

# NEWSLETTER

*Flushing C of E Primary School*



**WEEK COMMENCING: 28th March 2025**



Last Friday Flushing basketball team played the whole league in 1 day (The TISA and Penryn was damaged in a storm so the league couldn't go ahead as usual. Penryn College didn't want the children to miss out hence a league in a day) It was an exhausting day as there were 9 teams involved and each game lasted 20 minutes. The team won every single match they played and put on a fantastic performance. They had lots of fun, won the whole competition and were VERY proud of themselves. One of the children even commented that it was " the best day of my life." A massive well done to Mary, Keira, Arlo, Nico, Alex.M., Morven and Eli.



On Monday 2 children from Flushing made it through to the county final of the cross-country. They put in a huge amount of effort amongst the best runners in the county and really did Flushing school proud. We are still awaiting the results of final positions but they were delighted with their performances. Congratulation to Eli and Arlo.

This Wednesday saw the final 2 matches of the hockey league. Flushing team have played fantastically throughout the whole league and tonight was no exception. It is great to see how their teamwork developed as the league progressed. Well done to Austin, Eli, Alex.B, Alex.M. Lois, Freja, Morven, Arlo.

Dear Parents/Carers,

With one more week to go until the holidays, it is lovely to reflect on all the wonderful things the children have achieved this term.

A real highlight of this week was our Seals and Dolphins classes performing for their parents. Over the last 10 weeks we have been lucky to have Genevieve Houlihan teach the children ukelele. They have exceeded our expectations and it has been wonderful to see children who have never picked up an instrument before, really flourish and have such fun learning a new skill. Thankyou to Genevieve and to all the children for a really enjoyable performance.

Our new school garden area (to the left of the front door) is finally taking shape and with the delivery of some soil next week we are hoping to start planting. A big thankyou to Josie and her family for donating a huge variety of seedlings and plants. We are looking forward to seeing our little patch grow and develop over the next few months with the help of a lot of little green fingers!

We are still developing our outdoor play areas. If you know of anyone who has 2 decent cable reels approximately 70cm high, we would love to have them. We are also after 6 old but clean tyres and a cargo net!

Enjoy your weekend and wishing all of our lovely mums a very special Happy Mothering Sunday. Looking forward to seeing you next Thursday for our end of term Easter Service at St Peter's at 2.00.

Best Wishes, Mrs Power



# MEET OUR GOVERNORS



This weeks Governors are Bob Hurrell who until recently was Chair of Governors and also Rev Emma Durose.

## Robert Hurrell—Co-opted governor— Resources Committee

I have been a governor at Flushing School since 2005 and served as chair of governors from 2006 until recently. Previously I was a governor at Penryn College in the 1990's.

My parents, my wife and I plus our son and two grandchildren have been pupils at Flushing and have always had the welfare of the school at heart.

The majority of my working life was spent with HM Coastguard as an operations room manager and latterly as Sector Manager. The SM role included the training and welfare of cliff rescue teams in South Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly.

Since retiring in 2011 I have been able to spend more time as a classroom volunteer.



## Revd Emma Durose - Oversight Minister for Penryn Benefice -Quality of Education Committee.



I grew up locally in Point and went to Kea School, Penair and then Truro 6th Form Collage. I left Cornwall to study Music and English before taking a career change into Nursing and becoming a Health Visitor in a number of urban priority areas. I was ordained a Priest in the Church of England in 2010 and took up my current post as Oversight Minister for Penryn in November 2023. I live in Penryn with three of my four children who are now in their 20's, two dogs and two cats.

An online talk by Jane Keyworth

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