

Crowan Primary School – Newsletter



Friday, 21st, October 2011

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Releath	Trenoweth	Pengelly	Crenver
96%	94.6%	93.2%	96.3%

Well done to Crenver Class. Overall school attendance this week – 94.9%

Well done to our Golden Ticket winners this week – Hattie (for good manners) and Marcus (for helping to clean the hall)

Trenoweth Class Assembly – The class demonstrated their story-telling skills this morning as they performed the story of ‘The Gingerbread Man’ to the rest of the school and the mums and dads. Alex and Ella also shared their own adaptations of the story and the rest of the class showed off their singing, painting and acting skills. Well done Miss. Phillips and Mrs. Pitt – some super work.

Governor News – This week Mrs. Carpenter visited the school to evaluate provision and progress of children with special educational needs. Mr. Willis and Mr. Davis also dropped-in to appraise the extent to which the school meets health & safety guidelines. Reports will be made to the meeting of the Full Governing Body at their next meeting in November.

Following the meeting of governors from all the consulting schools on Wednesday evening at Mullion Secondary, when collective and individual school feedback was reviewed, it was the unanimous decision of the governing body of Crowan Primary to give statutory notice of the intention to acquire foundation status, and to simultaneously join the **Helston & Lizard Peninsula Education Partnership Trust**.

Statutory consultation will begin on Thursday, 3rd November and will conclude on Thursday, 1st December. The Trust will potentially be the largest in the country and comprise of 2 secondary schools and 15 primary schools working collaboratively to improve standards and opportunities for all the pupils. Should the proposals be approved, the Governing Body will stay the same in number, but have one less Local Authority governor and one less Community governor – existing governors will re-organise and elect 2 new Trust governors. The number of elected parent governors will remain at 4 (a third of the total number).

Health & Safety – With the evenings pulling-in we will not be accepting scooters onto the school site after the half-term break. Please encourage the children to wear something

reflective or brightly coloured so that they can be more easily seen by drivers. Every year, hundreds of children are killed or injured trying to get to and from school. Many are subjected to unnecessary hazards by inconsiderate parents who stop cars outside school entrances to set down or pick up passengers. Parking on School-Keep-Clear zig-zag markings is an offence, so please don't do it.

This week Ella, Jay, Chloe and Charlotte passed their **Bikeability** assessment. They have proved they now have the necessary awareness, skills and knowledge to be able to cycle independently and safely to and from school.

PTFA – The bingo evening was a big success – many thanks to everyone for supporting the event. **‘Funds 4 School’ bags** have been sent home to you today. Please ensure that your unwanted clothes are returned to school before 9.00 am on **Thursday, 3rd November**.

Children’s Disco – The PTFA will be organising a special Halloween/Firework colours disco on Friday, 4th November.

Pre-school disco – 4.30 pm

Key stage 1 children – 6.00 – 7.00 pm

Key stage 2 children – 7.15 – 8.15 pm

Tickets - £1.50 per child available on the door

PTFA AGM – Monday, 7th November at 7.30 pm. Please show your support.

Zumba Fitness – Classes start at Crowan Primary on Wednesday, 2nd November, 6.30 – 7.30 pm. Instructor: Danielle King. Phone: 07961723522 or email: danielle99king@tiscali.co.uk. All classes £4.50.

Morrisons ‘Let’s Grow’ vouchers only available in the shops until 30th October. Please send to school as soon as you can after this date.

Mrs. Julia Harry would like to say **‘a big thank you’** to everyone who sponsored Annabel recently. Yesterday they handed over a cheque to the Mermaid Centre for the grand total of £1,800.

Dates –

Monday, 24th October Half term begins

Monday, 31st October Back to school

Thursday, 3rd November Funds 4 Schools bags collected



Friday, 4th November PTFA Disco

House Points this week

Trevarno	Clowance	Pendarves	Godolphin
4	10	2	8

