



Mawnan CE VA School Newsletter

Using our God-given talents to let our light shine



Our core Christian Values: *Compassion, Hope, Peace, Perseverance, Respect, Trust*

Friday 25th October 2024

This week has been an extraordinary one at Mawnan CE VA Primary School, as we were honoured to welcome two Ofsted Inspectors for a surprise visit, after what feels like a mere matter of months after our previous inspection in June 2023. While such an early return was unanticipated, it provided us with a valuable opportunity to showcase our wonderful school!

I am immensely proud to report that our children, as always, were nothing short of remarkable. Their conduct, enthusiasm, and commitment to learning shone brightly throughout the inspection process. Equally impressive was our dedicated staff team, who demonstrated their unwavering professionalism and passion for education.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude for your swift and substantial engagement with the Parent View questionnaire. The volume of responses received and the positive sentiments expressed about our school were truly heartening. Your feedback not only supports our ongoing efforts but also reinforces the strong partnership between home and school that is so vital to our children's success.

➤ **14. I would recommend this school to another parent.**



The full inspection report will be published during the next half term. We eagerly anticipate sharing this document with you, as it will undoubtedly reflect the collective efforts and achievements of our entire school community.

Have a wonderful half term and we look forward to seeing you Tuesday 5th November.

Miss Pridmore

Nasal Flu

A reminder email was sent out this morning that Nasal Flu Immunisations will be taking place in school on **Wednesday 06/11/2024**.

If you would like sign up your child please follow the link below.

CONSENT REQUIRED by midday Monday 4th November 2024.

The 'Nasal Flu Vaccination' programme is open to all children in the school.

Please follow the link below to sign your child/children up for this year.

<https://www.kernowimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu>

PLEASE ENSURE YOU ENTER THE FULL UNIQUE SCHOOL REFERENCE CODE.

The code for Mawnan School is: **EE112002**

School Photographer

The photographer will be in school on **Thursday 7th November** , to take individual, sibling and family group photographs. If you would like your pre-school child photographed with their school aged siblings, then you will need to be in the school hall from 8.15am. Photos with Pre-school siblings will take place between 8:30am-9:00am. Due to the large number of children currently in school, the photographer must start the school photographs at 9am.

Secret Santa

Thank you to all for your donations of unwanted or preloved items so far. We would greatly appreciate as many donations of toys, puzzles, and gifts suitable for children and parents as possible. Your generosity will undoubtedly contribute to making this event a memorable and meaningful experience for all involved. Please bring your donations to the box in the entrance.

After School Clubs Autumn (2) 2024

Clubs will start the first week back.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Club</u>	<u>Year Group</u>	<u>Max Spaces</u>
Monday	Netball (with Gill, Alex and Julie)	Year 5 and 6	20
Monday	Golf (with Mick)	Year 5 and 6	8
Monday	Embrace Dance	Year 1 and 2	15
Tuesday	Football (with Christian)	Year 5 and 6	
Tuesday	Embrace Dance	Year 3, 4 and 5	15
Tuesday (day has changed)	Sketching and Painting (With Jazz)	Year 6	14
Wednesday	*Rugby (with Cornish Pirates)	Year 4, 5 and 6	20
Wednesday	*Construction Club	Year 1 and 2	20
Wednesday	*Skateboarding (with coach Frank)	Year 5 (who have not taken part this half term) and Year 4s	12
Thursday	*Reading for Pleasure (with Miss Pridmore and Mrs Timmins)	Year 3 and 4	20
Thursday	*Hockey (with Tom)	Year 5 and 6	16

New clubs this term - Google forms will be sent in the next few days.

Continuing clubs - No google form needed - continue on from Autumn 1 Term.

Dates to Remember

Dates 2024	Events
28 th Oct – 4 th Nov	Half Term
5 th November	Return to School
6 th November	Nasal Flu Immunisations
7 th November	Individual School Photographs
12 th November	Odd Socks Day-Anti Bullying
15 th November	Children In Need
18 th – 21 st November	Parent Teacher Meetings
22 nd November	Movie Night
12 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
12 th December	KS2 Candlelit Carol Concert
17 th December	KS1 Nativity (time tbc)
18 th December	KS1 Nativity (time tbc)
18 th December	School Christmas Dinner
20 th December	Last day of term
6 th January 2025	Return to School

Term Dates

Cornwall Council 2024/2025 School Term Dates for Community and Voluntary-Controlled Schools



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School holidays

Bank holidays

Christmas Day	25 December 2024
Boxing Day	26 December 2024
New Years Day	01 January 2025
Good Friday	18 April 2025
Easter Monday	21 April 2025
May Bank Holiday	05 May 2025
Spring Bank Holiday	26 May 2025
Summer Bank Holiday	25 August 2025

AUTUMN TERM (74 days)

3 September - 20 December 2024
(HALF TERM 28 October -1 November 2024)

SPRING TERM (60 days)

6 January - 4 April 2025
(HALF TERM 17-21 February 2025)

SUMMER TERM (61 days)

22 April - 23 July 2025
(HALF TERM 26-30 May 2025)

195 days are included on the school calendar. Schools will be open to pupils for 190 days. The five additional days are allotted for In-Service Training (INSET). Schools allocate their own INSET days.

