

# Landulph School Newsletter Together in Adventure and Discovery

15th March 2024

### A message from Mrs Ball...

This week I want to use my message to focus on the online world. As we continue to strive for a positive and inclusive online environment for our children we want to highlight the importance of promoting kindness online. It's crucial for us to instil in our children the values of empathy, respect, and kindness towards others, even in the digital world. Here are some tips that can help you guide your child in being kind online.



#### Think before you post

Encourage your child to pause and think before they post anything online. Remind them that once something is posted, it can be difficult to take it back. Encourage them to consider how their words or actions may impact others and if it aligns with being kind and respectful.

#### Use positive language

Encourage your child to use positive and uplifting language online. Discourage the use of derogatory or hurtful language, and remind them to always communicate in a respectful and kind manner, even when expressing differing opinions.

#### Respect differences

Teach your child to respect and appreciate the diversity of opinions, cultures, and backgrounds online. Encourage them to engage in constructive discussions and debates without resorting to insults, bullying, or derogatory comments.

#### Stand up against cyberbullying

Educate your child about the harmful effects of cyberbullying and encourage them to be an upstander, not a bystander. Teach them to report any instances of cyberbullying they come across and to offer support to the victim in a kind and compassionate manner.

#### Avoid spreading rumours or gossip

Remind your child that spreading rumours or gossip online can cause harm and hurt to others. Encourage them to verify information before sharing it, and to refrain from engaging in gossip or spreading unconfirmed information that can potentially harm others.

#### Respect others' privacy

Teach your child to respect others' privacy online, including not sharing or forwarding personal information, photos, or videos without consent. Encourage them to be mindful of the boundaries and privacy of others

By promoting kindness online, we can create a safe, inclusive, and positive online environment for our children. Thank you for your partnership in helping us foster a culture of kindness and respect at Landulph School.

'Little reminders of how to be kind online'

#### **Diary Dates**

22nd January-22nd March

After school clubs

28th March

Easter egg hunt
Egg decoration
competition deadline

29th March-12th April

Easter Holidays

15th April

INSET Day

16th April

Back to school

6th May

Bank Holiday Monday

27th-31st May

May Half Term

3rd June

INSET Day

17-19 July

Class 3 Bude Visit

24th July

Term ends





# Some snippets of the activities this week!



With red being our school colour, this was always going to be a tricky one but as always you have pulled out all of the stops and the children look amazing. Thank you for all of your kind donations of cakes for the cake sale. So far we have raised an incredible £109.82 which will be donated directly to Comic Relief.

Thank you to all of those that have taken part in our Science week challenges 😊













It was great to welcome Sophie from our caterer Chartwells today, who worked with each class teaching them how to make plain scones. We hope you enjoy eating them this evening!











We are over the moon to announce that we have achieved our Bronze Award, showing our commitment to being a Rights Respecting School. This is recognition of our work to make all pupils aware of the UN Charter of Children's Rights. Your child should be able to talk to you about some of the 'articles' that we have discussed in our Wednesday assemblies this half term. Our journey continues as we strive to achieve Silver next!

#### **Governor Day**

Yesterday we welcomed our dedicated team of Governors into school for our termly Governor day. They were kept very busy meeting with myself, the staff and of course our amazing children. An extra special welcome to our new parent Governors who have just joined the team - Michelle Blundy and Elaine Potterton.

On Tuesday evening, the school's football team took to the field for their first ever matches. We played on the 4G pitch at Callington College against Stoke Climsland and Calstock. All of the children thoroughly enjoyed their experience and became stronger and more confident as the games progressed. Although the team did not win, there were some



excellent skills on display and some fantastically committed defending and goalkeeping.

# Celebrating our learning....

#### Class 1

Class 1 had an enjoyable PE lesson this week where they were able to incorporate some science in celebration of British Science Week. They used the computers to check their heart rates whilst resting. After participating in their PE lesson and doing lots of physical activity, they checked their heart rates again to see the difference.









#### Class 2

Another week full of exciting events has come to an end. It has been lovely to dedicate some extra time to Science this week. We have really focused on working as scientists, practising the skills of observation, fair testing, comparing and classifying. One key conclusion from our jelly experiment - don't add pineapple or kiwi if you want your jelly to set! To get an opportunity to bake within the week as well was really fortunate as we could highlight the 'science' involved in cooking that might otherwise go unnoticed. Our writing unit focusing on 'The Last Bear' came to an end this week with some superb descriptive writing and some beautiful sketched illustrations. We will continue to read the story as our class novel daily as we are all excited to find out where April's adventure with Bear will take them both.







