



# Weekly Newsletter

Autumn 6 13<sup>th</sup> October 2017

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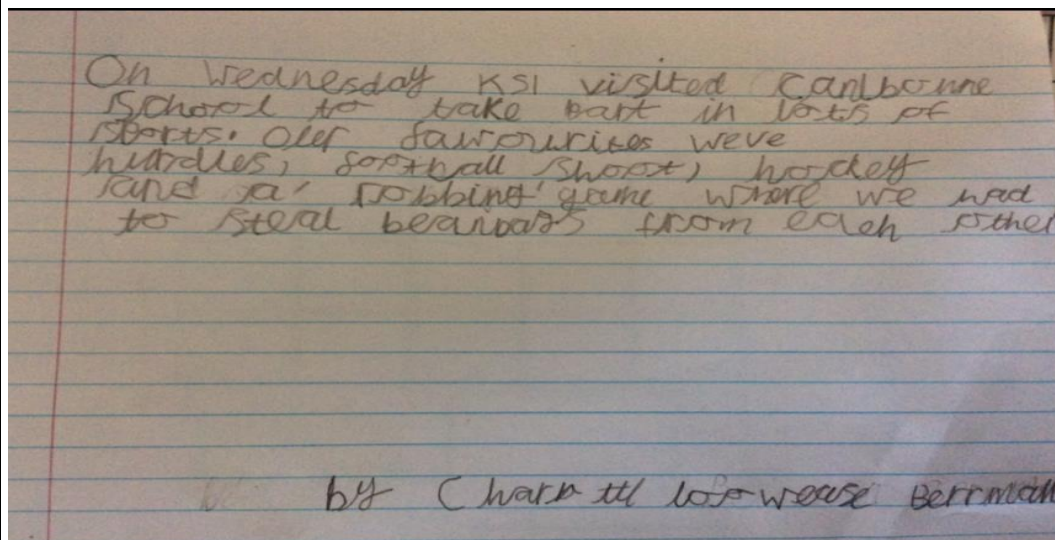
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This week's focus: **KS1 Multi-Skills Event – Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> October**



## Trencrom Class Visit to Royal Cornwall Museum – Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> October

On Thursday morning Trencrom class investigated 2000 year old Ancient Egyptian artefacts at Royal Cornwall Museum. The children handled many different examples from Ancient Egypt and had to match the artefacts with the descriptions. They learnt about the Mummy at the museum and how he has been prepared for the afterlife. This involved acting out the ceremony using masks and costumes. Emelia was very strict as O and nearly didn't let our version of the Mummy in!



## Dates for your diary:

### Wed 18<sup>th</sup> October

Parent meetings

### Thur 19<sup>th</sup> October

Parent Meetings

### Fri 20<sup>th</sup> October

School council visit to County Hall

### Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> to Friday 27<sup>th</sup>

October – Half Term

### Wed 29<sup>th</sup> Nov – Maths

parent meeting

### Fri 8<sup>th</sup> Dec

Carol Concert at Wesley Chapel 6pm

### Tues 19<sup>th</sup> Dec

Camborne Lantern Parade

## This week's awards:

**Top Table:** Abbie, Zabian, Sophie J, Lloyd  
**Class Awards:**

**Carn Brea** – Alfie, Maisy, Toby

**Godolphin** - Jowan, Jayden, Elijah

**Trencrom** – Maddy, Trystan, Morley

**Tregonning** – Megan, Cadan

**Headteacher Award** – Olivia, Jasmine H, Jasmine C

**Prefect Award** – William, Jack V



### Penultimate surfing club

On Monday evening our surf club went to Gwithian for their penultimate surf club of the year. The weather and surf were fantastic! There was a slight offshore breeze and 2ft clean, glassy lines breaking at waist depth. After the surf action we explored some of the deep rock pools including one where you had to go under a rock to get into it! It was a lively evening and we're really hoping Monday's southerly gale that is forecast means we get some great waves on our last surf for the year!



### Football Match – Trevithick Academy v Penponds School

Seven warriors stepped out on the pitch on Monday afternoon: Jake J-P, Ryan, Jack, Henry, Alfie G-W, Cadan and Roisin in goal. It was the first appearance for Roisin and Henry. It was a hard game but Penponds never let up. The team held their heads high and they fought to the end. Penponds took their chances and had 4 attempts on goal. The score did not reflect the game as they put their hearts and souls into this match and as coach I am so proud of how hard these 7 children worked. It was a special game as it was the first of the league and they did the school proud. Well done guys and Roisin! Man of the match was Henry and a special well done to Roisin who was awesome in goal and had a superb debut. By Trudy Watts

### HEALTH FORMS - REMINDER

Please remember to return completed forms for your children to receive health checks and flu protection by **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> October** to Mrs Wood in the office.

