



ST BREWARD COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

# ST BREWARD BUGLE

ARE YOU TAKING ADVANTAGE OF A FREE  
SWIM AT CAMELFORD ON A MONDAY ?

OCTOBER 2018

CHILDREN ARE DUE BACK AT SCHOOL ON MONDAY 29TH OCTOBER.

HAPPY HALF TERM EVERYONE!

## OPERATION MOONBASE –AN ENABLING ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE

Following a training session with staff at Otterham School, delivered by Alice Hossnet from Enabling Enterprise, teachers prepared and delivered a day of skills based learning. The focus was firmly on listening, positivity, cooperation, creativity, problem solving and leadership with reward points given out accordingly. Alice set the scene with an assembly about 'Utopia,' a planet that needed populating and developing. The children had important decisions to make that needed justifying. Agreements had to be made within groups and thinking explained to the class. The final task was to create their chosen buildings out of 'junk' kindly donated by yourselves.

**WHO IS THE  
MOST AWESOME  
PERSON TODAY?**



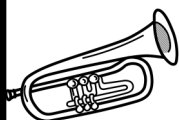
We don't  
learn from  
talking; we  
learn from  
listening.

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The day was a huge success with the vast majority of children on task and enthused for the duration of the day. The development of skills was clearly evident throughout the day. As a school we have committed to giving skills based learning a focus, using materials provided by Enabling Enterprise.

## MUSIC LESSONS AT ST BREWARD SCHOOL

All Dolphin and Seahorse children receive whole class instrument lessons through First Access, Cornwall Music Service Trust. This term Dolphins are learning to play the trumpet with Anna Minear and Seahorses are learning the ukulele with Jan Man. Last year both classes had the experience of African drumming. These 10 sessions provided by the Music Service Trust are an excellent introduction to learning to play an instrument and may inspire your child to take up learning to play an instrument on a regular basis. At present children at St Breward have individual or small group lessons in both violin and trumpet. If you would like further information about the opportunities on offer, please have a look at [www.cornwallmusicserVICetrust.org](http://www.cornwallmusicserVICetrust.org).



## CHILDREN CONTRIBUTE TO THE HARVEST CELEBRATIONS AT ST BREWARD CHURCH



The whole school made their way up to the church on Monday 1st October to deliver their collection of non-perishable goods in time for the Harvest Service. The school would like to say a huge thank you to Reverend David Seymour for meeting the children at the church and saying a few words about the harvest celebrations. Thank you parents for your generous donations.

## CAN YOUR CHILD SWIM A LENGTH OF CAMELFORD POOL?

If so, Stingers Swimming Club are offering a free months trial starting Tuesday 30th October. They train every Tue (6:45pm–8:00pm) and Thur (6:30pm–7:45pm). The offer is for 4 free sessions to see if the club is something your child would like to do on a regular basis. Please see Mrs Ward for further details.



## EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY

We hope that you are always treated fairly and feel able to come into school to discuss issues. We are open to reviewing our equality policies. What does this mean? We aim, in everything we do, to treat all members of our school community fairly in all respects—gender, race, age, single parents, sexual orientation, disability and religious belief. If you feel that you are being treated less than fairly it is hoped that you feel able to discuss the matter with any member of staff here at school, or if you would prefer to discuss it with a parent governor, please do so. The parent governor here at St Breward is Rachel Cooke.

## SUPPORT YOUR PTA

Meeting tonight (18/10) –7pm

At school!

NEXT MEETING

Tuesday 13th Nov 6pm

ALL WELCOME



## Save The Children Concert

On Tuesday 16th October, children from across all schools in our newly formed multi academy trust (North Cornwall Learning Trust) performed at Sir James Smith's School in aid of Save the Children. Miss Goodman and her BOKWA group gave an energetic performance to an appreciative audience whilst the newly formed school choir sang 'This Is Me' beautifully with children from Otterham School.

It was a concert full of talent and a delight to see children from St Breward part of it. A massive 'well done' to all children who performed and a huge 'thank you' to you, the parents, for supporting your child in getting to and from the event. Great dancing Miss Goodman!



## CHRISTINA TO REPRESENT COUNTRY

One of our very own pupils, Christina Sillifant, has been chosen from 111 drivers to represent her country and her formula to compete in a Micro F2 Stock Car event in Lelystad, Holland during the beginning of November. This is fantastic news Christina. We are all really proud of you and wish you every success at the event!



## Mischief Makers—Summer Reading Challenge 2018

Well done to the children who took part in this year's Summer Reading Challenge, Mischief Makers. By promoting a passion and enthusiasm for reading, this year's challenge will stand children in good stead. Reading is after all, the key that unlocks the door to the rest of the curriculum!

Congratulations to Rachel Denning, Rohan Harding, Ruby Harding, Lois Bray and Freya Grundon.

## Many Thanks to Dan Bray

A lack of direct sunlight reaching the raised beds would in time, cause problems. Thank you to Dan for the expert removal of trees at the top end of the field giving both light to the raised beds and also logs for the outdoor learning area. Mrs Evans and various children have numbered the logs and sealed the wood.



## Tinten Helps Out

It's always good to keep it local and lately we have received some much appreciated help from Neil at Tinten on Farm Composting. Having gathered a considerable amount of top soil and compost (9 tonnes), Neil also offered to not only deliver it but place it into our raised beds. Mrs Evans is busy planting daffodil bulbs with the children ready for the Spring. Thanks a bunch to the PTA for funding this.



## WE ARE TRIALLING A NEW START TO THE SCHOOL DAY

When we return after half term, children should enter the school on arrival (between 8:45am and 8:55am, unless in Breakfast Club), hang up belongings in the cloakroom and head to their classroom. Turtles to enter via their classroom door, Seahorses and Dolphins via the main entrance. Teachers and Teaching Assistants will be available for any messages to be passed on to and children can settle with an activity. It is hoped that this encourages a calm beginning to the school day and allows for improved communication with staff. Please assist teachers in their preparation for the day ahead by leaving the building as soon as possible and for older children, encouraging independence and allowing them to organise their own start to the school day. Thank you in anticipation of your support. The system will reviewed regularly and we welcome your feedback on any aspect of the provision.

## Congratulations!

Well done to all the 'stars' who have received a certificate so far this term. Your hard work is always noticed! The children below have been identified as 'shinning' in a particular subject area or for being an overall superstar!

|            |           |         |
|------------|-----------|---------|
| Scarlett   | Grace     | Freya   |
| Sophie     | Christina | Olly    |
| Tilly      | Sienna    | Annabel |
| Elodie     | Rohan     | Effia   |
| Ella       | Sam       | Lucas   |
| Tayla -Mae | Henry     |         |
| Edward     | Alfie     |         |



## OPEN AFTERNOON

FRIDAY 9TH NOVEMBER 1:30PM

Please note change of date!

Come and spend some time with your child inside the classroom. The focus will be on how children learn mathematics and the standard that is expected of them at the end of a Key Stage. It will be an afternoon of activities, games and problems with information such as past test papers and policies available for you to look at. So that we have an idea of numbers, please let Jo in the office know if you are able to make it.