



# Newsletter

Friday 18 July 2025

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## End of 2024-2025 Academic Year

As we come to the close of another academic year, we would like to say a huge thank you to all our families for their support. It's been an amazing year, with so much going on, that time has flown by and we as staff cannot believe we've reached the summer holiday! We would like to wish you all a safe and relaxing break and look forward to seeing you all back in school on Thursday 4 September.

Miss Neil & the Sithney Team

## Goodbye Year 6

Next week, we sadly say goodbye to our amazing class of 2025 as they move into secondary education. Year 6 have had a wonderful 7 years with us here at Sithney, and have not only grown into a mature, conscientious and caring year group, they have become great role models for our younger students. We also this summer, say a sad goodbye not only to our students, but many longstanding parents of the school as their youngest children leave us. To these parents we say thank you, for your belief in our school and for your unwavering support over the years. Please keep in touch Year 6, we can't wait hear what your future holds....

## Wraparound & Lunch Fees

As we head towards the end of the academic year, can you please ensure that your child's school lunch and wraparound fees are paid up to date. Please can we also ask that all Year 6 accounts/balances are cleared in full by the end of July Thank you

## No After-School Club—Tuesday 22 July 2025

Just a reminder that there is no After-School Club on Tuesday 22 July due to it being the end of the academic year.

Pre-School Closure—Monday 8 December 2025

Apologies but due to staffing, there will be no pre-school on Monday 8 December

Thank you to all who supported our Enterprise Week Sale—Students raised £242.60!

Attendance—Week Ending Friday 18 July 2025

Busy Zone	95.73%
Wonder Zone	88.46%
Smart Zone	95.42%
Study Zone	<b>100%</b>
Whole School	94.46%

(\*\*School Attendance Target: 97%)



Badges

Reading Roll of Honour

Noah, Marina, Oliver, Bryer, Arthur, Carey, Monica, Teddie, Tuva, Dollie & Aerin



Word of the Week

**KS1:** No word of the week due to the summer holiday

**KS2:** No word of the week due to the summer holiday



## Diary Dates 2024 / 2025

Monday 21 July - Leavers Assembly—Year 6 Parents only  
Wednesday 23rd July 2025 INSET Day  
Thursday 24th July 2025—Summer Holidays commence  
Wednesday 3 September 2025—INSET DAY  
Thursday 4 September 2025—First day of term for students  
Wednesday 17 September—School Photos Day  
Monday 22 September—Coasteering—Year Group Tbc  
Thursday 23 October—Flu Immunisations—Reception to Yr6 students  
Monday 27 October—Friday 31 October 2025—Half Term  
Monday 8 December—Pre-School Closed  
Monday 15 December—School Christmas Production  
Weds 3 to Friday 5 June 2026—Year 5&6 Residential  
Weds 10 June 2026—8.40am to 12.30pm—Y6 Mullion School Y6 transition morning  
Weds 1 July 2026—Mullion School Year 6 Transition day  
Tuesday 7 & Weds 8 July—Helston College Transition Day—Y6



Dates for  
the Diary:

## Sithney School Inset Days 2025/2026

**Inset days for 2025/2026 are: Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2025, Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2025, Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026, Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2026, Friday 8th May 2026 (Flora Day), Monday 22nd June 2026 and Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 2026**



## WELL DONE



TEAM	06.06.25	13.06.25	20.06.25	27.06.25	04.07.25	11.07.25	18.07.25
Killigrew	★		★	★	★		★
Trevithick		★				★	
Bassett							



# NUMBOTS

Billie-Jean



## MATHS WHIZZ

Study Zone Learning Time	Smart Zone Learning Time	Wonder Zone Learning Time
Clay—54 mins	Penny—74 mins	Tuva—124 mins
Jemima—38 mins	Evie—57 mins	Grace—39 mins
Aerin—33 mins	Owen—48 mins	Oscar—35 mins

