



# Garras School Newsletter

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22nd September 2023

## Attendance (15.9.23-21.9.23)

(Whole School Target—97%)

Barn Owls—97.9%

Hawk Owls—93.8%

Eagle Owls— 97.1%

Year to date (whole school)—96.84%

## **CELEBRATING OUR CHILDREN'S SUCCESS**

**Fantastic Cross Country results from Tuesday 19th September—well done to all who took part.**

**Y3- Nathaniel - 2nd Austin - 6th Noah - 10th Eloise - 12th**

**Y4- Esme - 15th**

**Y5- Jago - 2nd Zac - 8th Harvey - 12th**

**Y6- Jacob - 2nd**



## **After School Clubs**

**Thank you to everyone who has attended our after school clubs in the last 2 weeks!**

**A polite reminder that the Sports Club on Tuesday costs £2 per child. The school will meet the majority of the costs, but a small contribution from parents helps us to keep the provision going?**

**Could we also ask children who are coming to Games club to bring a game (or two!) with them? Our players got through the games on offer quite quickly last week, and we had to improvise!**

**As always, please get in touch if you have any questions.**



## **The 'Virtues Project'**

The 'Virtues Project' helps us all to develop good character qualities such as kindness, honesty and creativity in our children. Every two weeks we will focus on a virtue which is introduced at the start of the two weeks at Monday's assembly. This time we have been focussing on "Excellence".

During this time, everyone will look to identify pupils in each class who are demonstrating this virtue.

The children who have been identified this time are:

Barn Owls – Harvey

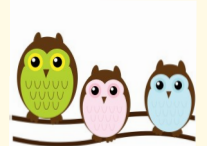
Hawk Owls – Coco

Eagle Owls – Michael

[www.virtuesineducation.com](http://www.virtuesineducation.com)

## **Lunch Reminder**

Just a reminder for year 3 parents—your child no longer qualifies for universal infant free school meals and school lunches will cost £2.65. Please see Mrs Nicholas if you have any questions.



DIARY DATES	
Fri 22 Sep	GAMES Club 3.15-4.15pm <i>*please bring a game!</i>
Mon 25 Sep	Eagle Owls-Swallows Gym 1-3pm
Mon 25 Sep	DRAW IT Club 3.15-4.15pm
Tue 26 Sep	Barn Owls Forest School 9am-12
Tue 26 Sep	SPORTS Club 3.15-4.15pm (£2 per child, please)
Wed 27 Sep	Y6 SATS Club 3.15-4.15pm
Thu 28 Sep	Hawk Owls-Swallows Gym 1-2pm
Thu 28 Sep	Barn Owls-Swallows Gym 2-3pm
Thu 28 Sep	FILM Club 3.15-4.15pm
Fri 29 Sep	GAMES Club 3.15-4.15pm <i>*please bring a game!</i>
Mon 2 Oct	Individual photos
2 <sup>nd</sup> /3 <sup>rd</sup> Oct	Mrs Rayner out-Mrs Richards in Eagle Owls
Tue 3 Oct	Hawk Owls - trip to St Michael's Mount
Tue 3 Oct	Year 4 Forest School all day
Tue 3 Oct	Cross Country KS1 & KS2 @ HCC (4.15pm) Race 2
Fri 6 Oct	INSET DAY - school closed to pupils
Fri 13 Oct	Harvest Celebration @ Mawgan Church 2pm-all welcome!
Tue 17 Oct	Y3 Forest School all day
Thu 19 Oct	No FILM CLUB
Fri 20 Oct	No GAMES CLUB
<b>More dates on the school website...</b>	

### FOREST SCHOOL DATES

The dates for the autumn term are as follows:

KS1&2 (09:00 - 15:00)  
 Tue 03 Oct **Y4 Loe Pool**  
 Tue 17 Oct **Y3 Idless**  
 Tue 14 Nov **Y5 Crenver Grove**  
 Tue 28 Nov **Y6**

Barn Owls (09:00-12:00)

Tue 26 Sept  
 Tue 10 Oct  
 Tue 31 Oct  
 Tue 21 Nov  
 Tue 05 Dec  
 Tue 12 Dec

\*Please note that these may be subject to change during poor weather and staff shortages, but we will keep you informed of any changes.

### PE Kit

Can you please make sure that your child's PE kit (PE shirt, shorts/leggings and plimsolls/trainers please) is in school at all times? Thank You!

# MULLION SCHOOL

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## OPEN Evening

### Thursday 5th October 2023

### 5.30 - 7.30 PM

Starting secondary school in September 2024 and interested in looking at a small caring school that has achieved excellent results well above the national average?

Then come along from 5.30 PM to speak with our teachers and enjoy looking at the different subjects we offer. Your child is welcome to come along too. This will be an ideal opportunity for you to get to know our school a little bit more.

**Mrs Dunleavy, Headteacher.**

Part of the  
Truro and Penwith  
**Academy Trust**

**Kindness, self-belief,  
determination**

Our Values - At Mullion School, our values form the very essence of our school and community, shaping the way we live and learn.

### Garras Local Governing Body (LGB)

We are currently recruiting governors for our school. We need to fill parent and community categories; there are six meetings every year and you would be required to carry out one school visit every term.

This equates roughly to around 15-20 hours every academic year. There are a number of skills that our governors bring to the table that benefit the school, and I am sure that you will have some, if not all of them!!

An education background, while useful, is not essential, and there is plenty of training available.

If you are interested, or know someone who is, or you would like more information, please contact Mrs Nicholas in the office.

