



# Mullion CP News



20.07.2018

Dear parents,

I am pleased to announce that from September until April I will be spending four days each week working with the team at Mullion C. P. School as your head teacher. This year we have started a great deal of exciting work and we are seeing the benefits of it already. I am excited to be part of the development of the school. We have a lot to achieve and I am looking forward to working in partnership with parents and the wider community throughout the year.

I am remaining as executive head teacher at Porthleven supporting the team there to manage and lead the school during this time.

In the meantime I hope that you have a fantastic summer break.

D. Ratcliffe

Attendance so far this year (target 96.5%)	
Pebbles	92.66%
Shells	93.63%
Footprints	94.01%
Waves	94.22%
Surfers	93.45%

**Chartwells**

A reminder that meal prices go up to **£2.30** in September even though the menus will still have the old price showing.

We had a special last day of term visit from Kensa the Unicorn how magical!



GOOD LUCK TO OUR YEAR 6 LEAVERS! WHOSE ASSEMBLY WAS LOVELY ~ WELL DONE!

WE HOPE ALL OF OUR PUPILS AND FAMILIES HAVE A LOVELY SUMMER.



*Helicopter Day ~ more pictures inside.*

**The First Day of the Autumn Term will be Thursday 6th September**

**Swimming for Footprints will commence on Tuesday 11th September**

**Clubs will commence in the week commencing 10th September, letters will go out first day back of new term**

**New Autumn Term Dates will be on the website in September**

# Reading Roundup

## The Headlines

Total number of words read—25,610,397

Total number of books quizzes passed— 1,650

Daily engaged reading time (per pupil)—8 minutes

## What have we achieved this year?

- ⇒ Accelerated Reader with a new library system
- ⇒ Redesigned our library
- ⇒ Celebrated World Book Day
- ⇒ Met authors and illustrators at Kestle Barton
- ⇒ Held a successful book fair
- ⇒ Wrote and heard from authors like J.K Rowling and Julia Donaldson



Mrs Bennett opening the new library with some keen readers.

## Our Top 5 Books

Here are the top 5- as voted for during AR quizzes.

1. The 39-Storey Treehouse
2. We're Going on a Bear Hunt
3. Private Peaceful
4. Crush Catastrophe
5. Ratburger

# WORD MILLIONAIRES!!!

Lucy  
Molly  
Ava  
Oliver M

Inca  
David

## Introducing Our Top Readers

**Pebbles:** Andrew with 27,585 words read  
**Shells:** Jayden with 189,495 words read  
**Footprints:** Sarah with 958,702 words read  
**Waves:** Lucy with 1,229,960 words read  
**Surfers:** Oliver M with 3,215,905 words read

There have been some **AMAZINGLY** motivated readers this year and these are the top readers in each class.

## Book Fair

This year, a staggering £464 was spent at our book fair.



Not only does that mean the children are enjoying these books at home, but that we have £186 to spend on books for school also.

You should have seen information about this year's library reading challenge. Get down to the library and join in the fun! Alongside this, we are running our own challenge—to read in 30 unusual places. Please send your photo's in (if you can), but most importantly get engaged with the reading—talk about it, dive in together and make the most of the summer of reading challenges.

THE READING AGENCY AND LIBRARIES PRESENT

# MISCHIEF MAKERS

**SUMMER READING CHALLENGE 2018**

Thank you for working with us this year to support your children by promoting a love of reading. It truly is the key that unlocks a world of opportunities. We look forward to turning the page on the next chapter in the 2018-19 school year!



# The Horticultural Show





# Pebbles Assembly



## Pebbles

What a wonderful end of year assembly! Pebbles enthusiastically delivered the 'alphabet of learning' showing that they are ready for the challenges of KS1.

Thank you to all the people that contributed to making it such a successful year!

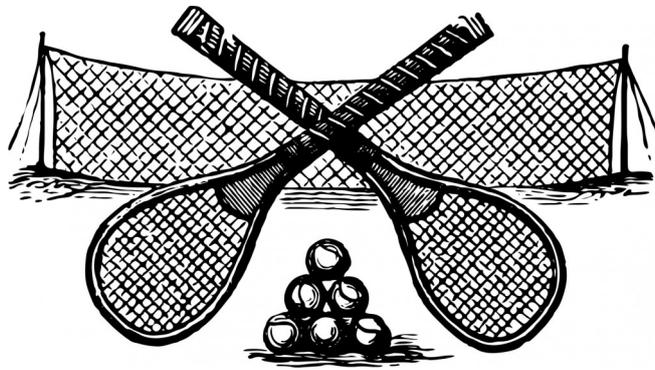
Mrs Ellis & Mrs Higgins

Mrs Ciballi & Mrs Mitchell



Thomas sent us this lovely photo of his prize Sunflowers.

Well done Thomas!



## Farewell to Mrs Carthey

P.E Co ordinator / Class Teacher

Staff gathered on Poldhu Beach last Friday, early evening to wish Hayley (Mrs Carthey) and her family a fond farewell. She will leave for Litchfield in August and commence her new teaching post in September.

Much Pizza was eaten and it was lovely to see staff and their young family members all having fun.





Surfers Production – Mystery at Magpie Manor

What a fantastic show Surfers put on for us when they performed 'Mystery at Magpie Manor.' They all put every effort into each performance as well as learning their lines, providing props and creating costumes.

Thank you to everyone who came and watched and supported the event.





Whole School Beach Day!



Well done staff & helpers for keeping everyone safe!





The children were so excited by it all!



*Thank you Mr Carthey and the crew from RNAS Culdrose!*



# Gardening Club 2017-2018

The club has been well supported by the children of the school. They have been very busy this year with planting vegetables and flowers around the gardens and poly tunnel.

We have been helped by Mr Glosby (Harry's dad) who has helped motivate the boys in digging, weeding and watering.

We have been successful in the Mullion Horticultural Show. We won the Hanging Basket cup – again. We also won the Best in section for the Confined section with our cucumber which meant we have another big cup. The children made plant pots which was fun to make getting very messy.

Due to the very hot weather a lot of the produce has either been scorched or dried up – but – we have melons growing in the poly tunnel. This is a first for the club. So we will find out later if all the fruit set and we have melons when we come back from our holidays.

Next year 2018–2019 we need to do some serious fundraising to replace some equipment and to buy next years seeds. If anyone has any ideas for us please contact me.

During the Autumn half term break we need to clear out the poly tunnel and give it a good clean. I will need some helpers for this as it is a big job. In fact if anyone would like to help with the club you would be most welcome.

Next term the club will move to a Wednesday evening after school.

Thank you to all the children who have participated in the club – I look forward to seeing you next year.

This year show winners were :

1st Decorated Plant Pot ~ Harry Glosby

3rd Decorated Plant Pot ~ Thomas Hendy

Highly Commended Miniature Gardens ~ Elizabeth, Mia, Harry G and Ethan E.

Hanging Baskets Cup

Best in Section Cup, confirmed Veg ~ Cucumber

1st for Rhubarb and Mis Shaped Veg

2nd For White Potatoes

3rd for Coloured Potatoes , Rhubarb and Cucumber

Mrs Fran Mitchell with huge thanks to Mr James Glosby

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