

Headteacher update

This week has been very busy and full of interesting activities across the school. Last Friday we played St Buryan Academy at football. Our team played their absolute best, showed incredible teamwork and were positive throughout. St Buryan may have got the upper hand in the second half, but we didn't let it get us down. We are hoping to keep the momentum going and offer a rematch in the not too distant future! Thank you to all those involved, I was very proud of our team.



Brisons class did an amazing job with their pizza / cake sale on Friday, they made a huge £120, which is enough to pay for the fuel for the minibuses to Newquay zoo, plus we are hoping to order them a souvenir pack each on the day. Thank you to all involved—that class are entrepreneurs in the making!

This week Cowloe celebrated the end of their topic by having a 1940s day, and what a great day they had! They got to look at some actual artefacts including a rifle which they loved holding! In the afternoon they baked authentic carrot biscuits and tried their hand at sewing. Big thank you to Chris for giving us such an interesting talk and bringing in the artefacts, to Eiva's family for letting us look at the diaries and photos. It was certainly a pleasure seeing their happy faces at the end of the day.



A few changes being introduced next term:

Library

Our library leaders are going to be opening the school library up 2 lunchtimes (days to be confirmed) a week to allow children to go along and borrow books. The aim is that children can come along each week to browse and borrow books. The leaders have designed the signing in system themselves and will be responsible for making sure the children have returned their book before taking a new one.

Forest school

Next term Brisons class will be going to Forest school each Friday at the site in St Loy. This will start on Friday 3rd March as we have our zoo trip on the first Friday back. One group will go in the morning, and the others in the afternoon. Miss Clackworthy will be teaching English and maths with the group that remains at school. We will send out an information pack regarding what to bring / wear nearer the time.

Swimming

Longships will be doing swimming each Tuesday after half term in the afternoon. If you are able to spare some time to help, please let Miss Sawle know. Children will need to wear their PE kits on the day and bring along a bag containing their costume, towel and goggles / swim hats if required.

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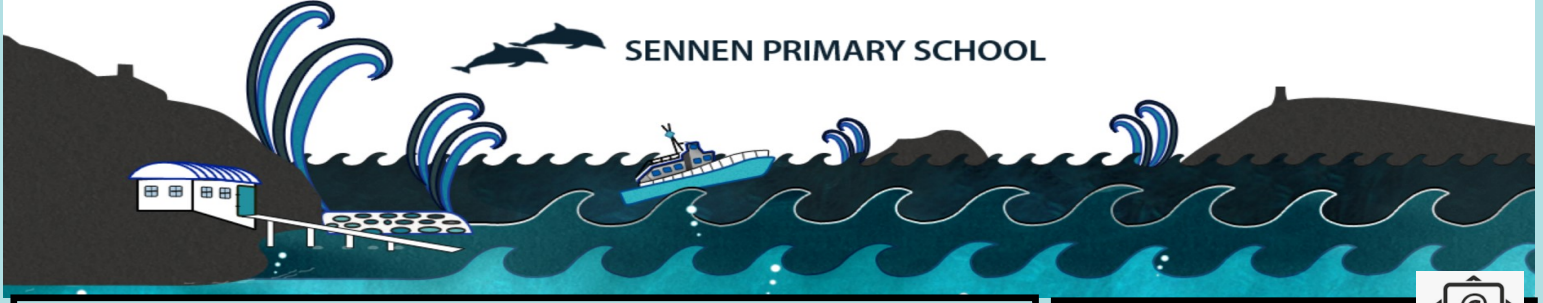
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Clubs and events

We have worked hard over the last term to try and secure some more clubs for the school. We have had to have a move around some of the sessions to get the best possible offer, but we are hoping that the stability in days will enable parents to plan better. The clubs on a Wednesday and Thursday are being run by DT coaching, so we are asking for £1 for each session, payable before the session, to help us cover the costs. The other clubs are run by staff are free of charge.

Mrs Tindall will be running a revision club for year 6 children in order to boost their confidence for their SATS. This is an optional club aimed to help and support them.