#### Class 3

The Class 3 children have been engaging in plenty of science this week – we started by looking at how we learn and make neural connections in our brains and that these connections can fade if not regularly revisited and refreshed. We then programmed our Micro Bits to make them thermometers and undertook a survey of temperatures across the playground. Then we explored the density of water and made some sugar water rainbows. We have also nearly finished our reading of Friend or Foe and wrote our own predicted final chapter – there were some very interesting takes on the story! Year 5 also visited Liskeard Fire Station for some very important life skill messages and really enjoyed their morning whilst learning vital information.











### Reminders....







Keep up those good habits...

Learning spellings, number facts and times tables is so important.

Don't forget your child has a log in to TT Rockstars (Y2-Y6), Numbots (Y1) and Spelling Shed (Y2-6).

These are great programmes that we invest in as a school to support learning at home. If your child has forgotten their log in details then please email Cathy.



This term, **Class 2** will be doing 'Wild Tribe.' Please can they bring their change of spare clothes (that you don't mind getting dirty) into school in a bag each **Thursday**.

- long trousers/tracksuit bottoms/leggings (no jeans)
- a long sleeved top or a jumper
- a waterproof jacket (waterproof trousers if you have them)
- old trainers or wellies

### Reminders...

#### Thursday 28th March - Easter egg competition

We would like you to decorate an egg in any style that you like! You can use whatever materials you like. You might choose to use paint or pens or cut out paper shapes or fabric or anything else you can think of! You might create an egg character from your favourite book or movie, you might make an egg scene or just create a beautiful pattern.



(Before you decorate your egg, either ask an adult to hard boil it or carefully pierce a small whole in the egg and blow it before you decorate it.)





#### Organised by Mrs Plumb

Open from 7:45am on all days that children are in school

Breakfast included

£3.50 per child



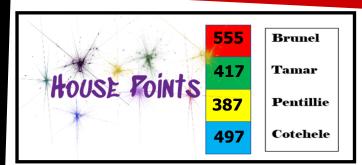
# <u>Little Owls</u> Organised by Mrs Slateford and Mrs Glancy

Afterschool club opens from 3.20 – 5.30pm with the costs as below. All sessions include a snack.

- $\Rightarrow$  3:20pm-4:20pm £4. Snack served at 4pm.
- $\Rightarrow$  3:20pm-5:30pm £7. Snack served at 4pm.
- $\Rightarrow$  4:20pm-5:30pm (after clubs) £4. Snack served at 4:30pm.

Please can you ensure any requests for wraparound care are submitted with as much notice as possible (ideally by the Friday before the week that the care is needed). We need a minimum of 48 hours' notice unless it is an emergency.

To book in, please email bookings@landulphcloud.net.





Happy Birthday to those who are celebrating their birthdays this month, we hope you enjoy your special day.

#### March

Class 1 - Max, Rupert, Maxley, Lilly Class 2 - Logan, Sima, Maya Class 3 - Thomas, Orlando

#### P.E. Days

On PE days your child needs to come to school in their PE kit. Remember if it is a bit on the chilly side, they can wear black tracksuit bottoms and their school jumper.

Class 1	Class 2	Class 3
Tuesday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Thursday		Thursday

#### **Attendance Matters**



























Please send your home learning into your child's class teacher using the class email address:

class3@landulphcloud.net class2@landulphcloud.net class1@landulphcloud.net





Class 2 - Isaac H Class 3 - Logan



Class 2 - Tommy Class 3 - Isla



# Class Cups

Class 1 - James Class 2 - Sima Class 3 - Alex



#### <u>Headteacher Awards</u> for demonstrating our school values

Class 1 – Ruairidh Class 2 – Sima Class 3 – Ele



# Formation Cape Alisa



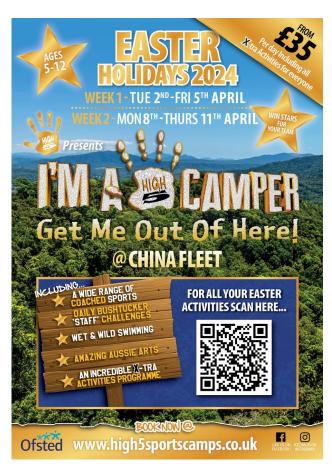
Congratulations to Mrs Lloyd for passing her Wild Tribe Outdoor Learning Practitioner Award!





To Barney for his Level 4 Parkour Award and Logan for his certificate in karate!









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