

Crowan Primary School – Newsletter



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Releath	Trenoweth	Pengelly	Crenver
100%	98.5%	96%	97.9%

Well done everyone in Mrs. Northey's class!
Total attendance so far this term – 97.9%

Congratulations – to Annabel who successfully kayaked between Falmouth and Truro last weekend, helping to raise over £1, 300 for breast cancer treatment and the Mermaid Centre!

Co-operative Trust/Foundation Status – The meeting for parents of Crowan Primary to hear about the proposed changes was held in the school hall on Tuesday evening. The consultation period lasts until 12th October so please return your response questionnaires to the school office before this date – details of the proposals can be found in the Helston & Lizard Peninsula Education Partnership Trust documents available free from the school office or to view on the school website.

Numeracy Open Afternoon – We hope you found the event interesting and informative, understanding a little better the methods we use to teach the children calculation skills. Many of those who turned up asked for the information to be made available to them to peruse at their leisure so we have now included the information on the school website for your future reference.

Walk to School Week – Next week we are hoping that as many of the children as possible make a special effort to walk to and from school as part of this Local Authority initiative to encourage exercise and reduce road congestion and pollution. Children taking part will each receive a sticker and children whose parents complete the slip in next week's newsletter, indicating at least 7 trips to and from school have been made on foot or cycle, will be entered into a special prize draw. Parents may leave their cars in the Praze Surgery car-park (not the disabled parking bays, please) so that the children can walk at least part of the way to/from school. Why not **'park and stride'** with Ms. Roberts from Praze Surgery on Thursday morning? Please assemble at 8.30 am – children not already registered with the Walking Bus must be accompanied by their own parents. Parent volunteers please contact Ms. Roberts via the school office.

Our two new **Junior Road Safety Officers** are: Ryan and Jessamin who will be working to promote awareness of road safety issues. On this note, please remind your child about the need to take care when using their scooters. Parents must supervise their children on their way to and from school, especially when crossing the road. Some of the children are again showing a worrying lack of road sense despite frequent reminders.

Bikeability – Children in Years 5 & 6 started their cycle training on Thursday afternoon this week. Once the course is successfully completed the children will be allowed to cycle independently to and from school in accordance with our school cycle policy.

Releath Class – The children have spent today at Crenver Woods. Back in school they have been enjoying our new balance bikes. Please note that there will be no 'Let's Get Fizzical' session in the school hall next Wednesday morning.

School Council – The children today elected Molly Clemens as their Chair, Lewis Verran as Vice-Chair, Charlotte Vincent as their Secretary and Jordan Brown as their Treasurer. They are already looking ahead to organizing events for Children in Need Day on Friday, 18th November. As a result of last year's fundraising there are new basketball hoops ready to go up in the playground.

Parent Evenings – Please note that due to parent evenings next week, there will be no French Club, Sewing Club or after-school Choir. **Reminder** – Please could you return the Data Checking Sheets with any amendments to the school office as soon as possible.

Charity Evening – A message from Mrs. Dobson
Thank you to everyone who supported our Strawdogs charity evening. It was a huge success and it was lovely to see everyone having a great time. The total raised so far is £1,335. Donations still welcome!!

Dates –

Thursday, 6 th October	Year 6 to science workshop at Camborne Science & International Academy
Friday, 7 th October	Releath Class assembly for parents
Monday, 10 th October	PTFA meeting, 7.30 pm

