

## Dates for your Diary

Saturday 28th April ~ Trevithick Day.  
 Sunday 29th April ~ King Edward Mine Open Day  
 W/B 14th May ~ Year 6 SATs week  
 Monday 21st ~ Friday 25th May - Art Week  
 Monday 28th May ~ Friday 31st May - Half term  
 Friday 15th June ~ Rainbow MAT choir performances afternoon & evening  
 Tuesday 19th June ~ Auditions for TSGT  
 Monday 25th ~ Friday 29th June ~ Sports Week  
 Thursday 28th June ~ FS Sports Day am  
 Friday 29th June ~ KS1 & KS2 Sports Day (times to be confirmed)  
 Wednesday 4th July ~ TSGT Show 6.00am - 7.30pm  
 Saturday 14th July ~ Troon Summer Festival  
 Wednesday 18th & Thursday 19th ~ KS2 show performances  
 Friday 20th July ~ Garden Party for Year 6 & Y6 Parents  
 Monday 23rd July ~ Leavers Disco  
 Tuesday 24th July ~ Last day for children



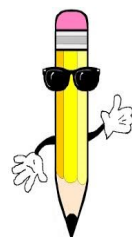
## Headteacher's Certificates for last week

**Hedgehogs:** Malachi & Ethan.  
**Beech:** Mia & Team Beech Class.  
**Willow:** Charlie & Lily.  
**Hazel:** All of Hazel Class.  
**Oak:** Josie & Gabriel.  
**Maple:** David & Taiya-Mai.  
**Holly:** Tyra & Kira.

## Handwriter of the Week!

Well done to the following children who received Hand Writing certificates for their achievements in our celebration assembly on Friday:

**Rec** - Mollie **Beech** - Taylor  
**Willow** - Reece **Oak** - Dylan  
**Maple** - Oliver  
**Pen Licence** - Scott - Holly Class



## Mathematicians of the Week!

Well done to the following children who received Maths certificates for their achievements in our celebration assembly on Friday:

**Hedgehogs** - Kenzie **Beech** - Taylor & Kayden **Willow** - Reggie,  
**Hazel** - Nikita, **Oak** - James **Maple** - Zara **Holly** - Amber.



## Miss Johns & the London Marathon

Well done to Miss Johns for completing the London Marathon last Sunday in a wonderful time of 5 hours and 46 minutes in extremely hot conditions. What an amazing achievement!

Miss Johns kindly brought her medal into school on Wednesday and we shared her experience with the children in our assembly where she was given a very loud round of applause. Miss Johns has raised over £1000 for her chosen charity

Many thanks to parents who sponsored Miss Johns; if you would like to make a donation it isn't too late you can drop it in to the school office. Thank you



## Lates

**This week's lost learning is 1 hours & 43 Minutes !**

It is very disruptive for classes and staff when they are constantly interrupted by late arrivals. It also causes a lot of extra work for Mrs Moulton with ordering school lunches for late arrivals.

**If late you must sign your child in at the office and provide a reason for lateness.**

Thank you to those parents who consistently bring children to school on time - you are ensuring that your children get the best possible start to their day and have the best chance at making great progress.



### Reading Tea Parties

Another lovely tea party this week with George, Gabriel, Imogen, Josie, Isla, Maisey and Amber. We had a great discussion about their favourite books and authors as well as celebrating their word counts on accelerated reader.

Keep up the amazing reading—you are great role models for the rest of the school.

Who will be next for a reading tea party?



### Clubs

Afterschool clubs got off to a good start this week. Please ensure your child attends every session. A register is completed each week so that staff and parents know that the children are accounted for and safe. If for any reason your child is unable to attend please let a member of staff know before the club starts.

### Housepoint Cups - Apology

There was a mistake in last week's newsletter.

The Year 6 winner of the Housepoint Cup was George so congratulations to George and sorry for the mistake :-)



# KING EDWARD MINE MUSEUM



*King Edward Mine Open Day is on Sunday 29th April, 10.00-4.00.*

*The event is FREE except for a small parking charge.*

*There will be many activities for all ages throughout the day. Singing, dancing, static and moving models, Cornish stamps and mill machinery, museum, children's activities and a wonderful cafe!*

*Come and support your local heritage site and see what we can offer you throughout the year!*

*More details are available on our website: [www.kingedwardmine.co.uk](http://www.kingedwardmine.co.uk)*

Our School Choir will be performing in the afternoon at approximately 2.00pm and need to meet at 1.55pm at the latest. Full school uniform please. It would be lovely to see you all there to support them.

