

Despite some horrific stormy weather yesterday, the first week back has been a resounding success.

We were fortunate enough to invite the CELT English Lead into school on Monday as she was interested to see how we teach reading and writing. She was so impressed with the children, commenting on their fantastic attitude to learning, their perfect behaviour, and the brilliant progress they are making - which is so clearly evident in their workbooks. The entire staff team feel really lucky to work with such enthusiastic and fun pupils. Even today, with the wind and rain howling, the children have been in high spirits, desperate to get outside and run around with their friends at play and lunch times. Just a polite reminder that coats are a real necessity as we head into the blustery Meva Winter.

I also need to thank you for the contributions to St Austell food bank. Following the harvest festival assembly, a representative from St Austell foodbank came to collect the donations. He was blown away, utterly speechless in fact, when he saw the sheer quantity of food. He said that the amount of food donated per kilo was far greater than that which many large schools provide. I think this says an awful lot about the special community we have here in Mevagissey. Your donations will have such a positive impact on many families.

We are always seeking volunteers to help listen to readers. If you have a spare afternoon that you are willing to offer up to hear children read, we would be very grateful! Please let me know if you're interested.

Have a great weekend, Mr. Ringrose



"Just to say many thanks for the amazing of food donated to us today - this is overwhelming.

The total amount was 117.6 kg."

St Austell Foodbank

Kindness Cup

Goes to Evie in Yr5 and also Jemima in Yr3 for helping Miss Bailey to sort out classroom resources for a new child starting.



UPDATES, REMINDERS AND UP AND COMING EVENTS

Open Afternoon for September 2024 Reception Children to be held on Thursday 16th November from 2—3pm in our Reception Classroom.

FAO Parents of pupils with SEND

If your child is on our school Record of Need and has a SEND support plan, you should have by now, had an Autumn term meeting with their class teacher. Please can you contact the office or class teacher if you haven't had a meeting, to arrange one at a convenient time, so that Autumn term SEND targets can be discussed / reviewed.

Many thanks, Mrs L-D-L (SENDCo)

Polite reminder:

Please can we remind you to park safely in the school car park, when picking up your children from school. Please can we ask that you do not park behind other cars blocking them in.



What an exciting Novel Study launch for the Yr6s. The children were amazed to discover these beautiful animals were a big part of the war effort.



Stars and Citizens of the week



Attendance Cup Winners

this week were:
Lobsters Class with
97.1% attendance!
Well Done!



Class Attendance this week

Starfish	94.8%
Dolphins	95%
Lobsters	97.1%
Jellyfish	91.6%
Seals	96.4%
Sea Turtles	96.2%

Autumn Diary Dates

Tuesday 7th November	Football and Netball fixture—Away against Lostwithiel
Wednesday 7th November	Scholastic Book Fair on Wednesday 8th, Thursday 9th, Friday 10th November from 3.30 - 4.00pm in the school hall.
Wednesday 8th November	Parent Consultations—book appointments via eSchools
Thursday 9th November	Early Help Drop In Session 2—3.30pm
Monday 13th-Thursday 16th November	YrR Parent Consultations—Mrs Hoare will be in contact to arrange
Thursday 16th November	Open Afternoon for September 2024 Reception Children 2—3pm
Friday 17th November	Children In Need—non school uniform—donations can be paid via Parentpay
Tuesday 28th November	Football and Netball fixture—Home against Gorran
Monday 4th December	Last week of Clubs
Wednesday 6th December	Christmas Lunch—to be ordered via Parentpay
Thursday 7th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Monday 11th December	Yr1 Hearing Screening
Friday 15th December	Last day of term—1.30pm finish
Monday 18th Dec—Friday 5th Jan	Christmas Holidays
Monday 8th January	Start of term
Monday 15th January	Start of clubs
Tuesday 16th January	Football and Netball fixture—Away against Bishop Bronescombe
Tuesday 30th January	Football and Netball fixture—Home against Pondhu
Tuesday 6th February	Football and Netball fixture—Away against Tywardreath
Monday 12th —Friday 16th February	Half Term
Monday 19th February	Start of Term
Monday 19th—23rd February	Yr3 swimming
Monday 4th—8th March	Yr1 and Yr2 swimming
Thursday 7th March	World Book Day—come dressed as your favourite book character
Monday 18th—Friday 22nd March	Yr4 and Yr5 swimming
Monday 18th March	Last week of clubs
Thursday 28th March	Last day of term 1.30pm finish
Thurs 28th Mar—Fri 12th April	Easter Holidays
Monday 15th April	Start of Term
Monday 22nd April	Start of Clubs

