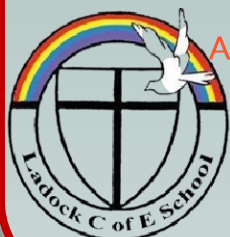


# LADOCK CHURCH OF ENGLAND SCHOOL

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## A Note from Mr Hobbs

Hi Everyone,

What a busy couple of weeks we have had.

Last Monday we had our 'Vision Day'. The children worked in groups with children from the other classes to take part in activities that made us think about our vision of 'Loving, Learning, Achieving Together'. It was great to see children working so well with children they wouldn't normally work with. We had a Collective Worship at the end of the day to celebrate all their fantastic ideas.

This term we are lucky enough to have a coach join us from the Cornish Pirates to support with the teaching of our PE curriculum. Neil joins us on a Tuesday afternoon and takes Blaise and Ladoca for a session each on the basic skills involved in rugby. These sessions are great fun and it has been wonderful to see the children (and staff) getting so involved.

We are always looking to support our staff in improving their practice with any professional development we can access so that they know best how to support our children. This month all of our support staff will attend training in spelling and grammar which has been kindly laid on by the Trust. Mrs Denning has also been on a two day Wild Tribe course to look to improve the outdoor learning offer we have here at Ladock School. Watch this space in the new year!

Finally, all of the children have been involved with our anti-bullying work this week, whether taking part in Collective Worship or within their PSHCE lessons. It has been a great opportunity to remind children that we don't accept bullying here at Ladock School, and the processes they should follow if they think it is happening. The message this year is that we need to "Make a noise about bullying".

Fingers crossed for a dry weekend.

Best wishes

Mr Hobbs—Head of School

# Dates for your Diary

Fridays' Collective  
Worship takes place  
at 2.40pm in Church  
unless we have Open  
the Book (2.30)

22nd Nov	Hot Chocolate sale—top playground at the end of the day
<b>24th Nov</b>	<b>INSET DAY—School closed to children</b>
29th Nov	PTFA Christmas Jumper swap and mince pies — top playground at the end of the day
1st Dec	Non school uniform day in exchange for a bar of chocolate for the Christmas Fayre
6th Dec	School Christmas lunch— <b>please order a lunch if required by 17th Nov for ordering.</b>
7th Dec	PTFA Wreath making—details to follow
8th Dec	Non school uniform day in exchange for a bottle for the Christmas Fayre
13th Dec	PTFA Christmas Fayre—more info to follow
14th Dec	<b>Note change of date—</b> KS1 Nativity— (matinee and evening performance)
19th Dec	Last day of the Autumn Term—Christmas break
4th Jan 24	First day of the Spring Term.
<b>15th Jan 24</b>	<b>Deadline for applications for a Reception place 2024</b> <a href="#">click here</a>
<b>16th Jan 24</b>	<b>Reception and Year 6 heights and measurements—an opt out form will be emailed prior to this taking place.</b>
25th Jan 24	Blaise class trip to Truro Museum
19-23 Feb 24	Keyne class intensive swimming week at Polkyth Leisure Centre - 10-11am— <a href="#">click here</a>
20-22nd May 24	Year 5 & 6 Residential to North Devon
28th June 24	Sports Day
1-3rd Jul 24	Year 3 & 4 residential to Porthpean

## INSET DAYS 2023-24

23rd & 24th July 2024

[Click here](#)  
to find Cornwall  
Council term dates

[Click here](#) to access the  
application page to apply  
for Free School Meals if  
you think your child may  
be entitled to them.

## School Lunches

Please remember to order a lunch before  
7.45am

Please also remember to cancel your  
child's lunch if they are poorly or away by  
8am—you can click deselect on Parent Pay

Thank you.

# PTFA Events Calendar

## AUTUMN TERM 2023

**Wednesday 22nd November**—Hot Chocolate sale in top playground after school

**Wednesday 29th November**—Christmas Jumper Swap and mince pies—top playground, after school

**From Friday 1st December**—Christmas Raffle tickets on sale

**Friday 1st December**—Non school uniform day in exchange for a bar of chocolate for the Christmas Fayre

**Friday 8th December**—Non school uniform day in exchange for a bottle for the Christmas Fayre

**Wednesday 13th December**—Christmas Fayre—details to follow

**Thursday 14th December**—Refreshments at KS1 Performances—Ladock Community Hall

## SPRING TERM 2024

**Friday 12th January**—PTFA Meeting—Ladock School, after school

**Wednesday 7th February**—Keyne & Cuby Bake sale and Hot Chocolates—top playground, after school

**Friday 23rd February**—World Book Day costume swap—top playground, after school

**Friday 22nd March**—Non school uniform day in exchange for a chocolate bar for the Easter Raffle (chocolate hampers, 1 per class)

