



There were some great crown entries!



Well done to our Year 6s this week!

Well done to our record-breaking amount of Choughed Award winners!



Congratulations to our crown winners!

Remember to follow  
our MAT, Leading  
Edge, on Facebook







# BURYAN BULLETIN

## The newsletter of St Buryan Academy

### Welcome to our fortnightly newsletter!

We have had a cracking couple of weeks - and there's lots more to come!

Firstly, give it up for our year 6s! They completed their end of Key Stage 2 SATs this week and did a super job. Although they don't receive their results until towards the end of the year, we are incredibly proud with their attitudes, positivity and enthusiasm - as well as the way they conducted themselves throughout the week. There has been lots of talk online and on the news about SATs in primary school this year; but I am incredibly proud of how all of our year 6s dealt with their SATs and took them in their stride. We always aim to make these as 'stress-free' as possible by ensuring that the children are well prepared for this time, know what to expect and see it as an opportunity to showcase their knowledge - and I really believe that the caring, nurturing environment we aspire to create within our school and school community helps hugely. I think the bacon sandwiches and other brain-food throughout the week helped too! Of course, thank you to all of the staff that have contributed to their learning and assisted in administering the SATs, prepared breakfasts and much more; as well as to all the families who have supported their children through the week - as you always do!

Yesterday, Hatchbox photography visited the school to carry out our annual school photos. You can order these through the slip your children took home this week - if you have any questions or queries then please do contact Hatchbox directly. We were really impressed with the quality of photos they took as well as the products they offer.

We were visited by RNLI Lifeguards last week. They talked to us about how to stay safe when visiting the beach and swimming in the sea. It was a great, practical session which everybody enjoyed and learnt lots from. It was brilliant to hear from parents about their children applying this knowledge over the weekend - and hopefully more so in weeks to come...providing the sun stays for us!

On Tuesday we honoured the King's Coronation with some activities in school, an amazing lunch courtesy of Mrs Lockwood and our 'design-a-crown' competition. Thank you to all those who took part - there were lots of incredible designs worthy of royalty!

Congratulations to our winners: Hannah - Porthcurno, Jowan - Nanjizal, Leo - Gwenver and Rex - Penberth!

We have a busy few weeks ahead before, and after, half-term. Next week our year 5s and 6s are visiting London on their residential! We are really looking forward to this trip and can't wait to do all of the exciting activities lined up!

On Friday next week we are celebrating World Number Day. We are asking all children to come in dressed up, wearing something with a number on it. During the day we will be doing some fun active maths activities in different ways to how we normally teach maths.

On Friday 26th our Year 5s complete their Bikeability course. Please note that this date has changed from Monday 15th - so they will no longer need their bikes in next week. Bikeability is a course we run every year to help our Year 5 children become more confident in their cycling and increase their knowledge on how to safely cycle on our roads - which is incredibly important with the summer months approaching and living where we do!

This weekend, starting tonight, the village is holding its annual 'Feast'. Please see below for more details. Best of luck to our children performing in the event tonight, they've been busy practising on the playground and it looks great! Some of our art work will be on display over the weekend too.

We are still welcoming applicants for two job roles within the school. Firstly, for a school cook starting in September as well as a after-school supervisor with an earlier start date. If you are interested, or know someone who may be, in either of these positions, please do get in touch.

Lastly, thank you to everyone for helping promote and develop our attendance. We are now at 93.29%, which is just above the national average for all schools. For the Spring term our attendance was above 95%, which is a huge progress on Autumn and above national figures. It is really important that we all continue to work together to promote this and improve it further for the remainder of the school year. Due to the size of our school, it really is a team effort in this and every child - and family - plays such a key role in this priority; thank you for your support on this so far.

Thank you and have a good weekend

Mr McDonald and all at St Buryan Academy



# ST BURYAN ACADEMY JOB VACANCY

## AFTER SCHOOL CLUB SUPERVISOR

We are looking for an enthusiastic after-school club supervisor!

2.5 hours per day

3.00pm-5.30pm

Monday to Friday

Term time only

This is for an initial period from 5 June 2023 to the end of the Summer Term



To plan, prepare and supervise various exciting activities for children who stay for the wrap-around care club.