### Trevithick Day

Thank you to all the children who will be dancing in the Trevithick Day parade on Saturday 28th April. Please remember we are assembling in Basset Street this year between 9.50 and 10.00am. Our dance begins at 10.15a.m.

**NB Parents need to collect their children from Adelaide Street as in previous years. They should be ready for collection by 10.45-11.00a.m.**

The children need to come dressed in their costumes and register with Mrs Lamb when they arrive.

Children must wear flat black shoes/plimsoles. Please ensure that children are wearing a white vest or white t shirt under their short sleeved shirt as it will probably be a little chilly!

Parents will not be able to walk in the parade and will need to find somewhere on route to watch.

Table Top Display—if you get a chance to visit the Masonic Lodge at the end of Cross Street you will be able to see our wonderful school display about STEM week. Keep your fingers crossed as the winning school will be awarded £150.00 for school funds.





### **Super 6 Awards**

We awarded our third set of Super 6 badges for the year in a special assembly this week.

Congratulations to Tyra, Oscar & Hannah-Mae who have impressed everyone with their attitude to learning and their exemplary behaviour.

They have been 100% attenders this half term and they are punctual every day - always ready to learn and always trying their best. They have been excellent role models to younger children and take their Y6 responsibilities very seriously.

Many thanks to their parents who came to see them receive their badges - a very proud moment.



### **Learning Ambassadors**

Last Tuesday our Learning Ambassadors went to visit Penponds school to find out more about their learning and their school. We had already hosted a visit here for the Penponds school council last term.

It was really interesting to look around another school and we discovered that there are many similarities between our schools.

We also came back with some good ideas - we would like to introduce talking pegs in the Foundation Stage and we would like to find out more about Class Dojos!

It was lovely to see Mr Richards when we visited and we also bumped in to Mr Hooper too!



### **Celebration Assembly**

On Friday 4th May parents are invited to our Celebration Assembly at 2.30pm. It will be an opportunity for parents to see what happens in our Friday assembly and to meet our Education Welfare Officer (Mrs Rachael Jarman) who will be talking to the children about the importance of being a good attender. Please arrive no earlier than 2.15pm. We look forward to seeing you there.

### **KS2 Beach safety Talk**

Many thanks to the RNLI lifeguards who came in to give a special assembly about beach safety to our KS2 children this week. It was really interesting and will definitely help us keep safe when we visit our lovely Cornish beaches this year. Let's keep our fingers crossed for some lovely weather.

### **Library Books**

Please ensure your child returns their library book when they have finished reading it and could parents ensure that library books are kept somewhere safe when taken home as we have had quite a few books returned to school recently that are damaged either by younger siblings, pets or spillages. Thank you for your support.

Dear Parent/Carer

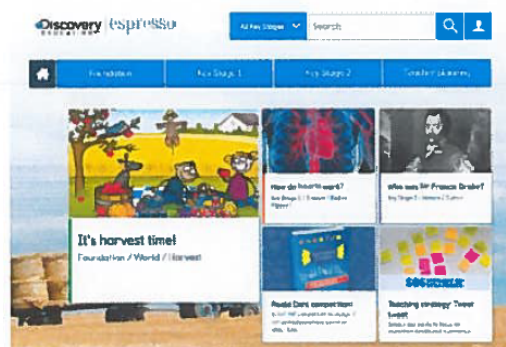
## Learning from home just got more exciting with Discovery Education Espresso

We are pleased to announce that you and your child can access the award-winning Discovery Education Espresso service from home.

We use Discovery Education Espresso in school to help motivate, engage and support learning in the classroom. Now your child can continue to enjoy what they have been doing at school, and you can be involved in their learning at home.