Study Zone Gems	Smart Zone Gems	Wonder Zone Gems
Aerin—8 gems	Evie—10 gems	Tuva—5 gems
Jemima & Jakub—3 gems	Ned—4 gems	Oscar & Grace - 3 gems
	Isobella—3 gems	

## HALL OF FAME

Charlie, Ethan, Jago, Oscar, Tuva, Evie, Freddie, Owen, Penny, Aerin, Carter, Clay, Dollie, Jakub & Jemima,



## Sailing Success!

This half term, students from Year's 4-6 have taken part in after-school co-curricular sailing with the Children's Sailing Trust. Of these students, five have successfully completed their Stage 2 Sailing Course. Congratulations to Rosie, Jakub, Alex, Ruby & Tom for their achievement. After-school sailing will hopefully return next year.



### Award Winners

During our celebration assembly last week we celebrated sporting success of some of our Year 2 students.

Bertie brought in his trophy and medal following 2024-2025 success with his football club the Porthleven Panthers, and Teddie who took part in a tennis tournament with his mum at the Hayle Tennis Club. Well done to both students (and mum!)





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# ROLL THE DICE

## SUMMER PROGRAMME OF EVENTS



Sunday 27<sup>th</sup>, July 12:30 - 4

Commander Party

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> August 12:30 - 4

Learn to Play

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup>, August, 12:30 - 4

Ravnica Remastered Draft

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>, August 12:30 - 4

Commander Party



Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> August, 1:30 - 6

Reign of Jafar Store

Championships

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> August 12:30 - 4

Fabled prerelease



Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> August, All Day

Pokemon Trainer Day



Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 1 - 6

Learn to Play

**TABLE BOOKINGS AVAILABLE MOST DAYS**

**BOARDGAME LIBRARY**

**RPG LIBRARY**

**MAKING AND PAINTING SUPPORT**

**FREE TABLE BOOKINGS DURING THURSDAY DAYTIMES**

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# ROLL THE DICE

## SUMMER TIMETABLE

27TH JULY - 31<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST

### MONDAY

TBA

### TUESDAY

10 - 1

Make, Paint and Chill £2

1 - 3

Youth Summer D&D

Adventure £4

3:30 - 5:30

Youth Club D&D £2

### WEDNESDAY

10 - 4

Make, Paint and Chill £2

4 - 6

Beginners Pokémon £2/£6

3:30 - 5:30

Pokemon and Lorcan

Evening £2/£6

### THURSDAY

10 - 6

Free Table Bookings

6:30 - 10:30

Thursday Night Magic £2/£6

### FRIDAY

10 - 1

Make, Paint and Chill £2

1 - 6

Youth Tabletop £5

6:30 - 10:30

16+ Gaming Night £2/£5

### SATURDAY

10 - 10

Events from our Summer  
Programme of Events

### SUNDAY

10 - 12

Youth D&D £4

12-3

Events from our Summer  
Programme of Events

Table rentals during the day dependent on space £5 single, £10 double





Join us for fun and games at the

# SOUTH WEST CORNWALL GAMES EXPO



Vendors



Game demos



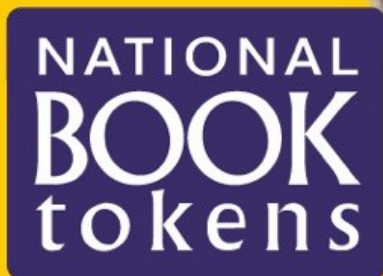
Game Library

The South West Cornwall Games Expo is a great place to celebrate all facets of in-person gaming and the amazing creators, businesses, groups and organisations we have here in Cornwall.

Sat. 2nd August • 9am - 5pm • Free Entry • Light and Life Centre, Helston

**Contact Us!** @rollthedicecornwall  [www.rollthedicecornwall.com](http://www.rollthedicecornwall.com)

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## It's a Family Affair with Will Keating & Friends

Join **Will Keating** for ***It's a Family Affair*** on Sun 02 Nov for a heartwarming afternoon of music, laughter, and stories for all generations. Celebrate the power of song and family togetherness in a show packed with joy, energy, and unforgettable moments. Bring everyone along for an uplifting experience you won't want to miss!