Day	Event	Club option
Monday		Fitness club for years 3-5 (bring PE kit to change into) SATs revision year 6 (all welcome)
Tuesday	Longships Swimming —PE kits please	High five KS2 (bring PE kit to change into)
Wednesday	PE for Brisons, Longships & Cowloe—PE kits please	Multi sports for KS1 £1 per session, please pay in advance at the office.
Thursday		Multi sports for KS2 (bring PE kits to change into). £1 per session, please pay in advance at the office. Stay and play KS1
Friday	Brisons trip to Newquay zoo Cowloe PE	

There will be a beach clean at Gwynver over the holidays



**LOVE YOUR BEACH
BEACHCLEAN**

at GWYNVER BEACH
2pm
Tuesday 14th February



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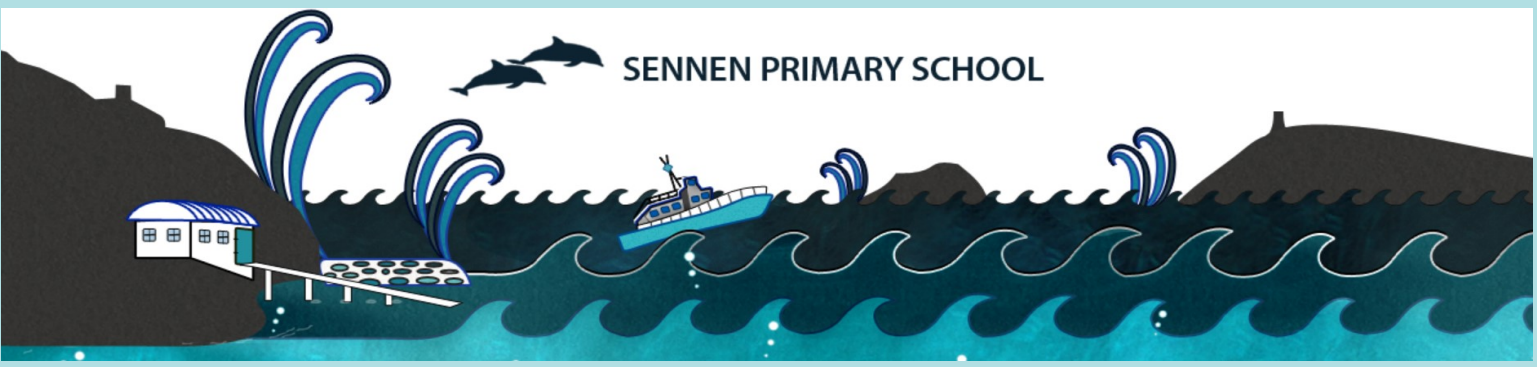
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Aire class round up

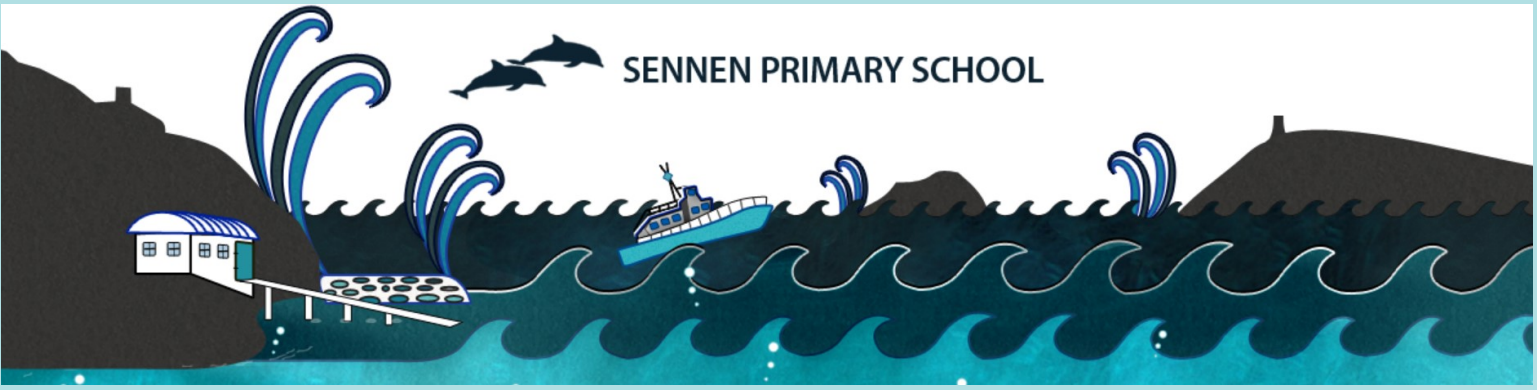
We've had a great end to our half term in Aire Class! Last week, our focus text was 'The Three Little Pigs' and this week it has been 'Jack and the Beanstalk'. The children have designed wolf-proof houses, made wolf-proof dens and have sowed magic bean seeds. In Science, the children have enjoyed exploring the properties of materials. We have seen lots of independent writing of words, sentences and numbers. The children's reading has also been out of this world! In Maths, we have explored measure using non-standard units and also the composition of the numbers 8, 9 and 10. The children's Maths reasoning has been fabulous. In independent play we have seen lots of activity in the craft area, re-enactments of fairy tales (often with a zombie added in for good measure) and some very evolved small world play. Super learning all round Aire Class - well done!



