Please make sure your child does not bring any food **containing nuts and eggs (hard boiled or scotch)** into school. We have 2 children with serious nut and egg allergies. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

# St Mary's C of E School News

## Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March

#### **Assembly Value**

This half term our assembly value is Responsibility.

We will be exploring these values through Bible stories and contemporary stories and most importantly talking with the children about how they can live out this value in their daily life around school.

For more information and an activity sheet of things to do with your child on this value, please see our website pages.

#### London!

It was a real pleasure to take Year 6 (and St Maddern's Year 6) to London before half term. We had a packed itinerary and the children showed exemplary behaviour at all times. My thanks to all the staff involved and we hope that your child enjoyed the trip. We will be setting a date to share photos and outcomes from the trip with you and also Year 5 children, watch out for your London letter later this term.

#### ARTS AWARDS

Reception	All the class for making props
Class 1	Eliza - Cubist portrait
Class 3	Poppy –Seascape
Class 4	Daria - Excellent art all term
Class 5	Arlo – Henry VIII portrait
Class 5	Nina - Anne Boleyn portrait
Class 6	Helena & Martha – William Morris

#### Our Daily Bread

In the first week of this we have had about 50 children each day for Breakfast! We will be reviewing the supervision at the start of the day. Thank you for supporting this.

### Stars of the week ending 8<sup>th</sup> February

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Reception	Annabelle	
Class 1	Blake	
Class 2	Ella & Isabella	
Class 3	All of the class	
Class 4	Alfie	
Class 5	Lilly Ellen	
Class 6	Eve	
Golden Tokens ending 8 <sup>th</sup> February		
Class 1	Isabelle	
Class 2	John	
Class 3	Ruby	
Class 4	Finlay	
Class 5	James	
Class 6	Faye	
Star attendance	Class 6	
<u>Stars of the week ending 15<sup>th</sup> February</u>		
Reception	Greyson & Tyler	
Class 1	Cody	
Class 2	Logan	
Class 3	Oliver	
Class 4	Jemima & Rose	
Class 5	Delilah	
Golden Token	s week ending 15 <sup>th</sup> February	
Reception	Lloyd	
Class 1	Eva	
Class 2	Isabella	
Class 3	Valentine	
Class 4	Finley	
Class 5	James	
Star attendance	Class 3	
Stars of the week ending 1 <sup>st</sup> March		
Reception	Maksim	
Class 1	Amelie, Amelia, James	
Class 2	Logan	
Class 3	Ruby	
Class 4	Eli	
Class 5	Rosa	
Class 6	Cameron	
Golden Tokens ending 1 <sup>st</sup> March		
Reception	Jax	
Class 1	Amelia	
Class 2	Alfred	
Class 3	Matilda	
Class 4	Jemima	
Class 5	James	
Class 6	Cameron	
Star attendance Class 6		

**COMIC RELIEF RED NOSE PENS** Available NOW from the school office £1.00 each

#### **Dates for Your Diary**

4th MarchSt Piran Concert at SJH 7pm5th MarchSt Piran Furry Dance 10:15am<br/>(from top of Causeway Head)

#### **ST PIRANS DAY LUNCH MENU**

Meat pasty or cheese and onion pasty.

#### World Book Day

#### WORLD BOOK DAY LUNCH MENU

Snow White Chicken Burger & Chips Quorn Meatballs with Twits Spaghetti Bruce Bogtrotter's Chocolate Fudge Cake Jungle Book Fruit Salad with Yoghurt Dippers

11<sup>th</sup> March 22<sup>nd</sup> March 26<sup>th</sup> March 27<sup>th</sup> March 28<sup>th</sup> March 8<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> April Mon 6<sup>th</sup> May 27<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> May Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> June Thurs 25<sup>th</sup> July Fri 26<sup>th</sup> July

7<sup>th</sup> March

Class 2 Eden Project FOSMS Disco FOSMS Duck Race Class 1 St Michaels Mount Cornwall Spring Games Easter Holiday May Bank Holiday Whitsun Holiday INSET DAY – School Closed INSET DAY – School Closed Summer Holiday begins

# World Book Day Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March

This year our school theme is Children's Classics. Please dress your child accordingly. Some suggestions are: The Wizard of Oz, The Railway Children, Winnie the Pooh, The tale of Peter Rabbit and similar, Mary Poppins, Thomas the Tank Engine Series, Chronicles of Narnia, Cat in the Hat, Tom's Midnight Garden, Where the Wild Things are, A Bear Called Paddington.

#### **DINNER MONEY**

Please can you send in the correct dinner money in an envelope on a Monday stating your child's name, class, amount enclosed and the days and dates of the meals being ordered for the week.

We request that any outstanding dinner money is paid up to date.

There is a supply of Free School Meals application forms in the school reception area should you wish to apply to Cornwall Council however, claims cannot be backdated.

#### SONGFEST 2019

Well done to all the children who took part in Songfest 2019 at St John's Hall on Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February. It was a splendid evening full of joyful songs and showcasing the singing talents of West Penwith Schools.

St Mary's school were the only school to learn the harmony parts and sung these strongly. We also had a high number of children invited to join

County Choirs. My thanks to Mrs Hall for rehearsing the children, Mrs George for accompanying the children on the day and also Cornwall Music Hub for transforming St John's Hall into a magical setting for the performance.

#### **St Piran Celebrations**

Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> March Family Treasure Trail around Penzance – see attached leaflet. All welcome, go on search of the Class 3 artwork and artwork from other schools around town celebrating the Cornish Language and be rewarded with a tea treat in Warrens!

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 7pm St Piran's Concert at St John's Hall

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 10:15** St Piran's Dance from the top of Causeway Head to Morrab Gardens. Children in the band and in classes 5 and 6 need to wear black trousers/leggings/ skirt and a white shirt for that day.

#### Internet Safety

As you know there have been internet scares this week. **Our message to children is always**: Tell an adult if there is anything upsetting or worrying when you are on the internet.

Our message to parents and carers is: Make sure you have the correct parental controls. Make sure your child is not accessing sites or apps that are NOT age appropriate.

Be vigilant about what your child is accessing and supervise their time on the internet.

Let's together ensure that children are kept safe.

If you have any concerns then please do contact us.