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Head Teacher: Mrs Ellie Watkins

1<sup>st</sup> March 2024

Dear parents/carers and families,

Another action packed week at Kehelland this week! It has been a real joy to see all of the learning happening, and in particular the work happening in Trevose class with their learning relating to Bees. They are enthusiastic and excited about what they are studying and this helps them in the long run to remember key knowledge in the curriculum. The joy of learning in exciting ways is that as they grow, they will make links between the subjects and their learning making a web of knowledge to build upon as they move to secondary school and beyond. Even if that does seem a long way away for families with children in Trevose and Longships, as a parent I can say that it goes much faster than you can imagine!

I know that today most of our year 6 children and their families will be finding out which secondary school they will be going to, and this too is rather exciting. It can be a stressful and scary time, but we will always help and support our children as best we can, in a system that does not always make sense and is quite complicated. If you have any worries please do speak to your child's class teacher and we will do our best to support you all.

Over the coming weeks, we are going to be really busy! We have trips, parent's evenings, dress up days and so on planned so PLEASE keep your eyes peeled for emails, the newsletter, our Facebook page and Seesaw for communications. We always try to put our communications on all of these platforms so that we can reach everyone as people all have their own preference for the platforms that they use.

It is becoming really difficult to run our PE sessions properly as children are still not coming to school with the correct kit. As the weather is so changeable, children really MUST bring a change of footwear with their kit. Without this they will not be able to join in with PE outside or they will have to wear their school shoes which are likely to be damaged or children's feet hurt as they are not designed for sports. Those children who already wear a school shoe that is more like a trainer will still need another separate pair of trainers for hygiene purposes, and because we cannot have children with muddy footwear in the classrooms. PE is a really important part of the curriculum, for understanding physical AND mental health and as such unless children have a significant injury they do need to take part. Teachers will ask children if they have their PE kit at the start of their PE days, and if not we will telephone you to ask you to bring the kit in ASAP. If you are not sure when your child's PE days are, then please contact the class teacher who will be able to help. We thank you all in advance for your help with this.

With warmest wishes as always





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Kehelland Shining Light				
Jack for outstanding conduct & manners around school				
Lighthouse Keeper Award		Reader of the Week Award		
Longships – Olivia for showing diligence & care in her writing		Longships – Madison for reading regularly & with enthusiasm		
Trevose – Davina for putting so much effort with her handwriting		Trevose – Freya for fantastic reading in school & at home		
Tater Du – Benjamin for super behaviour for learning		Tater Du – Anna-Marie for insightful discussions of the reading texts		
Class Weekly Attendance				
Longships – 100%	Trevose – 97.32%		Tater Du 94.9– %	

# FOKS – Friends of Kehelland School

#### Grant

We have successfully obtained a grant of just over £21000 to spend on outdoor play equipment! Watch this space!

# Events:

19<sup>th</sup> March – Break the rules day. 20p per rule broken. There will be up to 10 rules to break, each rule with a 20p fine. More on this to come from FOKS who will provide further details

30<sup>th</sup> March - Easter Trail at Cornhill Farm at 2pm – Cake Donations & Volunteers, would be appreciated! Thanks



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School Meals

Week commencing: 4<sup>th</sup> March

Week 1

Cost £2.65 per meal

Order via Parentpay by 8:30am



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#### Parents Evening

Sign-up sheets for parents evening will be on classroom doors from Monday 4<sup>th</sup> until Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March. Please pop into school and sign up.

#### World Book Day

It is World Book Day on Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March. We are inviting children to dress up as their favourite book character and bring a copy of the book they are in. We understand dressing up can be daunting for some children, so this is optional. If your child does not want to dress up they can wear school uniform as normal, and simply bring a copy of their favourite book to share with the class.

Diary Dates - Term dates can be found on our website		
6 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Will Keating Trip to the Hall for Cornwall – See Parent Pay for details	
7 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	World Book Day	
13 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Parents Evening 3:15 – 5:00	
15 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Comic Relief – Wear PJs	
19 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	FOKS – Break the Rules Day	
26 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Showcase Afternoon– From 2pm	
27 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Rocksteady Concert for Rocksteady Children	
28 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Break up for Easter Holidays at 1:15pm	
30 <sup>th</sup> March 2024	Easter Trail at Cornhill Farm, 2pm	
15 <sup>th</sup> April 2024	Return to School	
27 <sup>th</sup> – 31 <sup>st</sup> May 2024	May Half Term	
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	Inset Days	
28 <sup>th</sup> June 2024	Sports Day	
23 <sup>rd</sup> July 2024	Break up for Summer Holidays at 1:15pm	
24 <sup>th</sup> July 2024	Inset Day	



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