines high in the Andes mining for silver. He also **established a mint in Lima** which proved vital to the Peruvian economy which was so volatile at that time. Destitute and desperate to return home he and a fellow traveller called Gerard pioneered a route across the isthmus of **Costa Rica**. He experienced horrendous hardships in the South American jungle, including being nearly eaten by a **crocodile**, before sailing home penniless.

In 1828 he toured **Holland** with the objective of draining the Zuyder Zee and although machinery was manufactured and trialled in Cornwall, it never arrived, and Holland had to wait another hundred years. His last major project was to build a monument to celebrate the Reform Act, to be erected in London. His design was an **iron tower** so high that only recently The Shard would have surpassed this in height. Unfortunately, while he was working in Dartford he suddenly died at the **Bull Hotel** on 23rd April 1833 and the enthusiasm for the monument died with him.

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Fill in your answers above, complete your details over the page and return this form to Camborne Library, Passmore Edwards Building, The Cross, Camborne TR14 8HA or email your answers to competitions@trevithickday.org.uk. Entries must be returned by **23rd April**. In the case of ties the Camborne Town Mayor will draw names at random. Sorry, participating BID and committee members and their families are not eligible to take part. For full terms and conditions see our website trevithickday.org.uk/windowcomp2021.



Go on an amazing journey every day

Win prizes by taking part in the UK's biggest inter-school cycling, walking, wheeling and scooting competition.

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Are you taking part?

19-30 April 2021

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Dear Rainbow MAT parents and carers,

I hope you all had a wonderful Easter and managed to spend some time with friends and family outdoors in the sunshine. It felt a little like we all had to make the most of our beautiful county before the rest of the country want to come and join us over the summer months!

The Heads have all commented on how well the children have returned to school and how much they are enjoying the learning and seeing their friends. We have had many tentative conversations about how the summer term will look with events etc but we will be in touch once we know what we are able to safely arrange for your children.



Over the Easter the country lost Prince Philip, The Duke of Edinburgh, who has served our country for many years. In order to commemorate his life our Rainbow Schools would like to do something in his honor. We have decided that we should use his passion for the environment and conservation and raise awareness of endangered species. We will therefore be having a **WWF fundraising event on Friday 7th May**. We would like children to come to school dressed as an animal and bring in a donation of 50p towards The Rainbow Mat adopting an animal in Prince Philip's memory. We think this is something the children will enjoy and hopefully add to the Prince's legacy.

The costume doesn't need to be anything too challenging, just a mask/some face paint or whatever your child feels comfortable wearing and isn't too taxing for you. Some children love the opportunity to really go for it and others not so much- both are fine! On the day, we will let the children vote for their favourite animal and we will keep you posted with what they choose.

Thanks again for all of your support

Best wishes,

Samantha Jones (Rainbow MAT Trust Leader)