Applicants will require an enhanced DBS check, along with references and evidence of experience/qualifications. Full job description available on application.

Closing date for applications: Friday 12 May 2023

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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# ST BURYAN ACADEMY JOB VACANCY

## SCHOOL COOK

We are seeking an enthusiastic and experienced cook to work at our Academy from the start of the Autumn Term 2023.

Hours of work: 9.30am - 1.30pm Monday-Friday term time only

20 hours per week

Salary dependent on qualifications and experience



To plan, prepare, cook and serve nutritionally balanced school meals.

To order in supplies and to maintain the high standard of cleanliness in the kitchen.

Applicants will require an enhanced DBS check, along with references and evidence of qualifications. Full job description available on application.

Closing date for applications: Friday 30 June 2023

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# St Buryan Feast

Friday 12th May

Variety Concert at the Village Hall 6.30pm start  
followed by singing with the St Buryan Male  
Voice Choir straight after at the St Buryan Inn

Saturday 13th May

St Buryan Feast Fair 9am at the Village Hall  
Feast Bell Ringers at 10am.  
Childrens Day 2pm at the Community House  
followed by a Feast Disco.  
Steak deals at the St Buryan Inn.

Sunday 14th May

Church and Chapel Services in the morning  
High Tea at the St Buryan Inn

Monday 15th May

Pipers Choir Concert 7.30pm at the Chapel  
Please see individual event posters for  
further information

St Buryan Feast presents:

## Children's Day

Saturday 13th May • 2pm - 5pm

@ St Buryan Community House

Fun from 2pm onwards:

Bouncy castles  
Face painting  
Games & Activities  
Treasure Hunt  
Bar open

**Appointing of Gala  
Royalty @ 3pm**

- Entrees between 2-3pm
- Gala King & Queen Ages 7 - 11 &
- Tiny Tots Gala King & Queen ages 2 - 6
- Must be able to attend Gala day (5th August)

Followed by a disco  
- 5pm onwards



# FAMILY TIME

WHY NOT GET OUT WITH YOUR FAMILY AND SPEND SOME QUALITY TIME TOGETHER WHILST BEING ACTIVE!

## Active Together

**FREE family sports** every Tuesday and Friday 5-6pm,  
Mounts Bay Sports Arena. For parents and children.  
Turn up and play! Have fun! Be active!

For more information contact:

[holidaycamp@mountsbayacademy.org](mailto:holidaycamp@mountsbayacademy.org)



**MOUNTS BAY  
ACADEMY**





# crab walkers

Crab Walkers is a creative arts group for primary age young people who have experienced trauma, loss or adversity, or children who struggle socially and lack confidence.

It runs every Thursday at  
Trelva  
The Lescudjack Centre  
Penzance  
TR18 3PE  
3:45 - 5:15pm

Ran by  
Imogen & Emily



Contact  
[education@minack.com](mailto:education@minack.com)  
to express an interest  
and explain why you  
think the child will  
benefit.



## 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



SCAN ME

### Advice and guidance

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



## TERM DATES 2022-23

### AUTUMN:

5 SEPT - 16 DEC

(HALF TERM 24 OCT-28 OCT)

### SPRING:

3 JAN - 31 MAR

(HALF TERM 13 FEB-17 FEB)

### SUMMER:

17 APR - 26 JUL

(HALF TERM 29 MAY-2 JUN)

### 2022/23 INSETS

5TH SEPTEMBER 2022

21ST OCTOBER 2022

3RD JANUARY 2023

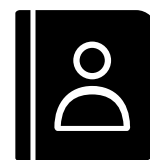
5TH JUNE 2023

25TH JULY 2023

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Further contacts are available on our website.



## SCHOOL WEBSITE

Please remember to check the calendar section of the website to keep up-to-date with school events. These will be added to the calendar when we confirm them.

You may wish to download the 'eschools lite' app for free - this notifies you when we upload our newsletters, menus, calendar dates and more so that you can stay up-to-date with all that is going on in school!