



Dear Parents, Carers and Guardians,

It has been a wonderful start to term, which I do hope your children have enjoyed. Amidst all the inevitable adjustments to new timetables, new shoes and jackets, a new School for many, and some new routines, the atmosphere has been one of purpose and welcome. For that I thank you, all the staff, and most importantly, your children. Their enthusiasm to be back is a joy and an inspiration to us all as staff. We love seeing the school full of excited children again.

In our start of term service at Truro Methodist Church Rev Helen taught us the word *Sisu*, effectively the Finnish word for Courage, which is our School value of focus this year. It was an energising way to start the term after a morning Assembly where we were able to celebrate a vast array of achievement from so many of our pupils over the Summer. This included examination results, of course, but also an expedition to Borneo, rave reviews of performances at the Edinburgh Fringe, sports residential training camps, and a myriad of individual successes and endeavours. It was also a chance to celebrate the dedication of our outgoing choristers, and to welcome our new ones. I look forward to supporting the Head Choristers as they receive their medals at the Cathedral on Sunday.

I am delighted by how quickly our new boarders have settled. Our boarding community is integral to this School and connects Cornwall to all the continents of the world as well as many other regions of the UK. This is beneficial for all, and I am delighted to share the news that our School has been announced, alongside only seven other schools nationwide, as a finalist in the Independent Schools of the Year awards in its Boarding category. This is a real honour, an endorsement of the work our boarding team do, and the quality of the boarding community and the opportunities available here to them.

Our School is ever evolving, and we have a real focus this year on the educational and wider culture we learn and live within. Mrs Jobling continues to champion both the benefits and the range of our co-curricular programme, and the partnerships we have in the local and wider communities of which we are a part. Dr Pope and the academic team continue to shape and drive the strength, consistency, and inclusiveness of teaching and learning across the full age range of the School. And following feedback from staff, parents, and pupils alike last year, Mr Murphy has launched an updated policy on Positive Behaviour and Values that places education and values shaping at the heart of our approach to community life, and our responses to pupil behavioural choices. You will receive separate communication with details about these changes that I urge you to read and support. My team and I care greatly about the culture of our School and the quality of individual pupil journeys here, and that is a focus of our thinking this year.

I hope that you all enjoy a fine weekend, and I look forward to seeing many of you at School events over the course of the term and the year.

Mr Andy Johnson
Head

Saturday 9 September

Off-Site Visit: Lower Sixth Art A-Level
Location: Cape Cornwall

Sunday 10 September

- 13:00 Lower Sixth Art A-Level
Location: Cape Cornwall

All Day Music: First Sunday of the
Choir Year for All Choristers

Location: Truro Cathedral

10:00 - 17:00 Drama: "Am I Nuts!"
Rehearsal, Burrell Theatre

19:30 Drama: "Am I Nuts!"

Performance, Edinburgh Festival Show
& "Morven" Short Film, Burrell Theatre.

<https://www.burrelltheatre.com/whats-on/>

Monday 11 September

WEEK B CHARITY WEEK 5G

Co-Curricular Activities Commence

19:00 Drama: "Am I Nuts!"

Performance, Edinburgh Festival Show
& "Morven" Short Film, Burrell Theatre

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Tuesday 12 September

12:05 Golf Fixtures

Mixed-U18A vs ISGA Southern Schools
Cup

16:00 - 18:00 Drama: Senior Play &
Sixth Form Play Recall Auditions

Location: Room 51

18:00 - 19:30 Parent Event:

Lower Sixth Welcome Evening

Location: Burrell Theatre

Wednesday 13 September

14:05 - 15:50 Wednesday Afternoon
Activities Commence

15:00 Rugby Union Fixtures

Boys-U18A vs Mount Kelly

16:00 Hockey Fixtures

Girls 1st XI vs Truro and Penwith College

Thursday 14 September

09:30 - 10:45 Whole School Photo

18:00 - 19:30 Parent Event:

1st Year & New 2nd & 3rd Year
Parent Welcome Evening

Location: Burrell Theatre

Friday 15 September

13:30 Chapel: Holy Communion/
Covenant Service, Chapel

Saturday 16 September

Drama: Upper Sixth Location Filming

Location: Wheal Maid

09:45 Hockey Fixtures

Girls-U13A vs Blundell's School

Sunday 17 September

Drama: Upper Sixth Location Filming

Location: Wheal Maid

Monday 18 September

WEEK A CHARITY WEEK 5H

16:00 Netball Fixtures

Girls-U16A vs Penryn College

18:00 DofE Bronze Award

Launch Meeting via TEAMS

Tuesday 19 September

17:15 - 18:00 Parent Event:

