



MANACCAN PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

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SPRING 1, WEEK 3

Head of School Message

Happy Friday, Everyone!

Despite the weather continuing to challenge us this week, school life has carried on with its usual energy and enthusiasm. It has been wonderful to see smiling faces and positive attitudes around the school, whatever the forecast!

I'm delighted to share that our lunchtime provision is up and running. Our brilliant Sports Leaders have been doing a fantastic job, organising and leading a range of activities for the rest of the school. The children have embraced these pupil leadership opportunities, and it's been lovely to see such teamwork and enjoyment during lunchtimes.

This week has also had a strong musical theme across the school. Sing and Play sessions have begun for Gillan Class, while St Anthony Class have enjoyed the start of their Music Tech lessons. Ms Crow, who is delivering Sing and Play, was actually my own Year 1 and Year 3 teacher when I was at primary school! We later went on to job share together when I first moved back to Cornwall in 2015 - it really is a small world. I have very fond memories of choir with Ms Crow (I still remember the songs now!) and was always mesmerised by her musical talent, so it feels very special to now see her inspiring the next generation of learners at the school I am privileged to be Head of School at.

In addition to these exciting activities, we were thrilled to welcome Angela Renshaw today for a special Songfest rehearsal. This marks the beginning of our journey towards taking part in the Songfest event later this year - more information will be shared with you soon.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Hancock

Learning of the Week



We're so lucky to have Coach Frank Skateboarding Club running again this half term - it's a real hit! It has been fantastic to see some children continue with their learning, building their skills and confidence, as well as seeing some new faces tackling a new challenge. A big thank you to Coach Frank and his team for bringing this opportunity to our school.

Diary Dates

- **Monday 26th January** - Parent/Carer Maths Workshop at **St Keverne Primary School**, 9am
- **Monday 9th to Friday 13th February** - Children's Mental Health Week
- **Monday 9th February** - Parent/Carer Reading Workshop (suitable for y2 up) in the school hall at 9am
- **Tuesday 10th February** - Safer Internet Day
- **Friday 13th February** - INSET Day (school closed to children)





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Shining Stars

A huge congratulations to these superstars for showing our school values this week!



Attendance Matters

Overall:
Whole School Attendance
 96.52%

This Week:
Gillan Class
 Reception - 100% 🏆
 Year 1 - 90%
 Year 2 - 100% 🏆

St Anthony Class
 Year 3 - 88.98%
 Year 4 - 100% 🏆
 Year 5 - 96.83%
 Year 6 - 100% 🏆



House Points



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