

Mount Hawke Academy Newsletter

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Friday 14th July 2017

DIARY DATES

TODAY! - Year 4 Trebah Dance Event

Monday 17th – Godrevy, Trevose and Year 2 Beach Visit Day

Tuesday 18th July – FOMHS Summer Fayre, 2:30pm

Thurs 20th July – Reports are sent home

Tues 25th July – Last day of Summer Term & Year 6 Leavers Assembly at 9am

Mon 4th & Tues 5th September – INSET DAYS (*the school will be closed)

Wednesday 6th September -Return to School

ASSEMBLY VALUE

Our Whole School Assembly is **Friendship**

How to use all our values to show friendship

FOMHS MOUSEHOLE CLASS CAKE SALE

FOMHS would like to say a BIG thank you for all the amazing cakes, biscuits, buns, pies that were provided for the Reception Mousehole Class cake sale. There was a wonderful variety and such a large amount that the sale ran over 2 days. In total a massive £108.60 was raised. Brilliant!

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

All of our after school clubs have now finished for this term. Please now check and amend your children's going home arrangements, notably our **school bus children**. The only exception is Laura-Beth School of Dance, who will send out a memo to her members this week.

PLAYZONE NOTICE

As of September 2017, we are simplifying our charging structure. One hour of Playzone will be £4, two hours £7, and three hours £10. Sibling rates will be £3 per hour.

Please also note that from September, we will not be able to accept children into Playzone if a bill is outstanding. Many thanks to all of our parents who have already settled their accounts.

CELEBRATIONS & ACHIEVEMENTS

Fri 14 th July	Achievement	Celebration
Mousehole	Harry	Caidan
Godrevy 1	Tassy	Lacey
Trevose 1	Sean	Mylo
Class 2	Dylan	Sunny
Class 3	Gracie	Amelie
Class 4	Trebah Dance Event	
Ocean	Lola	Calum
Jungle	Finley	Layla
Six	Luke M	Clara

OUR SPORTING HEROES!



We have done incredibly well in our sporting events recently. Notably at the recent Cornwall School Games at Launceston College, Budehaven Community College and Liskeard Community College. Gold medals were won in Quad Kids and the Biathlon, Silver medals in golf, Year 3 & 4 tennis and cross country, and Bronze medals were won in the indoor athletics, biathlon and cross country. Children were also placed in the hockey, Year 5 & 6 tennis, cycling and swimming. All of these fantastic results led to the school sitting at the top of the Cornwall School Games medal table and Helen Glover Race for Champions. An amazing achievement for a very talented cohort of children from MHA! Well done! We are all so proud of you and thank you to Mr Brandreth for inspiring so many to compete.

COUNTY ATHLETICS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Last Wednesday we took some children from Year 3 and upwards to the Par Athletics Track, to compete in the Primary School County Athletics Championships. The children had a great day and competed incredibly well, given the extremely high standard of athletics that was taking place on the day. Freya H got Gold and broke the County record for the 75m sprint! Freya and her team of Ivy, Flo and Izzy were awarded Bronze in the loom relay. Jacob W also got Gold in the 800m, just one second outside of the County record! Amazing!

SUCCESS IN THE SADDLE



Very well done to Emily, Hattie and Chloe, who all competed in the Praze Show last week. Emily entered the Working Hunters and was the overall Champion. Hattie came second in the unaffiliated class, with Chloe also entering the Open and being awarded the Gymkhana Champion! What an outstanding result!

LIBRARY BOOKS

Do you have any school library books at home? Please can you return them by Thursday 20th July, so we can sort and tidy the library ready for September. Thank you!

"We need your library books back!"



HEDGEHOG FUNDRAISER

A really big thank you to everyone who supported the cake sale on Friday 7th July, to raise money for Pickles and Paws, the Cubert Hedgehog Rescue Charity. We made £142.90. Well done to Charlie in Mousehole, who correctly guessed the name of the Hedgehog – 'Hibiscus'.

GOODBYE & HELLO

It is that time of year when we have to say goodbye to some familiar faces. Ms Watson is leaving us to train to become a plumber, Miss Deakin is going to train to be a primary school teacher and Miss Pitman is going to train to be a Further Education teacher, while Mrs. Oswick is off to teach in Thailand and Mrs. Alcock is returning to live in Scotland. I would like to take this opportunity to thank these members of staff for the contribution they have made to the school and the children's education in the time that they have been with us. Whether they have been at Mount Hawke for a year or many years, their dedication and commitment have been invaluable.

We are delighted to welcome Mrs. Miller back to Mount Hawke. Mrs. Miller will be working as a Teaching Assistant in Upper Key Stage Two. We are also delighted to announce that Mr. Jerry Marks will be joining us. As the current Year Four parents know, Mr. Marks is a very experienced teacher, who has taught at Penryn Primary Academy (another Aspire Academy) for many years, in Key Stage Two. Mr. Marks is well-known to the staff here at Mount Hawke and he has spent some time here with us already. He will be teaching Year Five in the mornings and will be our new SENDCo in the afternoons. Another welcome addition to our team is Mrs. Liz Rees. Mrs. Rees will be teaching Pendeen Class (Year Two) on Thursdays and Fridays, partnering with Mrs. Hart, who teaches on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Mrs. Rees is another very experienced teacher, who is currently working at Tregolls Academy. Mrs. Rees spent a gruelling day with us last Friday, teaching and being interviewed, and is very excited to be joining us.

You may have noticed that Mrs. Allen Blackmore and Mrs. Derrick have returned from their maternity leaves and are supporting classes until September. Then, Mrs. Allen-Blackmore will be teaching in Godrevy Class (Year One). Unfortunately, at the end of September, Mrs. Derrick will be leaving us, but we hope that she will still be a familiar face as she becomes a supply teacher, as well as spending more time with her growing family. Finally, we are very excited that Mrs. Laura Beth Medcalf has been appointed as a Higher Level Teaching Assistant. Mrs. Medcalf is known to many of our school already, and is currently working at Archbishop Benson School. Mrs. Medcalf will be mainly based in Key Stage Two.

On Tuesday morning, all the children will be spending time with their new teachers. Mrs. Rees and Mr. Marks will be joining us too, so we can all begin to prepare for next year and the next class.

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