### About Discovery Education Espresso

Espresso is an online cross-curricular service that provides video-rich resources to schools throughout the UK. It contains thousands of videos and multimedia activities, as well as a weekly news service — all designed by teaching professionals. For more information, please visit: [www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/espresso](http://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/espresso)



### How to access Discovery Education Espresso from home

To access Discovery Education Espresso from home

- go to [www.discoveryeducation.co.uk](http://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk)
- click the 'Login' button in the top right corner
- select 'Espresso'
- enter your child's username and password. These login details are given to your child in school. If your child does not have these details, please ask them to speak with their teacher.

If you have any trouble logging in or accessing the service from home, please contact **Miss Ashworth** via the office

### Getting started

Your child should already be familiar with Espresso. They could show you how they have been using it in class and how to find resources. Once you are familiar with the service, you and your child may like to explore Espresso's *Online safety* modules designed to help children develop a better understanding on how to use technology safely and respectfully.

We hope you will find Discovery Education Espresso useful as a resource to extend your child's learning. If you have any further questions about how to use the service, please speak to your child's teacher.

Kind regards,

**Troon School**





## Home access guide for parents

Your child's school currently subscribes to Discovery Education Espresso – a highly visual teaching and learning resource used throughout their lessons. The service is also available to your child from home. It allows them to continue enjoying what they have been doing in school, while enabling you to get more involved in their learning and join in with the fun of Espresso too.

Question	Answer
What is Discovery Education Espresso?	Espresso is an award-winning digital resource service used in thousands of UK schools. It includes videos, multimedia activities, a weekly news update, printable resources and much more. For further information, please visit: <a href="http://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/espresso">www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/espresso</a>
What do I need to access Discovery Education Espresso from home?	Discovery Education Espresso can be accessed via an internet enabled device - PC, Mac or tablet/iPad. You can use our software checker which will identify the required software applications currently on your computer and indicate which of these applications need to be upgraded in order to successfully view your Discovery Education services. Visit: <a href="http://www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/support">www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/support</a>
How do I log in to Espresso from home?	Your school will provide you with your child's login details and the URL to access Espresso from home. Both parents and children share the login details and are able to access the same information.
What if I or my child forget or lose the password?	If you forget your password or have trouble logging in, please contact your school. They will be able to re-issue this to you. Unfortunately, Discovery Education does not keep or issue passwords and are unable to answer any login related queries.
Is the content 'safe' for my child?	Yes. Espresso has been designed specifically for children and uses appropriate language and content. It is curriculum friendly and contains educational, fun and interactive materials. Furthermore, many of our modules have been designed by ex-teachers, who have spent many years working in schools and with children.
Can Discovery Education Espresso support me with teaching my child about staying safe online?	Yes. The service features a resource in the Computing subject area at both Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 called 'Online safety'. With fun activities, videos and worksheets your child can learn about how to stay safe and have fun online.
How do I find resources?	There are several ways to find resources on Espresso. You can browse by Key Stage and subject area or use a key word and search using the search bar.
Which key stage is my child at?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Foundation (F) is for children who are 3 to 5 years of age.</li> <li>• Key Stage 1 (KS1) is for children who are 5 to 7 years of age.</li> <li>• Key Stage 2 (KS2) is for children who are 7 to 11 years of age.</li> </ul>
Can I download anything on Espresso for my own use?	Due to licensing restrictions, it is not possible to download any videos or activities at home
Where can I get help if Espresso is not displaying or playing properly?	If you are having problems using Espresso at home, please report your issue to your child's school. They'll be able to contact us on your behalf.
I have further questions. Who can I contact?	Please contact your child's school. Discovery Education is unable to respond directly to requests from parents/guardians.







The Wahine Project UK is a sister project to the Wahine Project California, for all girls of all abilities aged 8-16

**Register now for the opportunity to get to know the ocean, learn to surf, improve your surfing, become more proficient in ocean activities, get healthy inside and out, do your part to protect the ocean, make new friends and have fun at the beach!**

**Join us qualified ISA surf instructors, RNLI lifeguards, guest artists, marine scientists, environmentalists, yoga/pilates instructors.**

**Hosted at Sunset Surf, Gwithian**

**Starting every Saturday from 28th April until September 2018  
10am - 1pm. All equipment is provided.**

***~~ Suggested donation £10 per session ~~***

**To register, contact Anne-Marie on 07462697701**

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