

Autumn term 2018 (6)  
18th October



Ladock School Values  
Forgiveness, Trust, Compassion,  
Perseverance, Respect & Truth.

# Ladock Church of England School Newsletter



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## Students of the week

St Cuby

**Eleanor Griggs**

St Keyne

**Honey Moore**

St Ladoca

**Charlotte Thomas**

St Blaise

**Beatrix**

**Hutton-Bailey**

## A note from Mr Stoyles

I really cannot believe that I am writing to you this week as we approach the end of the first half term of this academic year. It's clear to see how well all of the children have risen to the challenge of being in a new year group or class with different expectations.

Thank you to all of those who attended our parents evenings this week. I hope it provided you with a great opportunity to see the progress that your child is making in the school.

This week, amongst other exciting activities, saw the children in Ladoca class visit the Eden Project linked to their chocolate topic. They all thoroughly enjoyed this visit!

Also, we are extremely excited to welcome both Mr Height and Mr Allen, who are PGCE students from Plymouth University. They will be at the school for 11 weeks in total and mainly based in Ladoca class.

I'm thrilled to share with you the afterschool clubs that we will be running in the next half term. These will begin on the 5<sup>th</sup> November and run up to the end of the Autumn term. Sign-up sheets will be on the table next to Blaise class on the first day back after the half term holidays. Details of these clubs are available on page 6 of this newsletter.

Last of all, thank you for your support this half term.



## School Photographs

Tempest will be picking up the school photograph order on **Thursday 1st November**.

If you would like your order to be sent with the school order, please ensure that the envelope with payment is received in the office before this date.

Don't forget to get your disco shoes on for this evenings PTFA Disco in the Village from 5.30—7pm!

Fancy Dress if you want to!

# Special Achievements

*St Cuby: Ted King, Charlie Carlyle*

*St Keyne: Ruan Michell, Henry Denning, Poppy Lewis*

*St Ladoca: Amie Mulkeen, Oliver Lutey*

*St Blaise: Olivia King, Brandon Sullivan, Dawid Madej*

**Super six badge: Kara Clarke & Elliot Moore**

## Dates for your Diary

**Mondays (Weds if Bank Holidays)—Piano, Tuesdays—ukulele tuition**

**Thurs 18th Oct 3.30pm Year 5 & 6 Transition visit from the Roseland—Blaise classroom**

**Thurs 18th Oct PTFA Disco in the village hall 5.30—7pm**

**Weds 31st Oct Swimming (1) - Years 3 & 4 (some 5 & 6) - please return consent forms**

**Weds 7th Nov Swimming (2) - Years 3 & 4**

**Weds 14th Nov Swimming (3) - Years 3 & 4**

**Weds 21st Nov Bench Ball festival - Years 4, 5 & 6—1-3pm**

**Weds 21st Nov Swimming (4) - Years 3 & 4**

**Weds 28th Nov Swimming (5) - Years 3 & 4**

**Fri 30th Nov Inset Day**

**Mon 3rd Dec Inset Day**

**Fri 14th Dec Roseland Ultimate Christmas Dodgeball (non-elite) - Years 4, 5 & 6—1-3pm**

**Fri 14th Dec KS1 Christmas performance in the village hall**

**Mon 17th Dec School Christmas Cinema trip to White River St Austell to see Peter Rabbit**

**Thurs 20th Dec 9am Eucharist Service in Church**

**Thurs 20th Dec Last day of the Autumn term**

**Mon 7th Jan 1st day of Spring term 2019**

***2018-2019 Inset days - 30th Nov, 3rd Dec, 7th June & 25th July***

***No stay & play in the village hall***

***16th January 2019, 3 & 17th June and 24th & 25th July 2019.***

**Weekly Attendance for week ending 5th October 2018 - 95.26%**

**St Cuby 94.7% St Keyne 95.52%**

**St Ladoca 92.5% St Blaise 98.33%**

**The Government advises that attendance should not fall below 96.1%**

## Transfer to Secondary School September 2019

**The deadline for applications is 31st October 2018**

Applications may be made via website and application form: [www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions)

Email: [schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@cornwall.gov.uk)

Post: School Admissions Team, County Hall, Truro, TR1 3AY

Telephone: 0300 1234 101

**If you need help with your application you can contact the Family Information Service  
on 0800 587 8191.**

## Starting School—September 2019

Applying for a place in a reception class for children born between 1st September  
2014 and 31st August 2015

**The deadline for applications is 15th January 2019**

### Attending Nursery

Please note that attending a school's nursery does not guarantee your child a place at that school—you still need to apply. The criteria in the school's admission arrangements will be used to allocate places. Visit the website or contact admissions' for more information.