**Thursday 28th March**—Easter Egg Hunt

## SUMMER TERM 2024

**Friday 19th April**—PTFA meeting—Ladock Park, after school

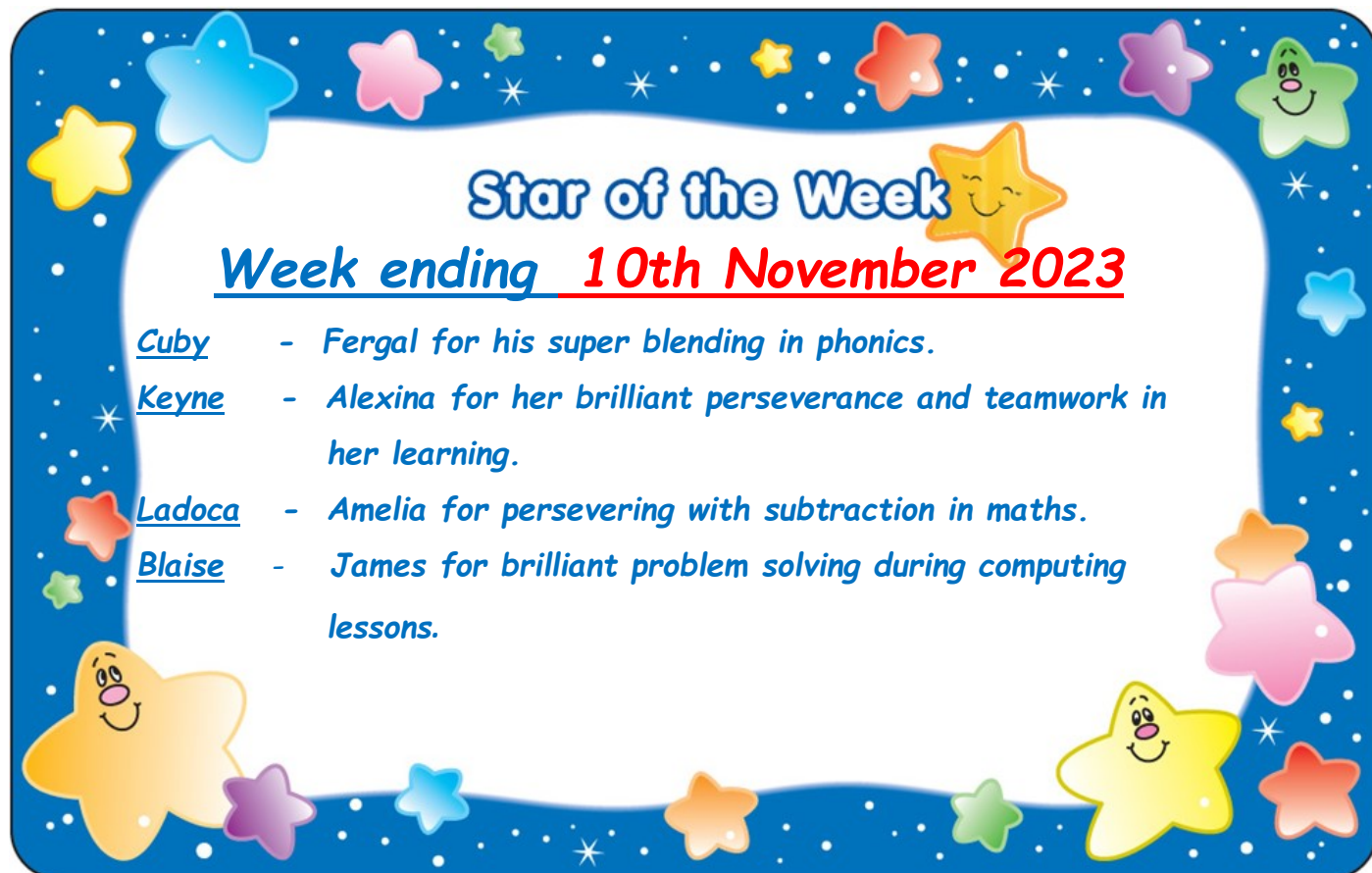
**Friday 26th April**—Ice Lolly Sale—top playground, after school

**Wednesday 8th May**—Ice Lolly Sale—top playground, after school

**Friday 17th May**—Spring Disco—details to follow

**Friday 14th June**—Ice Lolly Sale—top playground, after school

**Friday 28th June**—Refreshments at Sports Day



## Star of the Week

Week ending 10th November 2023

- Cuby - Fergal for his super blending in phonics.
- Keyne - Alexina for her brilliant perseverance and teamwork in her learning.
- Ladoca - Amelia for persevering with subtraction in maths.
- Blaise - James for brilliant problem solving during computing lessons.

## Special Mention

Bobby

Olive C (Cuby)

Mason

Rocco

Harvey

Blaise class for the delivery of a poignant Remembrance Service that demonstrated respect and compassion for those lives lost in warfare



Weekly Attendance for week ending 10th November —92.19%

St Cuby—86.36%

St Keyne - 94.23%

St Ladoca - 93.33%

St Blaise—94.84%

The Government advises that attendance should not fall below 96%





Weekly Attendance for week ending 17th November —9%

St Cuby—8%

St Keyne - 9%

St Ladoca - 9%

St Blaise—9%

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The  
deadline for  
applications is  
**15 January  
2024**

# Do you have a child born **between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020?**

If so, you will need to apply  
for a place in a reception  
class in September 2024 for  
that child by the deadline  
of **15 January 2024.**



**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](http://www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions) for more information and to access the online application system

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