

# Boskenwyn School Newsletter

14th October 2022

#### **MESSAGE FROM MISS BLACKBURN**

Another busy week for us all. Mrs Larcombe, Mr Height and I attended a Mental Health Conference on Monday evening. It was really informative and we learnt lots about school avoidance, LBGTQ+ support, cultural social and school inclusion, pupil agency amongst other things. It was also a good opportunity for us to recognise how much we do already to improve pupil and staff mental health and well-being at our schools. We have mental health areas on both school websites under parent info. Please take a look if you would like to know more on how to support you and/or your child or if you could do with any tips. Mr Height is the Senior Mental Health Lead for staff and pupils at Germoe and Mrs Larcombe is the Senior Mental Health lead for staff and pupils at Boskenwyn. Please don't hesitate to contact one of us if you would like any further support.

Mr Watson and I attended early reading training yesterday and got lots of great tips to feedback to the rest of the staff. One of them was about creating a weekly reading café for parents and children to read together. We are hoping to set this up after half term and after speaking to the rest of the staff, we will keep you informed.

Mrs Basher and I will be leaving for Finland tomorrow to learn all about coaching strategies for pupils and how this improves learning in Finland and other Scandinavian countries. We also want to find out more about intrinsic rewards and how they tackle this in some of the most successful countries. We will update you on our findings in the next parent governor meeting on 8th November.

Thank you all for coming along to the Harvest Festival this week. It was a lovely afternoon and the children did so well. Thank you to FOBS and FROGS for all of your hard work and thank you too for your kind donations. We raised a great amount to split between school and Helston Food bank.

Wishing you a lovely weekend

Paula Blackburn



**Rosemullion Class -** Jasper, for joining in and his letter formation.

**Praa Sands Class -** Kinga, for always trying her best.

**Church Cove Class -** Gaia, for her fantastic poetry writing.

**Poldhu Class -** Kit, for great attitude and enthusiasm in his learning.

#### **REMINDERS**

Please close all gates as you enter and leave the school grounds to help keep our children safe.

If you arrive after 8.45 (KS2) or 9.00 (KS1) please take your child to the office to sign them in.

If your child is going to be off, please phone the school office, 01326 572618, before 9am.

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

#### **Church Cove Class**

Thursday 20th October -Visit to Butterfly Wood, remember your wellies!

## **School Photographs**

Friday 4 November the school photographer will be taking individual photos of the children; please can all children come into school in full uniform on that day.

# Next Parent Governor Meeting:

8th November - 9am

## **INSET Days**

5-10 June 23
Term dates have already been sent to you but if you need another copy then let us know.

# **Sports Day**

Thursday 15th June 23 at 2pm

#### **LIFT SHARE**

If anyone from Constantine is interested in lift sharing can they please contact Linda in the office.

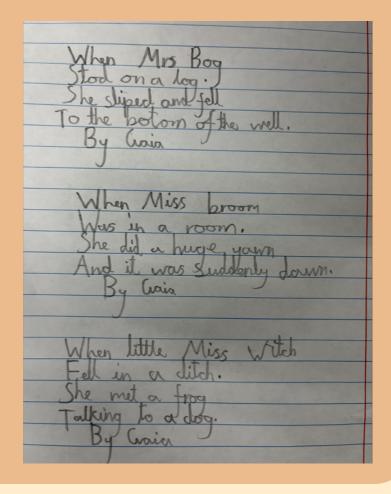
#### **CLASS UPDATE**

#### **Church Cove Class**

This week we have been learning all about clerihews in English and have written some of our own.

In Maths, we have been learning about measurement and investigating length, weight and capacity.

We have started to design our Ancient Greek inventions which we are looking forward to creating next week!



#### **SCHOOL MEALS**

Next Friday, the last day of this term, we will be having a Pasty Day! We will be serving steak pasties, cheese & onion pasties and sausage rolls (no veggie alternatives with sausage rolls). There are no jacket potatoes on that day.

#### **PHOTO CONSENTS**

Thank you to those that have already completed the photo consent form. If you haven't already done so, please complete it by following this link. We want to be able to promote all of the wonderful things are school does.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAlpQLSf3-OoXfastF0zVTF1QnSWRRNJglBcq9Kx9Uj2vLMMRf mZJzw/viewform?usp=sf\_link

#### **CROWD FUNDRAISER!**

Boskenwyn Community Primary School are hosting an inspirational workshop with Jamaican Open Champion Jordan Hart.

Jordan needs our help to raise funds for vital training, medical and competition costs.

This money will also help the school and other athletes across the country, find out more by clicking on the link below:

https://www.crowdfunder.co.uk/p/bosk enwyn

#### **CLUBS**

Clubs starting next week:

Monday - Art and craft with Mr Watson
Tuesday - Football with Mr Conway
Wednesday Eco - awaiting confirmation
Thursday - Cross Country with Mrs Care
Friday - Drama with Mr Hemsley

Tuesday Lunchtime - School Council with Mrs Nicholas Wednesday Lunchtime - Year 5/6 Book Club with Mrs Nicholas

#### **FOBS**

#### \*\*\* FOBS Event\*\*\*

This coming Sunday 16th October 10am All welcome please come and join us at the school.

If you would like to be considered for filling the positions of Secretary or Vice Chair please let Jules or Linda know.

#### \*\*\*\* Fix the FOBS shed \*\*\*\*

The FOBS shed is looking a bit sad and soggy with the felt roof flapping off. All of our stock & equipment for our events are stored in there and risk being ruined. We have roofing material, tar stuff to glue it and nails donated already. With the coming dry weather, is there a willing person available to come and put it on please asap?

#### \*\*\*\* Class Reps \*\*\*\*

Still required for Yr 2, Yr 3, Yr 4 and Yr 5.

The role entails communicating with your Yr group parents, helping to organise some of the events and encouraging families to get involved. Spreading the load and strengthening the school community.

Please let Linda in Reception know if your keen.

#### \*\*\*\* Start collecting up your winter wears! \*\*\*\*

As the cost of living is going up, winter is going to be an expensive time for us all. In November FOBs would like to hold a WINTER WEAR AND TOY SALE

Please start collecting up donations of Children's

\*Winter Coats

\*Gloves, Hats & Scarves

\* Waterproofs

\* Wellies

\*And Toys or gifts that would make a perfect present for someone this Christmas