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## Nasal flu immunisation feedback

Following last weeks nasal flu immunisations for Reception to Year 5 children, Kernow Health have asked if children could complete a simple feedback form, these have been sent home via book bags, please return these forms to the school office for submission back to Kernow Health.

Thank you.

## School Milk

Children under 5 will receive milk each day, but don't forget that even if your child is over five, you can still apply for them to have milk.. Milk usually costs around just £15 a term. You can register your child by visiting <https://www.coolmilk.com/register>, you can also pick up a registration form from reception and return it to FREEPOST COOL MILK.

## PTFA Dates



- 18th Oct** School Disco in the Village Hall 5.30—7pm—Fancy dress if you want to! £1.50 per child—additional sibilings £1 per child.
- 19th Oct** Non School uniform day—come as you want! £1 donation please. Funding to help with the purchase of books for the school library.
- 17th Dec** Whole school Christmas cinema trip—funded by the PTFA.
- 7th Nov** 5.30—6.30pm PTFA meeting in the Victorian building.
- 13th Feb** Ladock's Got Talent in the Village Hall—provisional date.



### Harvest Festival Donations

A huge thank you for all the wonderful harvest produce which was sent in last week on such a wet and windy day. The autumn leaves were certainly flying! Through your generosity, we were able to send off many bagfuls of tins and packets to share with those who are helped by Truro Foodbank. The children did a magnificent job of presenting their harvest poems, prayers and songs and it was lovely to share this with so many parents, relatives and friends.



Can we please ask parents to be careful when parking, driving off and reversing when dropping off and collecting your children, and encourage you to use the car park. This is especially important with the oncoming darker mornings and evenings.

Some parents are parking outside on the road which can make it difficult and dangerous for those families that walk to school. If cars park close to each other and the first middle row pulls forward so we can fit a second middle row behind, there should be plenty of room. Many thanks for your help with this.



## PE NEWS



## Sports Leaders



Year 6—Aeisha & Kemeny

Year 5—Tommy and Seb



*17th Oct - Roseland Sports hall athletics  
at the Roseland academy*

*Congratulations to both of Ladock's  
Athletics teams for finishing  
in third place.*

*The Athletics competition took place at the Rose-land School and students competed in a range of events which involved running, jumping and throwing. The competition started with a test of teamwork as the students had to complete a relay race including obstacles. It was fantastic to see all of the students cheering each other on and being proud to represent Ladock school. The students presented excellent determination during the speed bounce competition and they impressed the sports leaders with their enthusiasm and resilience. Well done to all those involved!!*



### *Autumn Term 2018 sporting events*

*21st Nov - Roseland Swimming Festival—venue TBC*

*14th Dec—Ultimate Christmas Dodgeball*



### *Sports 'Stars of the week'*

*KS1 - Bethany Griggs*

*KS2 - Iggy Turner*



*If anybody takes part in any sporting activity out-  
side of school, it would be lovely to see any photos  
that can be added to our  
'Wall of Fame'.*



## Teacher led afterschool clubs— 2nd half of the Autumn term 2018



The teacher led after school clubs will start week beginning **Monday 5th November**. These clubs will run up to and including the last week of term, week beginning 17th December (7 weeks). No Plymouth Argyle football club for the last week as we break up on Thursday 20th December.



