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## Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am writing this having just returned from visiting our **Class 4 campers**. I am pleased to report that they are having a wonderful time. There was a great atmosphere – real camaraderie and team spirit. Mr Blease, Mrs Medlin and Mr Chinn were also clearly enjoying themselves. Mr Blease and Mr Chinn even raced each other to the top of the climbing ladder – Mr Blease got himself effortlessly to the top followed by a slightly weary Mr Chinn - there was much cheering! I would have loved to have stayed all day – however I had a newsletter to write!

### Class Names

We have a winner..... Ruby Sadler chose the winning names for Class 1, 2 and 4 and staff chose the name for Class 4, **Bedruthan**, keeping with Ruby's inspired theme of Cornish mythical creatures. See the table below for the new names. **Piskies** are meddlesome little fairy folk that were said to bring luck. **Cormoran** is the giant of St. Michael's Mount, **Morgawr** is a monstrous sea creature said to reside in the waters around Falmouth. Bedruthan is also a giant. We plan to invite a local artist in to school to work with the children to create some artwork reflecting our new class names. Ruby received a book token and all other entrants had a chocolate treat. A great deal of thought went into the competition – thank you.

### Classes from September 2015

I am delighted to be able to tell you that we have made an appointment for Class 2. Miss Charlotte Baker will be joining us in September. The interview panel were very impressed with her teaching and the experiences and skills she can bring to Kennall Vale. She will be full time and will work very closely with Miss Wright to secure a rich and challenging curriculum for all Key Stage 1.

Class	Teacher	Teaching Assistant/s
<b>Piskies</b>	Miss Wright	Miss Gardner
<b>Cormoran</b>	Miss Baker	Miss Powell Miss Smitheram (Learning Support)
<b>Morgawr</b>	Mr Chirgwin	Mr Chinn Miss Bradley
<b>Bedruthan</b>	Miss Lynham (3 days) Mrs Welch (2 days)	Mrs Medlin Mr Murphy (Part time)



### Children's Hospice South West

On Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June, Mrs Medlin and I took Tom, Molly, Jake, Charlotte W, and Mackenzie to visit Little Harbour Hospice. They represented the School Council and I was immensely proud of their conduct and sensitivity throughout the morning. They asked questions, listened carefully to the guide and took photos. They then put together a lovely and informative assembly for the rest of the school which Charlotte and Mackenzie led.

### Questionnaires

Well done to Ruth Williams who won a bottle of wine following the questionnaire draw. I have collated some of the responses which you will find in the attached table.

### Congratulations....

Brilliant manners, Mr Chirgwin has been very impressed with George and asked if he could be the recipient of the **Courtesy Cup** – well done George – *I hear you were very kind to one of our Year 1 pupils*. Well done to Ellis, Haydn, Caitlin and Tamsyn all of whom dined with me on the Captain's Table – thank you for such lovely manners and charming conversation!

George in Class 3 took part in the Helston Triathlon recently and proudly showed off his medal in assembly. Beth in Class 4 passed her guitar exam and was able to show her badge and certificate.

### Ponsanooth Village Fayre



Please come and visit Kennall Vale School's **Smoothie Bike on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July at Ponsanooth Village Fayre**. Make your own delicious smoothie and for only £1 – choose your own fruit and vegetables, pedal furiously and not only will you have done a work out, you will also be rewarded with a tasty, healthy and nutritious drink and all at a very competitive price!

### Letter box



Just in case you have missed anything, a copy of our latest letters will be placed in a new letterbox for you to read to the left of the window in reception.

*Dates for your diary*

<i>Event</i>	<i>Date</i>	<i>Class</i>
<i>Year 6 Induction Day and Class Transition Day</i>	<i>Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June</i>	<i>Year 6 and whole school</i>
<i>Sports Day</i>	<i>Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July, 1-3pm</i> <i>Reserve Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> July</i>	<i>Whole school</i>
<i>Open Evening</i>	<i>Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> July</i>	<i>Parents of all pupils</i>
<i>Forest School Camp</i>	<i>9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> July</i>	<i>Class 3</i>
<i>Ponsanooth Village Fayre</i>	<i>Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July: 12 noon-6pm</i>	<i>Voluntary</i>
<i>Friends of KVS Fête</i>	<i>Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July</i>	<i>Whole school community</i>
<i>Break up for summer</i>	<i>Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> July 2015 at 2pm</i>	
<i>Return for September</i>	<i>Monday 7<sup>th</sup> Sept 2015</i>	



