

Trannack News

Trannack Primary School
www.trannack.croftymat.org

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Firstly, I would like to say a HUGE thank you to all the children, parents and staff who came to help clean and tidy up our site this morning. What a fantastic community we have! You all made a really big difference and I'm extremely grateful.

We're now looking forward to welcoming prospective parents in the morning (10-12noon) and our current parents in the afternoon (2pm onwards) on Wednesday 22nd to our Open Day.

Thank you again to ALL our staff and parents for all your hard work and support. It is truly invaluable.

All the best, Mr Boyes

Parent/Harvest Assembly - Parents are invited to our celebration assembly next Friday from 2:40pm, which will focus on Harvest. To prepare for this assembly, next week we will be collecting non-perishable food items for the Trussell Trust. An anti-poverty charity and community of food banks. Boxes for any donations will be in each classroom and any donation will be gratefully received. Items that are urgently need by the food banks are:

- Long life milk
- Tinned meats
- Long life fruit juice
- Small jars of coffee
- Tins of custard/rice pudding
- Tinned fruit



End of Term & INSET Day - We finish next Friday for half term, children return to school on **Tuesday 4th November**, Monday 3rd school is closed for a staff INSET day.

Deadline for Secondary School Applications - The deadline to make an application for place in a secondary school is 31st October (during half term). If your child is in Yr6 please don't forget to make your application as soon as possible. If you miss the deadline you may not get a place in your chosen school.

The Poppy Appeal - To help raise money for the Poppy Appeal, the children will be selling poppies, at pick up time, from Monday 20th until Tuesday 11th November. If you would like to purchase one please bring in some change. There are also items for children to buy, these range from wrist bands and reflector poppies at £1 each or snap bands at £1.50. The Royal British Legion uses the Poppy Appeal money to help and support thousands of veterans, whatever their need, ranging from housing problems, physical and mental health challenges, help caring for a loved one, loneliness, or a family breakdown.



Trannack Open Day - Our open day takes place on Wednesday 22nd October between 10am and 12noon.

Open Afternoon - Parents and families are invited to our open afternoon on Wednesday 22nd October at 2pm. This will enable your child/children to share their work with you and for you to hear what our vision and hopes are for the year ahead (and beyond).



Fundraising - We will be holding our first sponsored event, to raise money towards a new trim trail, on **Saturday 8th November**. This will be a walk around Penrose on the morning of the 8th November. We are proposing to begin our walk **at 10am** from the Fairground Car park in Helston, making a loop around the Penrose estate to Loe Bar and then back to Helston, totalling around 6 miles/10km, and taking between 2 and 3 hours. We would love to see as many Trannack families there as possible!

We are offering two ways to collect sponsorship in order to hopefully make it as easy as possible to raise money. The first is via Go Fund Me. All your sponsors need to do is go to: <https://gofund.me/9f0520e51> and transfer the amount they would like to give. For those who would prefer a more traditional method, we will send out sponsorship forms on Monday. Thank you to the FTS for their support in organising all our fundraising events.

A reminder of the school times

- 8am - Early Bird
- 8:30 - Wake & Shake
- 8:30 Children can arrive and wait in the playground with their parents.
- 8:40 - Doors open
- 8:45 - Registration
- 15:15 - End of the day
- 15:15—17:15 Kids Club

School Meals - On Monday of next week there will be a change to the normal menu. To celebrate Diwali Chartwells are offering a chicken biryani or chickpea matar curry & rice both served with chota naan, carrots and peas with carrot cake for afters. Alternatively children can choose from tomato pasta or jacket potato with the usual fillings.

Rocksteady on Mondays - Rocksteady will be changing to Monday mornings from next week onwards. We are expecting the end of term Rocksteady concert to take place at 9am on Monday 15th December, we'll confirm this next week.

Forms to be completed ASAP please:

- **Annual Consent Form** - When you get chance we would really appreciate it if you could complete the new online version of this form which was posted on Dojo earlier this week. This will enable you to give consent for your child to take part in forest school activities, swimming sessions, watch PG or U rated films etc. <https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/4BUhe8g7MF>
- **Vision Screening** - The NHS will be coming into school to carry out vision screening on children in YrR. This will happen automatically unless you have opted out using the link in the attachment to the email sent to YrR families on Monday of this week.
- **Flu Immunisations** - These will take place during the afternoon of Thursday 13th November. You can also click the link here which will take you to the application for consent: <https://www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu> You will also need this code to access the form: EE144003.
- **Photograph Consent** - It would be most helpful if you could take a little time to log into Arbor to choose your photograph consents. The school photographer will be coming in on 21st November and will be unable to take photographs of children unless consent has been given.
- **Bikeability** - We have been very fortunate to have been offered free Bikeability sessions for all children in YrR to Yr6. This training programme has been supported and funded by the Department for Transport. The course builds skills and confidence for all children and doesn't cost you anything. If you would like your child to take part, you will need to complete the online form by Friday 24th October. Bikes and/or helmets can be provided if needed. If you are having difficulty with the form please let me know.
- **Year 5/6 Residential** - If you are planning on your child attending the residential in June 2026 at Porthpean Outdoor Education Centre, St Austell, please ensure that you have completed the 'expression of Interest' form. The trip will cost £210, a £50 non-refundable deposit will be required by February 2026.