# Will Keating

## It's a Family Affair



# Hall for Cornwall

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November @ 3pm

Adults £11 - Children £6



RED RIVER  
SCOUT GROUP  
CROWLAS



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SOMETHING NEW?**

LEARN LIFE SKILLS  
MEET NEW FRIENDS  
HAVE EXCITING ADVENTURES  
BE CHALLENGED

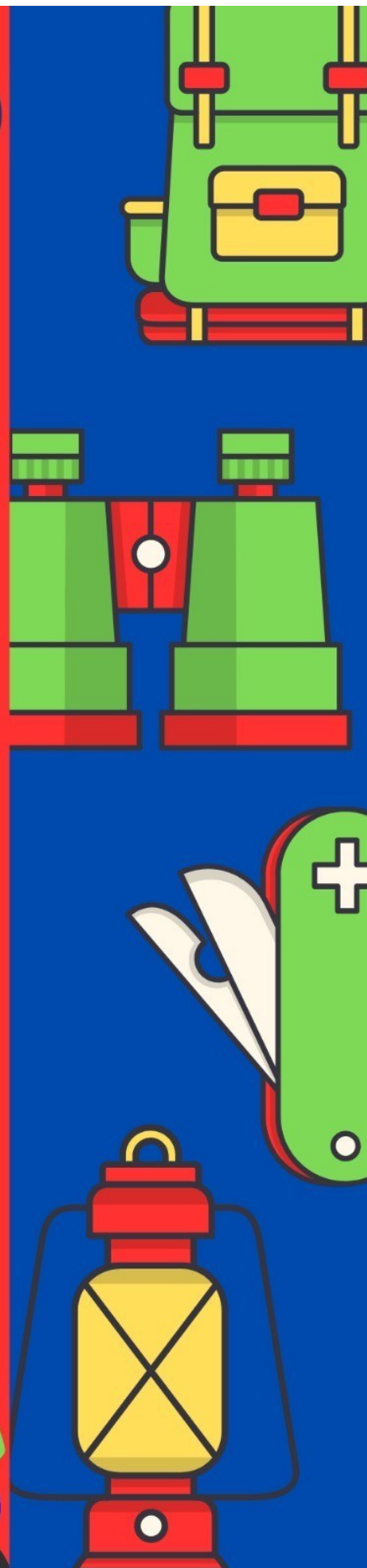
**JOIN US AT CROWLAS  
METHODIST CHAPEL:**  
**BEAVERS (5 ¾ - 8YRS) THURSDAYS**  
**5.30-6.30**  
**CUBS (8 - 10 1/2YRS) THURSDAY 6.50-**  
**8.15**  
**SCOUTS (10 ½ - 14YRS) MONDAYS 7-**  
**9PM**

**AVAILABILITY IN ALL SECTIONS**  
**FIRST 3 SESSIONS FREE!**  
**AFFORDABLE TERMLY FEES**

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# CORNWALL LIBRARIES MINI CHALLENGE



## For children 0-4

From Sat 5<sup>th</sup> July

Libraries  
CORNWALL COUNCIL  
www.cornwall.gov.uk



## Sign up for the **FREE** Mini Challenge

This summer, children 0-4 can take part in a fun challenge at libraries across Cornwall. To complete the challenge they need to collect 6 stamps – one for every activity they do. Once they've earned all six stamps, they'll receive a medal and swim voucher!

Pop into your local library and sign up to get started.

Reading for pleasure is one of the biggest contributors to future success – and this is a great way to begin their love of reading!



