



Parc Eglos School Newsletter

Friday, 10th February 2017



'Learning today for the world of tomorrow'

Cross Country

Please see below the upcoming dates for cross country.

21st February 2017	Pool Academy (children who have qualified only)
28th February 2017	League Race at Porthleven School (year 3 - year 6)
7th March 2017	League Race at HCC (foundation - year 6)
14th March 2017	Fun Run and Results at Mullion School (year 3 - year 6)

Spring Events

Our KS2 Music Extravaganza will be taking place on **Thursday 30th March 2017** at the Light and Life Church. This will be for all children in Year 3 - Year 6 and their parents, and will begin at 1.30pm. The Friends of Parc Eglos will be hosting a Spring Celebration on the last day of term, **Friday 31st March 2017**. Please keep a look out for further details.

Grandparents' Day and Governors in School

You should have received a letter this week regarding our annual Grandparents' Day which will be taking place on **Monday 6th March 2017**. Please ensure all forms are returned by **Friday 24th February 2017**. If Grandparents require a St Piran's themed lunch on this day please enclose a payment of £2.65 per adult meal when returning your form. Cheques can be made payable to Parc Eglos School. If they are not planning on staying for lunch please return the form to us with the names of the Grandparents but specify that they do not require a meal. Thank you.

Half Term Activities

The Central Methodist Church in Helston will be hosting an event with a range of activities on Wednesday 15th February 2017 from 1.00pm - 3.00pm. This will include toys and games, stories, refreshments and crafts for all ages. This is a free event and you can bring along the whole family. For more information please call 01326 231491 or text 07968899932.

Parc Eglos School Nursery

Our Nursery celebrated Chinese New Year last week and they sampled some Chinese food with chopsticks which was very challenging! They learnt about how the Chinese celebrate at this time of year.



Parc Eglos Nursery recently had a visit from an Early Years Advisor who stated that in her opinion, our setting - if inspected by an Ofsted Inspector - would be graded at least 'Good with outstanding features.'

In her report, Sarah said, 'I was impressed with Mrs Busby's vision and leadership of the team in striving for continuous improvement. The Nursery teacher has led her staff effectively to ensure that all previous actions have been achieved. The learning environment continues to be developed, with a focus on improving storage and labelling so that the children can develop a sense of order and independence. The Nursery has strengthened parental involvement.'

We hope you have a great half term break and we look forward to welcoming the children back to school on Monday 20th February 2017.

Friends of Parc Eglos

This week's recycling winners were classes 1NE and 4SC. Well done to these classes! The total for the week was £41.05.

Mr Dye is running a quiz at the Black Swan in Gweek at 8pm on Thursday 2nd March 2017 (adults only!). All proceeds from this will go directly to the Friends of Parc Eglos to be spent on our children. At just £1 per ticket with maximum teams of four, it should be a fun night! If you wish to book a meal in advance please ring 01326 221502. Thank you.

Weekly Attendance for W/C 06.02.17

Class	Attendance %	No. of Lates
Sunbeams	96.3%	0
Stars	91.8%	4
1HT/NE	92.6%	1
1CS	89.7%	9
2HE	97.9%	2
2KD	89.7%	0
3AB	97.7%	1
3SG/DL	93.3%	7
4SC	95.9%	0
4PL/HH	88.3%	11
5RG	97.4%	0
5SR	87.4%	6
6KH	92.4%	1
6KB	90.7%	1

The expected percentage attendance for a child is 96%. Let's see if each class can aim for this or above!



Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
W/C 13th February 2017	Half Term - School Closed
20th February 2017	Return to School
2nd March 2017	Mr Dye's Quiz at the Black Swan in Gweek - 8pm (adults only)
6th March 2017	Grandparents' Day and Governors in School
30th March 2017	KS2 Music Extravaganza at the Light and Life Church
31st March 2017	Spring Celebration - Friends of Parc Eglos Event
W/C 3rd April 2017	Beginning of Easter Holidays
17th April 2017	Bank Holiday Monday - School Closed
18th April 2017	Return to School - Beginning of Summer Term

Pupil Voice



This week we asked Alanna and Tommy from Year 1 to tell us their thoughts on what they like best about school, the activities that help them learn and how the R's help them with their learning.



Tommy likes maths because he likes taking away numbers. *"We have good teachers and I get to learn more things like counting up to really high numbers. I am learning my capital letters too."*

Alanna enjoys maths because she likes adding up numbers. She also likes playing on the playground with her friends. Alanna really enjoyed going to the church as she liked the singing.

"Ready Ralph is my favourite R, I am always ready for learning so that helps me."

Alanna says that she likes school because *"We have nice classrooms and they have everything I need for writing. We have nice books."*

After explaining a bit about virtues Tommy said, *"I am happy, bubbly, bouncy and kind. I would teach someone new in my class to play nicely at our school."*

Alanna says, *"I am friendly and nice. I am really bouncy, cheerful and kind. If someone wanted to come to this school, I would say come and be my friend."*

When we return after the half term break, our school menu will be on **Red** week