Term Dates

2023—2024 Term Dates

Autumn Term 1 2023: Tuesday 5th September— Friday 13th October

Autumn Term 2 2023: Monday 30th October —Friday 15th December

Spring Term 1 2024: Monday 8th January—Friday 9th February

Spring Term 2 2024: Monday 19th February—Thursday 28th March

Summer Term 1 2024: Monday 15th April—Friday 24th May

Summer Term 2 2024: Monday 3rd June—Friday 26th July

INSET DAYS

Friday 1st and Monday 4th September 2023

Monday 16th Tuesday 17th, Wednesday 18th, Thursday 19th and Friday 20th October 2023

Term Dates

2024- 2025 Term Dates

Autumn Term 1 2024: Wednesday 4th September— Thursday 17th October

Autumn Term 2 2024: Monday 4th November —Friday 20th December

Spring Term 1 2025: Monday 6th January—Friday 7th February

Spring Term 2 2025: Monday 17th February—Friday 4th April

Summer Term 1 2025: Tuesday 22nd April —Friday 23rd May

Summer Term 2 2025: Monday 2nd June—Friday 25th July

INSET DAYS

Tuesday 3rd September 2024

Friday 18th October 2024

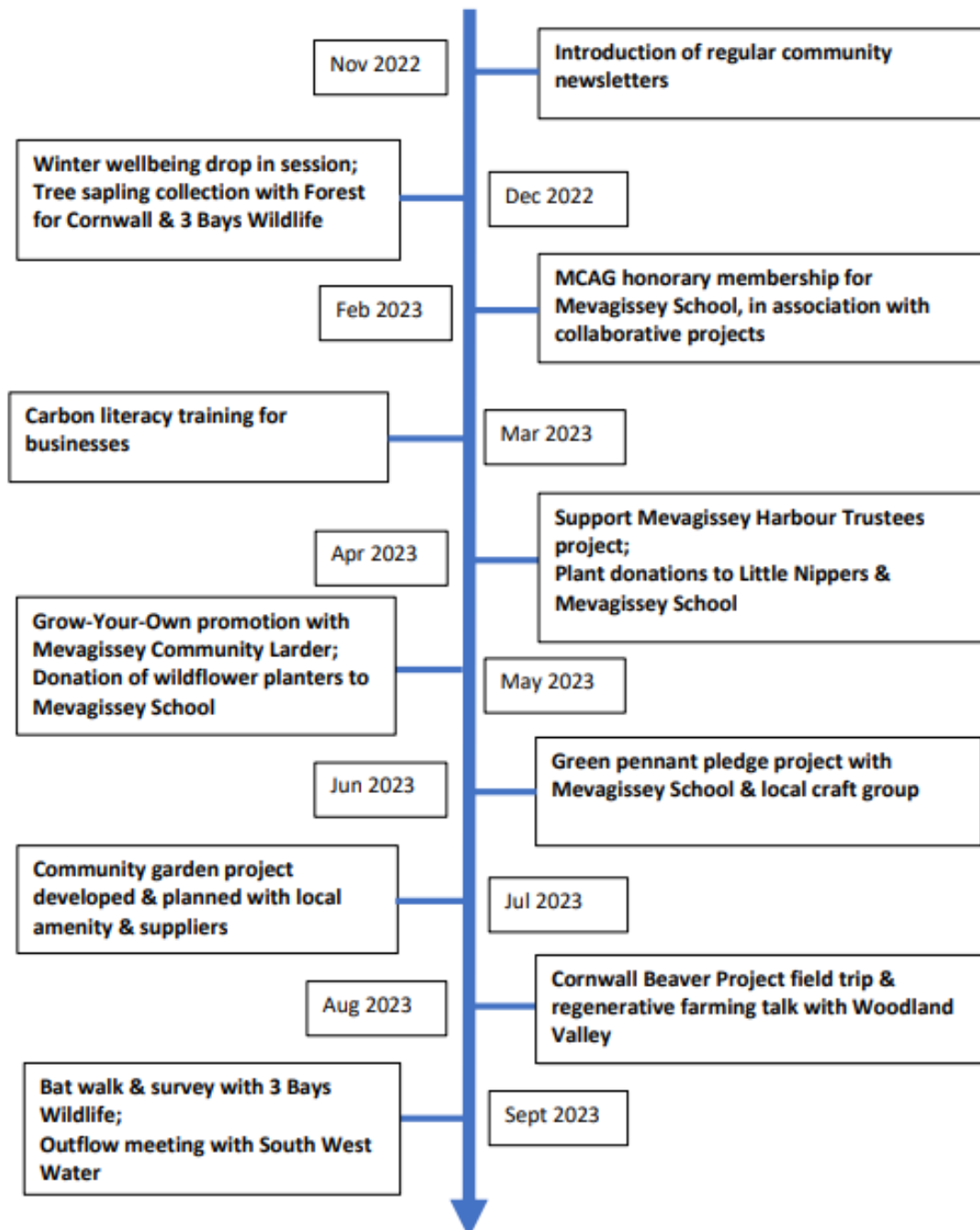
Monday 28th, Tuesday 29th, Wednesday 30th, Thursday 31st October and Friday 1st November 2024