Brisons class round up

The children have really enjoyed our Great Fire of London topic this term and it's been great to watch their knowledge grow! They really enjoyed learning about the historical event and were constantly asking questions to develop their understanding. They have worked extremely hard in all subjects and showed great teamwork in all of their shared tasks. We did incredibly well at the bake sale raising £124.50, which will be incredible for our trip next term. It was great to see the children so passionate—they are such great bakers! We are very much looking forward to next term and seeing what the children achieve.

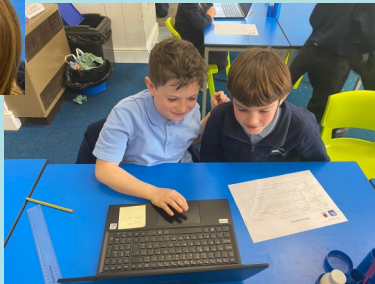




Longships class round up

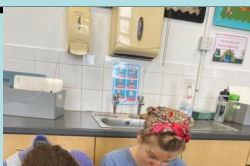
Longships have been working really hard over the last couple of weeks to produce some fantastic jungle adventure stories with some superb vocabulary of which they were rightly very proud of. Towards the end of this week, we have begun to look at information texts by collecting features to help us with writing our own after half term. I for one, can't wait for the finished product as their writing has been going from strength-to-strength.

We have also been busy putting the finishing touches on our slingshot cars and had great fun testing them out by seeing how many dominoes we could knock over. Finally, we enjoyed using Audacity to record and link sound clips together to make our very own rainforest podcasts which involved lots of fun facts and giggles galore!



Cowloe class round up

What a fantastic couple of weeks we have had in Cowloe! The children have been working so hard in Maths, mastering adding, subtracting and multiplying fractions. In English, the children have written up their final edit of their flashback stories and this week we have been reading and analysing a selection of War Poems, in particular 'In Flanders Fields' and 'Dulce et Decorum Est'. I am so impressed with their thoughtful, sensitive responses and look forward to their own compositions. The children have used oil pastels to imitate the artist L.S.Lowry and have learnt all about rationing and key events/battles during World War 2. We had a great day on Thursday dressed up in 1940's clothes, baking carrot cookies, looking at a selection of primary sources and having a go at sewing! Thank you for all of your support and have a great half term!



Lunch Menu

Children will be asked what they would like each day by their teacher. Children in year R—2 get infant free school meals and it is £2.42 for the rest of the school, other than for those pupils who have been awarded income based free school meals.

W/C: 07/11 28/11 09/01 30/01 20/02 13/03				
WEEK 2				
	HOT SPECIALS...		DAILY FAVES...	
			PICK A PUDI	
MONDAY	Cheese and Tomato Pizza 🌱 🌱 Served with Two Vegetables	Mixed Bean Pasta 🌱 🌱 Served with Stromboli Pizza Wedge	Jacket Potatoes 🍷 🌱 with a choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta 🌱 🌱 Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	Jam Sponge
TUESDAY	Pork Sausages Served with Mashed Potato, Two Vegetables and Gravy	Sweet Chilli Vegetable Noodles 🌱 🌱 🌱 Served with Two Vegetables	Jacket Potatoes 🍷 🌱 with a choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta 🌱 🌱 Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	Orange Shortbread 🍷
WEDNESDAY	Roast Chicken Served with Mashed Potato, Two Vegetables, Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy	Vegetable Pie 🌱 Served with Mashed Potato, Two Vegetables and Gravy	Jacket Potatoes 🍷 🌱 with a choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta 🌱 🌱 Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	Chocolate Ice Cream
THURSDAY	Keralan Chicken Curry 🍷 🌱 Served with Wholegrain Rice and Two Vegetables	Cauliflower and Sweet Potato Masala 🌱 🌱 🌱 Served with Wholegrain Rice and Two Vegetables	Jacket Potatoes 🍷 🌱 with a choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta 🌱 🌱 Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	Strawberry Milkshake served with Fresh Fruit 🍷 🌱
FRIDAY	Breaded Fish Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	Quorn Dippers 🌱 Served with Chips and Two Vegetables	Jacket Potatoes 🍷 🌱 with a choice of hot and cold fillings Tomato Pasta 🌱 🌱 Fresh, homemade tomato and basil sauce with penne pasta	Peach Slice

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY
WATER, SALAD, FRESHLY BAKED BREAD, YOGHURT & FRESH FRUIT

🌱 Vegetarian 🐟 Oily Fish 🌾 Wholegrain 🍏 Fruity! 🍷 Nutritionist's Choice 🍷 Halal Available