

# Blackwater Newsletter

Friday 17th May 2024

Dear Parents and families,

Welcome to this week's newsletter. Unfortunately Microsoft Sway is having a funny 5 minutes so I am going back to good old fashioned letter format (Please let me know which style you prefer).

It has been a great two weeks here at Blackwater School. The sun has started to shine and we have seen children accessing our outside environment more with their learning and also their play. With the high expectation for learning we have at this school, we also have a high expectation for play too. The Education Endowment Foundation (EEF) have researched that play-based learning is so important for primary school children on so many levels. Please follow this link [here](#) for more information. As a school, we do follow and read research to make sure we make the right choices for our children.

This week it has been SATS week for the Year 6 children. The staff have been amazing at supporting the children with delicious breakfast (smoked salmon, sausage rolls, pastries, fruit, juices) It was delicious! This gave the children a calm and relaxed environment for them to be ready for learning. We are SO proud of all the children, they all did amazingly!

To finish this week, we have had our 'Wear Green' day to support Mental Health week today. We have talked about how we need to keep our brains healthy as well as our bodies. The children have had lots of ideas which hopefully they will be able to take home with them.

Can I remind all parents to make sure that children are wearing the correct uniform, as well as a coat, hat and suncream. With this changeable weather, we want to be ready for everything!

Next week we are hopeful that the sun stays and we can have our Summer Fayre on Thursday after school. If you have any items for the fayre, that would be amazing: wine, teddies, raffle and tombola prizes and cakes on the day.

Thank you so much for all your support as always, Please do pop in and see me if you have any questions or worries, my door is always open.

Best wishes

*Mrs Evison*

## Dates for the Diary

Tues 21st May - Year 1 Beach Warriors (last session)

- Luna and Busy swimming

Thurs 23rd May - Summer Fayre 3:30—5:00pm

Fri 24th May - Neurodiversity day

- Break the Rules day

- Finish at 3:15pm for half term.

Mon 3rd June - 8:30am - start of term

- 4pm - Surf club starts

Tues 4th June - Year 2 Farm warriors

Fri 7th June - Reception chn and Harmony swimming

Tues 11th June - Year 2 Farm warriors

Thurs 13th June - new EYFS class meeting 5pm

Fri 14th June - Reception chn and Harmony swimming

# This week's activities



THURSDAY 23RD MAY 3.30 - 5.00

JOIN US  
FOR THE BLACKWATER SCHOOL

# SUMMER FAYRE



## FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

BBQ | REFRESHMENTS | RAFFLE | CAKE SALE | TIN CAN ALLEY  
WATER OR WINE | ASSAULT COURSE | TOMBOLA

HOOK A DUCK | 50/50 | HIGHER/LOWER  
SPLAT THE RAT | SPONGE THE TEACHER  
BRIC A BRAC | TEDDY TOMBOLA | GOAL SHOOT OUT

# Community Information



## Half Term Holiday Camps

 Cornwall Cricket

| Softball<br>Tuesday 28th May       | Hardball<br>Wednesday 29th May        |
|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 5 to 8 year olds: 10am to 12pm £16 | 8 to 13 year olds: 10am to 12pm £16   |
| 8 to 11 year olds: 1pm to 4pm £24  | Club hardball players: 1pm to 3pm £16 |

 **At Cornwall Cricket Centre**  
Truro College Campus  
Truro  
TR1 3XX

*To book scan the QR Code or use the link in the text*

 **Cornish Seal Sanctuary**

# WILDLIFE WEEK

When: 27 May 2023 - 4 June 2023    Where: Cornish Seal Sanctuary

**eden project**

# FESTIVAL OF IMAGINATION

27 MAY - 4 JUNE 2023

DISCOVER A WORLD OF CREATIVITY AND IMAGINATION THIS HALF-TERM AT EDEN

- YOUNG ADULT AND CHILDREN'S AUTHORS
- MUSIC, DANCE AND THEATRE
- WRITING WORKSHOPS AND ART ACTIVITIES

EVENTS FOR ALL AGES

Well done to these children for showing excellent behaviour and learning attitudes.

We are proud of you!

Mrs Evison looks forward to sharing a hot chocolate with you next week.



Friday  
10th May

### Learners of the Week

Wheal Friendly: Orla  
Wheal Harmony: Ben  
Wheal Busy: Indy  
Wheal Luna: Ollie

### Citizens of the Week

Wheal Friendly: Blue  
Wheal Harmony: Lola  
Wheal Busy: Madeline  
Wheal Luna: Jacob

Above and  
Beyond  
Olivia K

Friday  
17th May

### Learners of the Week

Wheal Friendly: Jack C  
Wheal Harmony: Thea C  
Wheal Busy: Lillie Mae  
Wheal Luna: Emily S

### Citizens of the Week

Wheal Friendly: Albie  
Wheal Harmony: Robbie  
Wheal Busy: Eve  
Wheal Luna: Harvey

Above and  
Beyond  
Harvey

Super Star  
Rowan

### 99 Club

33 Club - Jagor, Ben, Charlotte  
44 Club - Poppy  
55 club - Isabelle C, Eve S  
66 Club - Lerryn  
88 Club - Jacob