Mevagissey Climate Action Group Autumn-Winter Newsletter 2023



Welcome to our Autumn-Winter newsletter. As this will be our final newsletter for 2023, we're taking a look back over the 12 month period since MCAG's climate action plan was approved and mobilised in Autumn 2022.

Below is a summary of our main activities, which have focused on community engagement and biodiversity. We've been delighted to collaborate with other local community groups on some lovely projects and we're looking forward to more of the same in 2024 and beyond.



Mevagissey Climate Action Group Autumn-Winter Newsletter 2023



2024 will see us turn our focus to Climate Action Plan policies relating to transport and energy, as well as continuing with other community projects. We are planning to arrange a short series of informative talks during the year on a variety of topics, which we hope will be of interest to local residents.

We will soon be sending out a survey on sustainability. Please do respond if you can, we'd love to know and celebrate what everyone is doing to support nature and the environment, and to hear your thoughts and ideas on things we can all do to adopt a more sustainable approach as a village.

The image below shows just a small sample of the wildlife which one of our group has photographed in their garden, and highlights the variety we can attract when we encourage nature in our space.



Finally, we'll be refreshing our website and social media channels to make it easier for you to keep up to date with what's going on and all things MCAG. If you want to know more about what we do or would like to get involved with any of our projects or activities, just get in touch with us at info@mevagisseyclimateaction.org.

Best wishes

Mevagissey Climate Action Group (MCAG)

www.mevagisseyclimateaction.org

MEVAGISSEY SCHOOL PTFA



Annual General Meeting

EVERYONE IS WELCOME

Stay informed and get involved.

Mevagissey School

Wednesday 8th November 2023 @ 7.30pm



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Member Association

Name of School: Mevagissey Community Primary School

Parent Teacher Association No: 32005

31st October 2023

Dear Parents,

Mevagissey School PTFA Annual General Meeting (AGM)

We would like to give notice of the AGM of Mevagissey School PTFA, to be held on 8th November 2023. The evening will start at 7.30pm in the school hall.

The PTFA plays a vital part in the school community and all parents, as members of the PTFA, are invited to support the AGM. This is your chance to hear and see how the funds you have helped to raise have been used for the benefit of the children/students at our school.

The AGM is also an opportunity to elect the PTFA Committee, who represent the association throughout the forthcoming year. Nominations should be sent in advance of the AGM for anyone wishing to stand as an Officer or Ordinary Committee Member, for the first time. Existing committee members wishing to stand for re-election do not have to be nominated again but should inform the PTFA of their intention to stay in their role.

If you would like any further information about being a Committee Member, please speak to Lucy Wright.

Please return the slips below as soon as possible, or by 6th November 2023 at the latest to the school office or email the PTFA on mevagisseyschoolpta@yahoo.co.uk

We look forward to seeing you on 8th November 2023 at 7.30pm.

Kind regards

Lucy Wright
PTFA Chair

I/We shall/shall not be attending the AGM evening on 8th November 2023

Signed..... Print Name.....

NOMINATION FOR OFFICER/MEMBER OF THE PTFA COMMITTEE

Nominee.....

For position of: Chair/Secretary/Treasurer/Other Officer/Ordinary Committee Member (delete as appropriate)

Scholastic Book Fair



Scholastic Book Fair is being held at school next week.

The Book Fair will be open from 3.30—4.00pm on the following days:

Wednesday 8th, Thursday 9th and Friday 10th November (inclusive) this will be held in the school hall.

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&

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