If you are having difficulty with any of these forms please see Mrs Hoskins or Mrs Vincent in the school office.



Art Club

The children made 3d pumpkins in Art Club this week.



Cookery Club

The children made a pasta bake in Cookery Club this week.



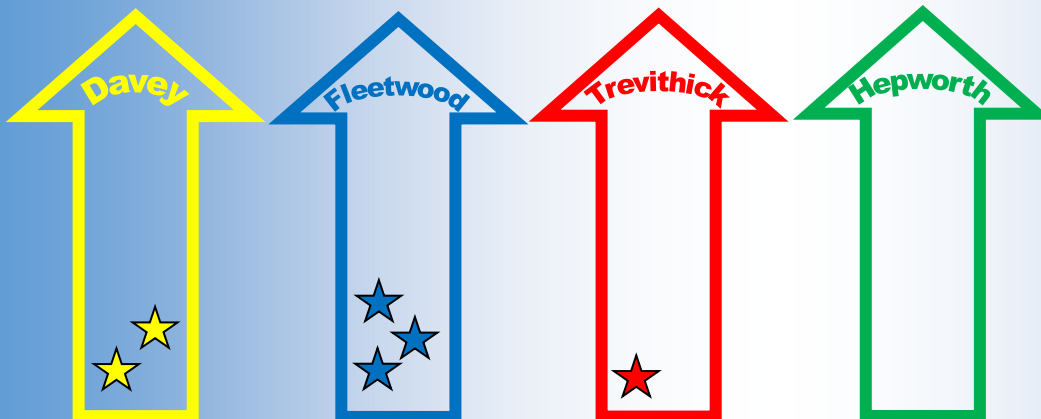
This week's certificates go to....

Theo in Godrevy ~ Learner of the week for making a much greater effort to focus, complete tasks and follow instructions.

Emma in Godrevy ~ Citizen of the week for exemplifying our school behaviours so wonderfully!

Ralph in Praa Sands ~ Learner of the week for a great attitude to learning and just getting on. Keep up the good work!

Felix in Praa Sands ~ Citizen of the week for always being ready and enthusiastic about learning – thank you!



★ *Fleetwood were the house point winners this week. Well done!*

Attendance

Whole school to date: 93.5%

This week:

Praa Sands Class ~ 91.3%

Godrevy Class ~ 85.4%



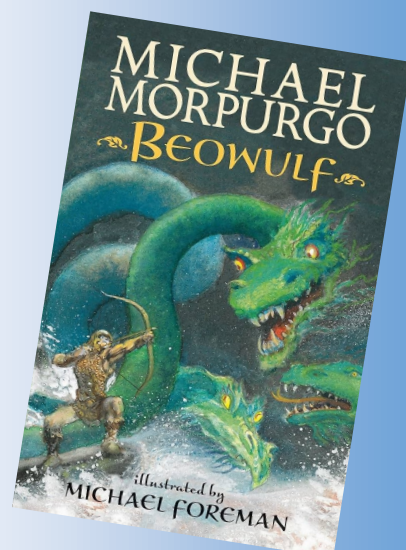


Trannack Reading Spine

Non-fiction

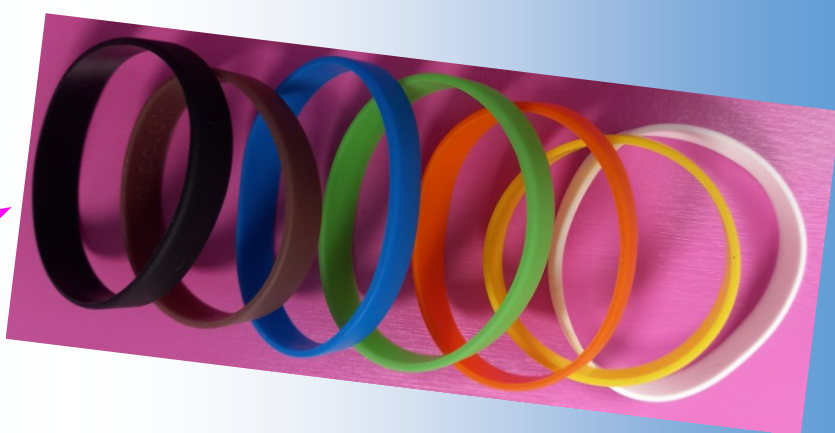
Praa Sands class have been using 'Grandad's Island' to inspire their drama lessons this week.

