



# Garras School Newsletter

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**Attendance last week ( 12.5.25— 16.5.25)**

**(Whole School Target—97%)**

**Barn Owls – 100%**

**Hawk Owls—96.83%**

**Eagle Owls— 98.47%**

**Year to date (whole school)—95.94%**

**MOMENTS  
MATTER,  
ATTENDANCE  
COUNTS.**

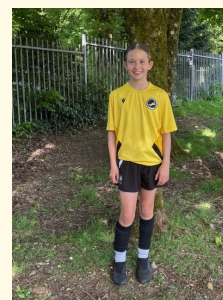
**16th May 2025**

## Message from Mrs Rayner

Year 6s, I wanted to take this opportunity to thank you and commend you on your hard work this week. You have all worked incredibly hard in the lead up towards SATs and during every test. Coming out of those papers with smiles made me very proud of how resilient and hard-working you are. Well done and thank you for your effort.

## Olivia at the West Cornwall Schools FA in Swansea

The girls did our schools proud in West Cornwall by winning every game & getting the most goals and points throughout the tournament. They got into the Semi Finals , unfortunately narrowly missing the finals by one goal in a penalty shootout. There were 58 teams altogether from many Counties so overall they did brilliantly!



## PARKING OUTSIDE SCHOOL

Some cars are reversing and turning in our neighbours driveways.

We wanted to make all parents (including those attending Owlets) aware of the very real problems that can arise from inconsiderate parking outside the school, particularly at morning drop off.

Please try to use the Recreation Parking space as much as you can. Thank you

<https://www.qwell.io/with> .

It is a free, anonymous online service to support adults with their wellbeing and mental health.

## DIARY DATES

Tue 20th May	Eagle Owls swimming session 2-3pm Helston pool
Tue 20th May	Sailing from 4pm to 6pm
Thurs 22 May	Isle of Scilly's parents meeting 3.20pm
Mon 26th to Fri 30th May	<b>May half-term holidays School closed</b>
Mon 2nd June	<b>INSET DAY. School closed</b>
Tue 3rd June	Eagle Owls swimming session 2-3pm Helston pool
Tue 3rd June	Sailing from 4pm to 6pm
Tue 10th June	Eagle Owls swimming session 2-3pm Helston pool
Tue 10th June	Sailing from 4pm to 6pm
Wed 25th June	Minack Theatre trip. Whole school
Thurs 10th July	Sports day
Thurs 17th July	Sports day Back up date
Mon 21st July	Leavers service Mawgan Hall 2pm
Tue 22nd July	Hawk Owls— Roskilly's
Tue 22nd July	<b>Last day of school</b>
Wed 23rd July	<b>INSET DAY. School closed</b>



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# Should I keep my child off school?

## Yes

### Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

## No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



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### Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfec>.