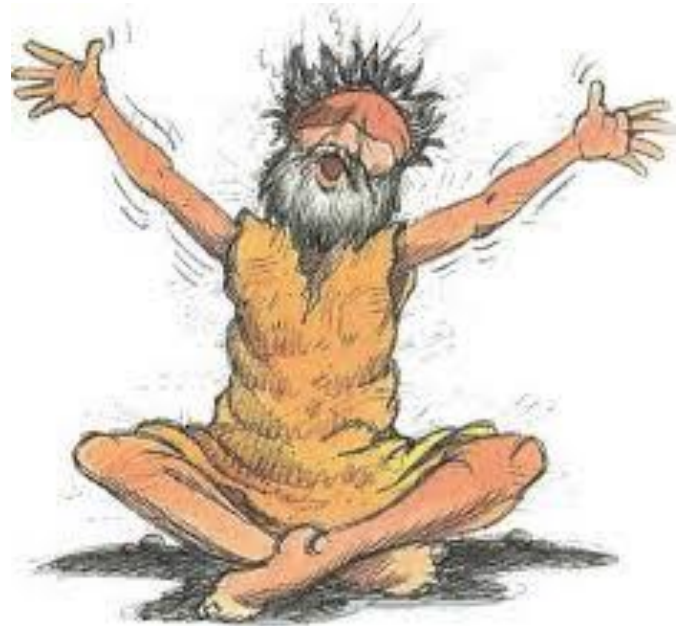
Our INSET Days for 2024-2025 will be as follows:

- Monday 4th November 2024
- Monday 21st July 2025
- Tuesday 22nd July 2025
- Wednesday 23rd July 2025

Weekly Extras

4@4 - 4th Sunday at 4pm at St Michael's

Sunday 27th October:
Jesus heals a blind man



We start
with
cake! After some singing and listening to
a Bible story, you can choose between
discussing what you have heard, a craft
activity, or having some quiet reflection
time.

Something for everyone – everyone is welcome

St Michael's Church, Carwinion Road, Mawnan Smith TR11 5JF

stmawnan.org – stmawnan@gmail.com



OCTOBER HALF TERM HOLIDAY CAMPS

Come and take part in our EdVenture half term provision, offering children a fantastic opportunity to build friendships through team sports and outdoor adventures, and explore their creativity with themed group games and arts & crafts.

TUE 29TH OCT - THUR 31st OCT
3 DAY SUPER CAMPS
5-7 YEARS | 8+ YEARS

FEATURING A RANGE OF HALLOWEEN THEMED ACTIVITIES INCLUDING:

**DODGEBALL, FREE PLAY, GYM,
ARTS & CRAFTS, DANCE OFF,
FOOTBALL, GYMNASTICS,
MULTI SPORTS, BOARD GAMES,
CINEMA, TEAM CHALLENGES
JEWELLERY MAKING
& LOTS MORE!**

**JUST £80 FOR 3 DAYS
OR £30 A DAY**



MON 28TH OCTOBER:
FULL/HALF DAY
FOOTBALL CAMPS



FOR MORE DETAILS ON THE COURSES & HOW TO BOOK:

WWW.MYEDVENTURE.CO.UK

01326 372379

Admissions for Secondary September 2025



Together 
for Families

The
deadline for
applications is
**15 January
2025**

Do you have a
child born **between
1 September 2020
and 31 August 2021?**

If so, you will need to apply
for a place in a reception
class in September 2025 for
your child by the deadline
of **15 January 2025**.



Please note: you will need to apply even if your child attends a school's nursery or pre-school class. If a school is oversubscribed the fact that a child attends a school's nursery or pre-school, or a local nursery or pre-school, does not automatically guarantee a place at that school. The school's oversubscription criteria will be used to allocate places. Visit our website or contact us for more information.

Visit www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions for more information and to access the online application system.



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Starting infant/primary school

For children born between 1 September 2020 and 31 August 2021.

Application deadline: **15 January 2025**.



FALMOUTH HOCKEY CLUB JUNIOR HOCKEY

**START A NEW SPORT
IMPROVE YOUR SKILLS
HAVE FUN
MAKE NEW FRIENDS**

**TUESDAYS 6PM-7:30PM -
U12, U14 & U 16 BOYS
THURSDAYS 5:30PM-6:30PM -
U8 & U10 BOYS AND GIRLS
THURSDAYS 5:30PM-7PM -
U12, U14 & U16 GIRLS
@ PENRYN COLLEGE ASTRO**

**4 AGE GROUP TOURNAMENTS PER
SEASON
EXCELLENT COACHING
PROGRESSION INTO SENIOR MEN'S AND
WOMEN'S TEAMS**

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION OR TO BOOK A PLACE EMAIL
FALMOUTHHOCKEYCLUB@GMAIL.COM**

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