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Friday 22nd March 2024

Dear parents/carers and families,

I really cannot believe that we are almost at Easter already, and halfway through the school year. It seems five minutes ago that we were coming back to school in September and children were starting in their new year groups. Over the coming weeks we will have several children joining us mid year, and it is always good to remind ourselves of what it feels like to be new or to start something new. It can be a bit scary and also exciting. I know that we will all make the families very welcome as they join our community – please do say hello to any new children and parents as you see them.

In assembly today, we spoke about how our differences are what make us special. That sometimes we focus on our differences in a negative way, we can often feel that we are not good enough because we are different, but actually, those differences are the most important things about ourselves. We shared the things that make us “sparkly” and unique and we spoke about how we appreciate each other for those things. Our community is strong because we are diverse in many ways and I am very proud of this. This week, when I was walking through the school with a visitor, one of the year 6 boys came up to me and said “Mrs Watkins, I just want to tell you how much the teachers here helped to support me and how well I am doing in class – and it is thanks to all of the teachers, please tell them they are amazing”. As well as thinking this was perfectly timed, with a visitor in tow, it really touched me. It made me realise that while we have differences and things change so rapidly in our world, we all share the same values of kindness, care, support, and love. Everything we do is for the children above all, and our motto is more relevant than ever.

Ahead of a very busy final week of term, there are lots of events happening that I need to remind everyone about. Next week we have the Rocksteady concert and Break the Rules day. Please do follow the rules, and break the planned rules....I feel I should shake my head here with irony! We are trying to raise funds for the amazing FOKS who do so much for our children, so bring a 20p per rule broken donation. Thank you for your support as always – it promises to be a fun filled event and I know the children are very excited about it! Next week we also have the showcase afternoon on Tuesday, please do come along and share learning with the children, chat with the staff and spend time here. Finally a little reminder that we break up at 1.15pm on Thursday next week, with no clubs or after school provision on this day.

With warmest wishes as always

Mrs Ellie Watkins

Head teacher



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Kehelland Shining Light

Quinn for always doing her best, working hard & being a caring & positive pupil

Lighthouse Keeper Award

Longships – Chloe for showing determination & diligence in her assessments

Trevose – William C for demonstrating a mature attitude to learning

Tater Du – Grace for fantastic work in maths

Reader of the Week Award

Longships – Ruby for showing excellence in her reading skills in her assessments.

Trevose – Logan for his love of reading & enthusiasm

Tater Du – Elliot for thoughtful contributions in reading lessons.

Class Weekly Attendance

Longships – 96.3%

Trevose – 96.6%

Tater Du 94.4%

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!

Thanks to www.ggscf.org.uk



Don't forget to go via easy fund raising when doing your online shopping. Over 7000 brands will donate part of your spend to a cause of your choice at no extra cost to you. Our page is called Kehelland Village School PTSCA.

Events:

26th March – Break the rules day. 20p per rule broken. There will be up to 10 rules to break, each rule with a 20p fine. Please see flyer attached to email.

30th March - Easter Trail at Cornhill Farm at 2pm – Cake Donations & Volunteers, would be appreciated! Please book your child's space by emailing info@cornhillfarm.co.uk or kehelland@tpacademytrust.org

Week commencing: 25th March

School Meals

Week 1

Cost £2.65 per meal

Order via Parentpay by 8:30am

Tuck

No school on Friday



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Clubs

Below is the list of clubs for after the Easter holidays for the first half of the Summer term. To sign your child up, please email the office, kehelland@tpacademytrust.org. Please be aware that clubs have restricted numbers. Clubs run between 3:15pm - 4:15pm and are free.

- Monday - SATs club with Mrs Hollywood **(Year 6 only)**
- Monday - Arts & Crafts club with Mrs Collett
- Tuesday - Construction Club with Mrs Davies
- Tuesday – Coding Club with Miss Lewis **(KS2 only)**
- Thursday - Homework Club with Mrs Polglase & Mrs Garland
- Thursday – Rounders Club **(KS2 only)** with Mr Marks
- Friday – Tennis Club with Mr Marks
- Friday – Film Club with Miss Browning

Diary Dates - Term dates can be found on our website

26 th March 2024	FOKS – Break the Rules Day – <i>please note new date</i>
26 th March 2024	Showcase Afternoon– From 2pm
27 th March 2024	Rocksteady Concert for Rocksteady Children
28 th March 2024	Break up for Easter Holidays at 1:15pm
30 th March 2024	Easter Trail at Cornhill Farm, 2pm
15 th April 2024	Return to School
24 th April 2024	Whole School & Class Photos
27 th – 31 st May 2024	May Half Term
3 rd & 4 th June 2024	Inset Days
10 th – 12 th June 2024	Tater Du Camp
12 th – 14 th June 2024	Trevoise Camp
28 th June 2024	Sports Day
23 rd July 2024	Break up for Summer Holidays at 1:15pm
24 th July 2024	Inset Day