Godrevy's current fiction text for this half term



Reading Karate

Penny ~ White ~ Godrevy
Mysha ~ White ~ Godrevy
Jimmy ~ White ~ Praa Sands
Fiadh ~ White ~ Praa Sands
Pippa ~ White ~ Praa Sands



Storytime Online

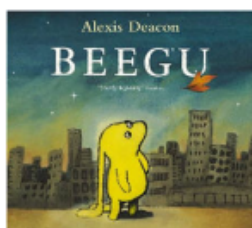
Scan the QR code and the link will take you to a video of the of the story being read aloud. Click on this link: <https://www.booksfortopics.com/resources/storytime-online/> to see more books for all ages on this website.

A Famous Author Once Wrote...

"Books are the quietest and most constant of friends; they are the most accessible and wisest of counsellors, and the most patient of teachers."

Charles William Eliot

Recommended for ages 5 - 7



<https://bit.ly/2SJIXEQ>

Beegu
Alexis Deacon

Storytime & draw-along
Read by Alexis Deacon

Menu for week commencing 20/10/25

WEEK 3					
W/C: 05/05/2025, 16/06/2025, 07/07/2025, 08/09/2025, 29/09/2025, 20/10/2025					
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
HOT DISHES	OPTION 1 Chicken biryani, chota naan, carrots and peas	Sausage Hot Dog Served with Potato Wedges	Roast Chicken Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Oat Crusted Chicken Served with Wholegrain Rice	Battered Pollock Served with Chips
	OPTION 2 Chick pea matar curry with rice, chota naan, carrots and peas	OR Veggie Sausage Hot Dog Served with Potato Wedges	OR Roast Quorn Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	OR Meatless Shepherd's Pie Served with Gravy	OR Quorn Dippers Served with Chips
	OPTION 3	OR Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta	OR Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta	OR Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta	OR Tomato Pasta Fresh, Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta
HOT DISHES ARE SERVED WITH TWO VEGETABLES AND FRESHLY BAKED BREAD					
DELI DISHES	OPTION 4 Pasta	Ham Baguette	Cheese Wrap	Ham Baguette	Ham Wrap
	OPTION 5 JP & cheese, tuna or beans	OR Tuna and Sweetcorn Wrap	OR Egg Mayo Baguette	OR Cream Cheese and Cucumber Wrap	OR Cheese Baguette
DELI DISHES ARE SERVED WITH MIXED SALAD					
DESSERT	Carrot cake	Chocolate Brownie	Lemon Cookie Served with Fruit	Crunchy Chocolate Mousse	Cornflake Tart
BAKED POTATOES SERVED DAILY With a choice of toppings					
AVAILABLE DAILY Fresh fruit, salad, yoghurt and water					
Vegetarian Vegan Oily Fish Wholegrain Fruity! Nutritionist's Choice					
Our menu is subject to change. Please be assured that all notified medical diets and allergy requirements will be safely catered for					

School Meals

£2.65 per day

£13.25 per week

Please pay via ParentPay.

Free for YrR - Yr2

£2.65 per day for

Little Learners, Yr3, Yr4, Yr5 & Yr6.

School Uniform can be purchased from -

www.hartpersonalised.com

or

www.myclothing.com



Diary Dates

Trannack Tidy Up ~ 18/10/25 - 10am - 1pm

Trannack Open Day ~ 22/10/25

Last day of half term ~ 24/10/25

INSET Day ~ Monday 03/11/25

Back to school ~ Tuesday 04/11/25

Sponsored Walk ~ Saturday 08/11/25

Flu immunisations ~ 13/11/25

Individual and sibling photographs ~ 21/11/25

Vision screening YrR ~ 26/11/25

Chartwells Christmas Dinner ~ 11/12/25

Rocksteady concert ~ Tue 16th December, 9am

Last day of term 19/12/25

INSET Day ~ 05/01/26

Back to school ~ 06/01/26

£50 Non-refundable deposit to be paid for residential ~ Feb 26

Yr5/6 Residential ~ 3rd, 4th & 5th June

Cornwall Council 2025/2026 School Term Dates for Community and Voluntary-Controlled Schools