You Are Invited  
to

Everyone  
welcome

celebrating and building  
Nanny Goat Country

our Local community  
Saffron  
Buns

# THE Carleen Tea Treat



@  
Carleen Village  
Hall

## Sat 2nd Aug 2025

JOIN THE PROCESSION @ 2pm

Kids  
Flagmaking  
competition

Raffle

Kids  
games

Trew Green Serpent Dance

Evening  
Ceilidh 7.30pm

2025 GOAT THEME FOR THE PROCESSION + 22 FLAGS!  
CEILIDH TICKETS FROM LIN - [whealvor21@gmail.com](mailto:whealvor21@gmail.com)  
MORE INFO ON INSTAGRAM: @carleenteatreat  
FACEBOOK: Carleen Village Hall page



# CAST-Off Summer 2025

There will be artist-led sessions with activities including clay and wood construction, water engineering, printmaking and painting at the Walled Garden on Saturday 29th July and Saturday 5th, 12th, 19th August – 10am to 12 noon and 2pm to 4pm.

Find full details of all activities, and advice on parking, on the CAST website and Facebook page. We won't be put off by a bit of drizzle and hope you won't either, but please check on the day in case of extreme weather and for last minute changes.

## LIGHTBOX

This summer will also see the return of Lightbox at CAST, with free workshops exploring photography, projection and animation on Tuesday 5th, 12th and 19th August – 10am to 4pm.

### The Walled Garden

National Trust Penrose  
TR13 ORD

What three words:

steepest . daydreams . boasted

### CAST

Penrose Road  
Helston, TR13 8TP

What three words:

pickles . magpie . boils



## CAST

CAST-Off is organised by CAST an arts organisation based in a large former school building in the centre of Helston. CAST offers workshops for schools, and holiday workshops for families, throughout the year, as well as a free Saturday Art Club for 11 to 16-year-olds. CAST's exhibition space is used to show artists' films, and for a varied programme of evening screenings and talks. The building also houses Clay Trap ceramics studio and CAST Café. Follow @CASTCornwall or join CAST's mailing list to find out what is happening each month.



Donations



Mailing list

**CAST**  
3 Penrose Road  
Helston TR13 8TP  
**W: CASTCornwall.art**  
**FB: CASTCornwall**

Garcia Family Foundation

Little Parc Owles Trust



For the fourth year in a row, hurray!,  
we invite you to the

# Carleen Tea Treat

Saturday 2nd August 2025  
Everyone is welcome

2pm - Gather at Carleen Village Hall with friends and home made flags for the procession to Trew Green.

This year there is an optional Goat theme inspired by the locality sometimes being known as 'Nanny Goat Country'. We will be joined by the marvellous Lost Giants and our merry band of folk musicians...and maybe some goats?!

2.15pm - Procession leaves the Hall towards Trew Green for the Serpent Dance with Cornish folk music. Procession returns to the Hall.

3.15 - Traditional Tea Treat and concert by Breage Silver Band. Children's traditional country fair games.

5pm - Prize giving for games and Best homemade Flags! Raffle Draw

7.30pm - Ceilidh with The Rosevilles

Tickets £10 available in advance from Lin

whealvor21@gmail.com 01736763676

Fundraising for Carleen Village Hall & GWVCEG



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ROALD  
DAHL'S  
**CHARLIE**  
AND THE  
**CHOCOLATE FACTORY**

BOOK BY *DAVID GREIG*  
MUSIC BY *MARC SHAIMAN*  
LYRICS BY *SCOTT WITTMAN &*  
*MARC SHAIMAN*

BASED ON THE NOVEL BY ROALD DAHL

SONGS FROM THE MOTION PICTURE BY  
**LESLIE BRICUSSE AND ANTHONY NEWLEY**

THIS AMATEUR PRODUCTION IS PRESENTED BY ARRANGEMENT WITH MUSIC THEATRE INTERNATIONAL  
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[hallforcornwall.co.uk](http://hallforcornwall.co.uk)

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HALL FOR CORNWALL



# Pop Up Holiday Camps through August

## Softball Cricket

For children aged 8-13 years old

- Activity Days
- Competitions



SCAN HERE

**8 days of softball activity - £20  
per child. 10am to 3pm**

Weds 6th Aug - Truro CC  
Thurs 7th Aug - Callington CC  
Mon 11th Aug - Mt Hawke CC  
Weds 13th Aug - St Austell CC  
Mon 18th Aug - Grampound Rd CC  
Weds 20th Aug - Helston CC  
Weds 27th Aug - Bude CC  
Thurs 28th Aug - St Stephen CC