### Kernow Health nurses will be coming into school after half-term as follows:

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> October - Height and Weight Checks – Reception and Year 6  
Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October - Vision Screening – Reception  
Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November - Hearing Screening – Year 1  
Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December - Flu Vaccination – Reception, Years 1, 2, 3 and 4

### Attendance:

Carn Brea: 98.69%  
Godolphin:  
Y1 – 98.34%  
YR2 – 91.67%  
Trencrom: 95.24%  
Tregonning: 97.94%

### Attendance Trophy:

Carn Brea Class

### New Prefects

Congratulations to Eddy Manley, Heidi Manaton and Sophie Lomas, our latest Year 6 pupils to be awarded their prefect badges and ties.

### Fab Fitness with Nikki Marsh

Please note there will be no fitness sessions on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October and Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> October.

### Harvest Festival Assembly



Thank you to everyone who attended the Harvest Festival Assembly yesterday and for all the generous donations and for purchasing raffle tickets, cakes and vegetables!

The cake stall raised £130 for Carn Brea Leisure Centre towards the pool's refurbishment. FOPS raffle raised £69 and £105 was raised for Camborne Food Bank from the sale of harvest produce!

## School Admissions deadline for Year 7 and Reception 2018

Starting Secondary Schools	Children born: 1st September 2006 - 31st August 2007	Deadline: <b>31 October 2017</b>
Starting School	Children born: 1st September 2013 - 31st August 2014	Deadline: <b>15 January 2018</b>

If you wish to apply for a place please use this link:

<https://www.cornwall.gov.uk/education-and-learning/schools-and-colleges/school-admissions/>

### Quote of the week:

I've never tried quitting  
and I've never quit  
trying! By Edwina Evans



# **King Edward Mine This Half Term !**

- Tuesday 24th of October  
Shadow Puppet Workshop  
10am-3pm**
- Wednesday 25th of October  
Halloween Themed Arts and Crafts  
10am-12pm**
- Thursday 26th of October  
Halloween Hunt and Fancy Dress  
1pm-3pm (prize for Best Fancy Dress)**

**All activities are free of charge for more information  
contact [Demelza\\_events@kingedwardmine.co.uk](mailto:Demelza_events@kingedwardmine.co.uk)  
[www.kingedwardmine.co.uk](http://www.kingedwardmine.co.uk)**



**KING EDWARD  
MINE  
MUSEUM**



**Troon  
Camborne  
TR14 9HW**





# Truro School Swim Camp

SIR BEN AINSLIE  
**SPORTS  
CENTRE**



**Monday 23rd - Thursday 26th October**

This 4 day swim camp run by ASA coach Lee Stanbury from the Cornish Swim academy provides an exciting opportunity for 7-14 year olds of all club swimming levels to improve the fine points of swimming.

### **Camp Timetable:**

**Monday:** Front Crawl improvement + turns & starts.

**Tuesday:** Backstroke improvement + turns & starts.

**Wednesday:** Breast stroke Improvement + turns & starts.

**Thursday:** Butterfly stroke improvement + turns & starts.

**0830-1230**

**£25 per day (£80 all 4 days)**

Multi Activity Sport Camp available from 1230-1730 for an additional £12.50 (includes lunch)

For more information see our website or  
e-mail: [sport@truroschool.com](mailto:sport@truroschool.com)  
or call 01872 246050.



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OCTOBER HALF TERM  
**FUN FOR CHILDREN**  
AGED 6 - 14 YEARS

Monday to Friday 0830 - 1730

HOT LUNCH INCLUDED.

**£25 per day**

• Contact 01872 246050 or e-mail: [sport@truroschool.com](mailto:sport@truroschool.com) for bookings/enquiries

• Download an application form from [www.sirbenainsliesportscentre.com](http://www.sirbenainsliesportscentre.com)

- Also available from the Sports Centre Reception. Truro School, Trennick Lane, Truro, TR1 1TH

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# HALF TERM CRICKET CAMPS

## 23RD TO 27TH OCTOBER

@ CORNWALL CRICKET CENTRE

Cornwall  
Cricket

### Hardball Camps

- £15 per day
- Ages 9 - 13
- 10am - 4pm

### Softball Camps

- £10 per day
- Ages 5 - 10
- 10am - 4pm

Mon 23<sup>rd</sup>/Weds 25<sup>th</sup>/Fri 27<sup>th</sup>

(Must have played club hardball cricket)

Tues 24<sup>th</sup>/Thurs 26<sup>th</sup>

Please book your place in advance

For more details and to book your place on one of our camps go to:

**[www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps](http://www.cornwallcricket.co.uk/youth/holiday-camps)**

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