**Monday—Mr Egford—Parent & child fitness club—KS1 & KS2— 30 spaces—**There will be a voluntary contribution for this club, price TBC.****

**Monday—Mr Cornish—ICT Club—KS1 & KS2—20 spaces**

**Monday -Mr Height & Mr Allen— Guitar lessons— KS2 - 10 spaces**

**Tuesday—Mrs Rimmer—Balance bikes—Reception—6 spaces**

**Wednesday—Mr Webb—Tag Rugby club—KS2—20 spaces**

**Wednesday—Miss Danks—Mixed skills—KS1—20 spaces**

**Friday—Plymouth Argyle football club— KS2—25 spaces**



**The sign up sheets will be outside of Blaise classroom from Monday 29th October and as before the club spaces will be on a first come, first served basis.**



### Stay & Play sessions

Truro Nursery have confirmed that they will be running their stay and play sessions up to and including the week ending Friday 14th December. They will be recommencing the week beginning 14th Jan which will hopefully avoid any inset days that might crop up.



**MUMMIES ARE YOU TIRED?  
SEND DADDY AND THE KIDS TO PROBUS CHURCH FOR A  
DAD'S BREAKFAST**

**EVERY THIRD SATURDAY OF THE MONTH**

**FROM 09.30-11.30**

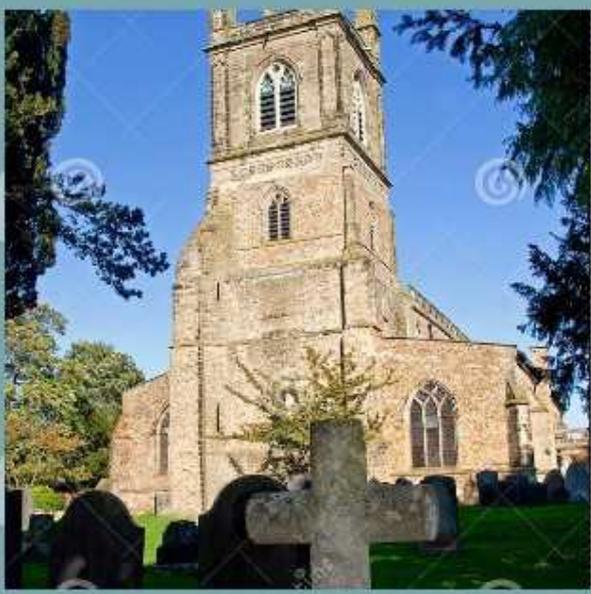
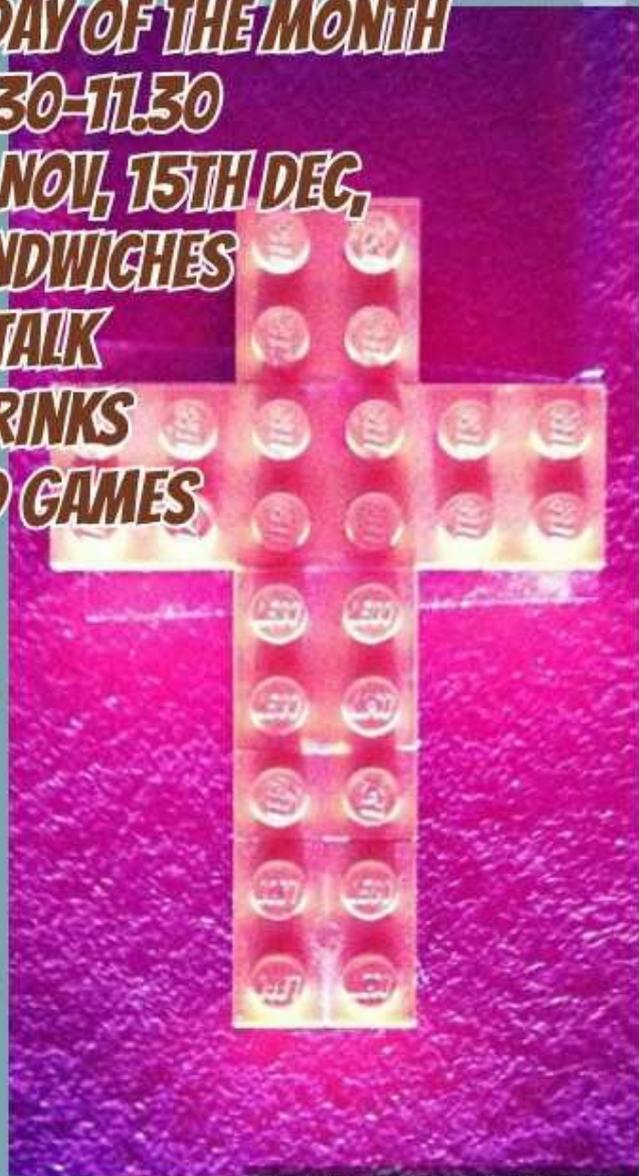
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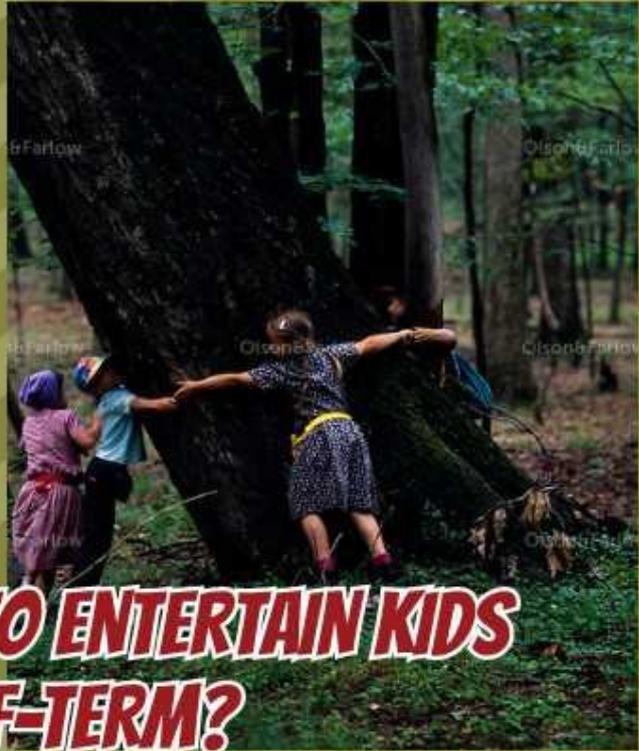
**BACON SANDWICHES**