**4 Tuesdays of U11 softball  
competition (Includes U13  
Girls). Teams of six £30.  
10am to 3pm**

Tues 5th Aug - Redruth CC  
Tues 12th Aug - Werrington CC  
Tue 19th Aug - Wadebridge CC  
Tues 26th Aug - Penzance CC

**Contact Michelle Kent: [admin@cornwallcricket.co.uk](mailto:admin@cornwallcricket.co.uk)  
[www.cornwallcricket.co.uk](http://www.cornwallcricket.co.uk)**





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# TIME MOVE

Holiday Programme



## SUMMER 2025

- Activities including water sports, forest schools, circus skills, day trips and lots more – for children aged 5 to 16
- Every session includes a healthy meal for all children
- Funded places for ALL children eligible for benefits related free school meals

Activities are taking place across Cornwall during the Summer holidays from 28<sup>th</sup> July – 29<sup>th</sup> August

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to book!



[www.activecornwall.org/TZMHolidayProgramme/Time2Move.HolidayProgramme@cornwall.gov.uk](http://www.activecornwall.org/TZMHolidayProgramme/Time2Move.HolidayProgramme@cornwall.gov.uk)  
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9am until 3pm 29<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> July 2025

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**FOR  
KEY STAGE 2**

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In partnership with Cornwall Music Service Trust

Hosted at the Truro School Music Block, Trennick Ln, Truro TR1 1TH

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# HOLIDAY CLUB

Carwynnen, Camborne

Thursday 24th July  
&  
Thursday 14th August

9:30 - 3:30  
£35 per child

-  campfire snack
-  den building
-  flora and fauna ID
-  real tool use
-  woodland craft
-  child led play



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# July Timetable

All sessions delivered live online via zoom £24 each 90 minutes long  
Book online at [facefamilyadvice.co.uk](https://facefamilyadvice.co.uk) Recordings available for 48 hours

Understanding Anger	1 July 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	1 July 7pm
Introduction to OCD	7 July 10am
What is ACT?	7 July 7pm
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	8 July 10am
Anxiety Explained	8 July 7pm
Raising Self-Esteem	14 July 10am
Supporting Healthy Sleep	14 July 7pm
Decreasing Depression	15 July 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	15 July 7pm
Supporting a Child with ADHD	21 July 10am
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	21 July 7pm
Autism Improving Communication	22 July 10am
Improving Family Communication	22 July 7pm
Facing Defiance	28 July 10am



# August Timetable

All sessions delivered live online via zoom £24 each  
or **FREE** with School Membership - 90 minutes long

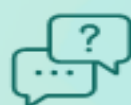
Book online at [facefamilyadvice.co.uk](https://facefamilyadvice.co.uk) Recordings available for 48 hours

Anxiety Explained	4th 10am
Cannabis & Ketamine Awareness	4th 7pm
What is ACT?	5th 10am
Introduction to OCD	5th 7pm
Raising Self Esteem	11th 10am
Decreasing Depression	11th 7pm
Supporting Healthy Sleep	12th 10am
Understanding the Teenage Brain	12th 7pm
Improving Family Communication	18th 10am
Autism: Improving Communication	18th 7pm
Understanding Addictive Behaviour	19th 10am
Supporting a Child with ADHD	19th 7pm
Understanding Anger	25th 10am
Supporting Healthy Screen Use	25th 7pm
Facing Defiance	26th 10am



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(adults and children aged 5 years and over)
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(children and young adults aged 1 year to 17 years)
- **Infected insect bite**  
(adults and children aged 1 year and over)
- **Impetigo**  
(adults and children aged 1 year and over)
- **Shingles**  
(adults aged 18 years and over)
- **Urinary tract infection**  
(women, aged 16 to 64 years)



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