September 2025							October 2025							November 2025						
Mon		1	8	15	22	29	Mon		6	13	20	27		Mon	3	10	17	24		
Tue		2	9	16	23	30	Tue		7	14	21	28		Tue	4	11	18	25		
Wed		3	10	17	24		Wed	1	8	15	22	29		Wed	5	12	19	26		
Thurs		4	11	18	25		Thurs	2	9	16	23	30		Thurs	6	13	20	27		
Fri		5	12	19	26		Fri	3	10	17	24	31		Fri	7	14	21	28		
Sat		6	13	20	27		Sat	4	11	18	25		Sat	1	8	15	22	29		
Sun		7	14	21	28		Sun	5	12	19	26		Sun	2	9	16	23	30		

December 2025							January 2026							February 2026						
Mon		1	8	15	22	29	Mon		5	12	19	26		Mon	2	9	16	23		
Tue		2	9	16	23	30	Tue		6	13	20	27		Tue	3	10	17	24		
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Sun		7	14	21	28		Sun	4	11	18	25		Sun	1	8	15	22			

March 2026							April 2026							May 2026						
Mon		2	9	16	23	30	Mon		6	13	20	27		Mon	4	11	18	25		
Tue		3	10	17	24	31	Tue		7	14	21	28		Tue	5	12	19	26		
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Sun	1	8	15	22	29		Sun	5	12	19	26		Sun	3	10	17	24	31		

June 2026							July 2026							August 2026						
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Tue		2	9	16	23	30	Tue		7	14	21	28		Tue	4	11	18	25		
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Sun		7	14	21	28		Sun	5	12	19	26		Sun	2	9	16	23	30		



OPEN DAY

**Wednesday
22nd October
10am-12noon**

Come and join us for:

- An introduction to our nurturing, inclusive and aspirational school
- A tour of our fantastic grounds
- A chance to meet our inspirational staff and amazing children
- The beginning of your journey with us!

**Feel free to stop by
any time between
10am- 12noon.**

For more information, contact: trannacksecretary@croftymat.org/01326 572100



Pop up Food Hub

See our Facebook Page

Helston

Pre-Order Only – payment on the day

Last order 4 days prior to event

To guarantee your bundle please contact

Debbie on **07880 835 331**

For £30, which helps to keep the charity running, you will receive a trolley load containing:

Tea or coffee
Pasta or rice
A selection of tins and cereal
Bag/box of Crisps
A box of pasties or pies
A bag of frozen items
A bag of fresh fruit/veg
A bag of household toiletries
Bread/rolls/cakes
Pet Food
Other extra items as available



All welcome. No referral needed
We look forward to seeing you there

Remember to bring a trolley or plenty of strong bags

Saturday 18th October 10:00 – 11:00

Please use the link to book or scan the QR code

<https://forms.office.com/e/MgmBfCGVaw>

Devon & Cornwall Food Action
PRE-ORDER Form



Kehelland Trust,
Kehelland
Camborne,
TR14 0DD
01209 613153



All Things Batty!

Wednesday

29th October

5.00pm- 7.30pm

Join us for an evening learning about our
night flying residents.

Games

Walk around
site

Talk by a
local expert

Bat box building £5 per box

Tickets available from our website

www.kehellandtrust.org.uk

£5 per person including a filled jacket potato

Scan to find us
on Google maps



Well behaved dogs on leads welcome



U18's must be accompanied by an adult

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A Cornish Autumn Celebration

Wednesday 29th October
10.00am - 3.30pm

Apple Decorations **£1.00**
Craft activities **FREE**
Site Entry **FREE**
Badge Making **£1.00**
Activity Trail **FREE**

Pop up café serving drinks,
snacks and cakes.

Join us for a fun-filled family day out celebrating
Autumn. Explore our beautiful site and learn about
October festivals around the World

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FACE

November Timetable

All sessions delivered live online via zoom. 90 minutes long
£24 each or FREE with School Membership
Book online at facefamilyadvice.co.uk
Recordings available for 48 hours (excluding Free Talk)

Raising Self Esteem	3 Nov 10am
Decreasing Depression	3 Nov 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	4 Nov 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	4 Nov 7pm
Improving Family Communication	10 Nov 10am
Autism - Improving Communication	10 Nov 7pm
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	11 Nov 10am
Supporting A Child with ADHD	11 Nov 7pm
FREE ADHD Kids & Homework	13 Nov 6-7pm
Understanding Anger	17 Nov 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	17 Nov 7pm
Facing Defiance	18 Nov 10am
Anxiety Based School Avoidance	18 Nov 7pm
Cannabis and Ketamine Awareness	24 Nov 10am
Anxiety Explained	24 Nov 7pm