**DAD TALK**

**HOT DRINKS**

**TOYS AND GAMES**





***RUN OUT OF IDEAS TO ENTERTAIN KIDS  
OVER HALF-TERM?***

***JOIN US FOR HALF TERM TOWER TOTS  
ON THURSDAY 25TH OCTOBER***

***MEETING AT 13.45 AT THE SANCTUARY  
OPPOSITE THE CHURCH ON WAGG LANE***



***NATURE TRAIL  
OUTDOOR ARTS AND CRAFTS  
TOASTING MARSHMALLOWS ON THE FIRE  
HOT DRINKS  
DON'T FORGET YOUR WELLIES***

# OCTOBER HALF TERM ACTIVITIES



## AT WHEAL MARTYN

| ACTIVITY             | DATES                         | TIMES            | DETAILS   |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|---|
| AUTUMN MASKS         | Sat 20 Oct<br>to<br>Sun 4 Nov | 10.00 -<br>16:00 | Discover Wheal Martyn's nature reserve on a scavenger hunt and pick your favourite nature items to decorate your mask with! Free mask template from reception. *                          |
| DANCE WORKSHOP       | Sat 20 Oct                    | 10.30 &<br>14.00 | Creative dance workshops for all the family, no dance experience necessary! Katie Green will lead the sessions. £5 per participant, includes entrance to the museum.                      |
| MAGIC CLAY WANDS     | Mon 22 Oct<br>&<br>Mon 29 Oct | 10.30 -<br>15.30 | Find your favourite stick and nature objects to decorate your own magic wand with! Join us at one of our drop in clay wand workshops where the real magic begins! £1.50 per participant.* |
| SPOOKY STONES        | Thu 25 Oct                    | 10.30 -<br>15.30 | Paint your own spooky stone and hide for someone else to find, or keep it as a memento. 50p per participant. *  |
| BADGER FOREST SCHOOL | FRI 26 Oct                    | 11.00 -<br>13.00 | Autumn fun in the woods for families - den building, camp fires, puppet making, harvest crafts. £8 child, £4 adult, includes museum entry.  |

**Children must be accompanied by an adult.**

\*Normal admission fees still apply for some activities

[www.wheal-martyn.com](http://www.wheal-martyn.com)

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WHEAL MARTYN  
CLAY WORKS

