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Friday 28th November 2025

School Lunch Menu Monday 1<sup>st</sup> - Friday 5<sup>th</sup> December

A school meal is always available FREE of charge EVERYDAY for children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2.





















### UPDATED!! 2025/2026 Diary Dates

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December - Last DANCE FIT session with Kate - until 4pm

Thursday 4th December - PTFA Christmas Fayre

Friday 5th December - Lizard Lifeboat Carolaire - Junior Choir members to attend 7pm

Tuesday 9th December - Whole school trip to the HFC...Panto time!

Wednesday 10th December - Little Lizards & Puffins Nativity 2pm school hall

Wednesday 10th December - Final Christmas Choir session...

Thursday 11th December - Christmas Jumper Day!

Thursday 11th December - Little Lizards & Puffins Nativity 2pm school hall

Thursday 11th December - Junior Carol Service, St Wynwallow Church 6.00pm

Mon 15th - Thurs 18th December - Razorbills Bikeability ...more info to follow

Wednesday 17th December - Christmas Dinner Day!

Thursday 18th December - Choir to sing at Tesco Helston! Singing to fundraise too....

Friday 19th December - Break Up for the Christmas Holiday

Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January 2026 - Return to School & Little Lizards
Monday 26<sup>th</sup> January- INSET Training Day - School & Little Lizards CLOSED

Tuesday 24th Feb - Cross Country Peninsula Qual, Helston School JUNIOR CHILDREN

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# A message from Mrs Tattersall...

I have been asked to check by the (second) photography company that you have managed to access the photos, as only 23 of you have actually accessed them. It may be that you had purchased photos from Jo Buckley and didn't need to look at the second photos, but I just wanted to check that if you wanted to you had managed to access them. The deadline has been extended for another week to Friday 5th December.

#### The Santa Bus 2025

The Santa Bus is heading our way again on Wednesday 10th December when it (and Santa) are scheduled to arrive in The Lizard village at 6.40pm.















































# What's in the news this week?.....





What are some of the different ways we can express ourselves?

# In the news this week

McDonald's changed the colours of its famous Happy Meal box in the UK, making it white on three sides, for children to colour and design it themselves. The company said the new boxes encourage creativity and let children express their ideas and feelings through drawing. Four million of the new 'colour-your-own' boxes have been given out as a trial to see how children respond.

#### Things to talk about at home ..

- > Talk to someone at home about the campaign. Share your thoughts - do you think it's a good idea? Share what you might draw on the box.
- > One of the aims of the campaign is to encourage children to express themselves. Do you believe it achieves this aim? Can you think of any other ideas?

Please note any interesting thoughts or comments

Share your thoughts and read the opinions of others













# Paddington Takes a Bow!

Paddington Bear is now starring in his very own musical at the Savoy Theatre in London, England. Children and adults can watch him begin his journey in Peru, travel to London, and join the Brown family - with plenty of funny moments along the way!

Paddington is well known for loving marmalade sandwiches, and the show includes lots of music, bright costumes, and a few sticky marmalade by Tom Fletcher, an author and

The Paddington in the musical looks like the one from the first books, written in 1958. The designers looked at the old pictures to help them create the sandwiches?



bear for the stage. People who have seen the musical say it is cheery and makes them smile. One person called it 'jaw-droppingly good'. Another said, 'it tells a really surprises. The songs are written important story' about kindness and welcoming others. If you could go to the show, would you take a marmalade sandwich for the interval?

Do you know where Paddington Bear keeps his marmalade

# **Black Friday or Buy Nothing** 'Buy Nothing Day', when people

Friday 28th November is 'Black Friday'. Many shops have big sales on this day, and lots of people buy presents, toys, or things for their home. Some people enjoy finding a bargain, and shops can get very busy. But the same day is also called



Pictured: A Black Friday Sale sign

choose not to buy anything all day. Instead, they might go for a walk, play a game, or spend time with friends and family. People who follow Buy Nothing Day say it helps them think about what they really need, rather than just buying something because it is cheaper on sale. Others say Black Friday can be fun and helpful if you are saving up for something special. Both happen on the same date, so everyone can choose what

What would you prefer the idea of - Black Friday or Buy Nothing

# What would you tell world leaders if you were at COP30?



I would tell world leaders to all make sure they keep ALL their promises! Connie

feels right for them.

Let us know what you think about this week's news

























# Driverless

Passengers have been able to board a driverless electric bus at Casa de Campo park in Madrid, Spain! After five years of testing, the vehicle has entered the real-world phase of the experiment with driverless vehicles for public transport. The 100% electric, caterpillar-shaped vehicle operated for ten days during five busy hours, driving around to pick up passengers at six stops. The bus was developed by the Madrid Transit Authority (EMT) and Automotive Technology Centre of Galicia (CTAG). The vehicle is described as fully



Pictured: People boarding the CTAG Source: EMT Madrid on Facebook



Pictured: CTAG Autonomous Shuttle Source: EMT Madrid on Facebook.

autonomous, and capable of detecting things it may need to brake for, such as people, animals, crossings, stop signs, traffic lights, and roundabouts. Developers say it can make decisions on when to brake, accelerate, turn, and open/close the doors. A safety officer has been on board throughout, just in case. 'This bus is one of the best I have ever tested,' said César Omar Chacón Fernández from EMT. 'It behaves very well dynamically. Let's say that the technology is very well integrated, it doesn't behave erratically or robotically like other buses. The vehicle detects any object, from a bicycle to an animal, and reacts accordingly to avoid collisions. It is a fully autonomous line, but we never leave anything to chance. Do you enjoy bus rides? Do you think you would use this bus?

# Shout at Stealing

A recent study has shown that seagulls trying to steal food can be scared away by simply shouting. Researchers from the University of Exeter tested 61 herring gulls in nine seaside towns in Cornwall. They played recordings of a male voice shouting, 'No, stay away, that's my food!', along with recordings of the same words being spoken instead, and also the neutral birdsong of a robin, all at the same volume. The scientists experimented to find the best way to stop the birds from snacking on a box of chips on the ground. Dr Neeltje Boogert, from the university, commented, 'Normally, when someone is shouting, it's scary



Pictured: A seagull Source: Canva.

because it's a loud noise, but in this case, all the noises were the same volume. and it was just the way the words were being said that was different. So, it seems that gulls pay attention to the way we say things, which we don't think has been seen before in any wild species, only in those domesticated species that have been bred around humans for generations, such as dogs, pigs and horses."

How would you stop a seagull from trying to eat your food?

## What would you tell world leaders if you were at COP30?



I want them to talk about clean air and how to sort our rubbish properly so there is no more rubbish in the sea

Let us know what you think about this week's news





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### REMINDERS....

The last Dance Fit session with Kate is on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December. Choughs and Razorbills choir members will be rehearsing at the lifeboat station on Wednesday 3rd December and need to be collected from the carpark there at 4pm please. A reminder also that there will be no choir for the Puffins members on that day.

The last choir session will be on Wednesday 10th December.





Next week the mince pie making workshops at Housel Bay Hotel are taking place! All of the school children are taking part in this activity during the school day. On Wednesday afternoon, from 3.15pm, Housel Bay Hotel will be displaying/selling some of the mince pies and donating the proceeds to the PTFA.

Parents and staff are invited to head down to view and purchase the children's baked goods! The mince pies will also be available at our Christmas Fayre, Thursday the 4th of December from 2 - 4pm. Thank you and we hope the pupils thoroughly enjoy this occasion.

