Munich Parents' Information Evening

Location: Burrell Theatre

Wednesday 20 September

13:05 Golf Fixtures

Mixed-U18A vs Wellington School

15:15 Rugby Union Fixtures

Boys-U16A vs Redruth School

Boys-U15A vs Redruth School

Boys-U14A vs Redruth School

Boys-U13A vs Redruth School

Boys-U12A vs Redruth School

Boys-U12B vs Redruth School

15:45 Netball Fixtures

1st VII vs The Maynard School

Girls-U16A vs The Maynard School

Girls-U14A vs The Maynard School

15:45 Rugby Union Fixtures

Boys-U15A vs Penrice Academy

16:00 Hockey Fixtures

Girls-U15A vs Truro High School

18:30 Boarders' Chapel Service

Location: Chapel

19:30 Off-Site: "The Ocean at the
End of the Lane" 4th Yr - U6 Drama

Location: Hall For Cornwall

Thursday 21 September

13:30 - 14:00 Duke of Edinburgh

Silver Award Meeting

16:00 Netball Fixtures

Postponed Girls-U16A vs Penair School

Postponed Girls-U15A vs Penair School

Postponed Girls-U14A vs Penair School

Postponed Girls-U13A vs Penair School

Postponed Girls-U12A vs Penair School

16:15 Football Fixtures

Mixed-U16A vs St Ives School

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Friday 22 September

09:00 - 16:00 Off-Site: North
Cornwall Book Festival, St Endellion
1st - 3rd Year Book Club

12:00 Senior House Music
Competition
4th Year, 5th Year and Sixth Form entries
for this competition close.

13:30 - 14:00 DofE Gold Award
Meeting, Rm 82/83

17:30 - 20:30 Lower Sixth Quiz and
Curry Night, SFC & Sixth Form Cafe

Saturday 23 September

11:00 Hockey Fixtures
Girls 1st XI vs Plymouth College

12:00 Hockey Fixtures
Girls-U15A vs Plymouth College

14:30 Rugby Union Fixtures
Boys-U18A vs Mount Kelly
Boys-U18A vs Wellington School
Boys-U17A vs Mount Kelly Boys-U17B
Boys-U17A vs Wellington School
Boys-U15A vs Mount Kelly
Boys-U15A vs Wellington School
Boys-U14A vs Mount Kelly
Boys-U14A vs Wellington School
Boys-U13A vs Mount Kelly
Boys-U13A vs Wellington School

Boys-U12A vs Mount Kelly
Boys-U12A vs Wellington School

Sunday 24 September

13:30 - 15:45 Music: Diocesan Choral
Festival (Girl Choristers)
Location: Truro Cathedral

Clubs and Activities

An updated clubs and activities list can be viewed over the next two pages, it can also be viewed at > <https://www.truroschoo.com/senior-school/co-curricular/this-terms-schedule/>. Please note, there have been some changes since the list was sent earlier in the week so please do check this new version for confirmation.

All activities will start week beginning 11 September.

To access a club, a pupil should turn up at the stated room/time and register with the teacher present. There is no need to sign up in advance with the exception of Cookery School classes (please see below).

IMPORTANT COOKERY CLUB INFORMATION: Cookery clubs on a Monday and Tuesday run from 1600 to 1730 in the Cookery School. All ingredients and takeaway containers will be provided and there will be a charge for a full term of 12 lessons of £144 (£12 per session) which will be charged in arrears on the school bill. To reserve a space please email cookeryclubs@truroschoo.com clearly stating the name of the pupil, year group, cookery club and importantly any special dietary allergies or requirements. Please be aware that the cookery school is not a nut free environment, and whilst recipes can sometimes be adapted we cannot ensure that the cookery school is free of nuts.

Wednesday Afternoon Activities (WAA)

Thank you for all the WAA forms returned. Pupils have been told their allocation and the first WAA session is Wednesday 13 September. Once assigned, pupils will follow the WAA for the whole term, with Spring Term choices being made at Christmas. Swaps are not permitted for WAA.

Co-Curricular Clubs and Activities Autumn Term 2023/4

Time	Club/Activity	Venue	Staff	Year Group(s)
MONDAY				
Before school club (8am-8.50am)	Girl Choristers	M1	JAB	Invite only
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	1st Year Physics Club	Room 11	RJM	1st Year
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	B Natural Pop Choir	M1	SJW	1st - 3rd Year Girls
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Vocal Ensemble	M4	HM	4th, 5th Year & Sixth form - Invite only
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Brass Group	M6	AP	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Rock Band	Percussion Hut	LB	1st Year
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Biology Clinic	B4	SAH	4th & 5th Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	LAM	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	HIIIT	SBA	JES	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Squash	Squash Courts	SM	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Zentangle (Mindful Drawing - any ability)	Room 4	JDB	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Origami	DT1	KED	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Chapel Band	The Chapel	BRI	3rd, 4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Maths Enrichment Club	C3	JDB	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Cross Country	Fields	BVH	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	LAM	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Football	Pitches	GDH, RS, ACB	4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Netball	SBA/Top Courts	SJN & Netball staff	3rd, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Swimming	Pool	MR	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Rugby	Pitches	DJS, TME	3rd, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	International Theatre (Drama in Foreign Languages)	MFL, room 61	CLB	4th & 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Sock Creature Club	Room 3	MED	1st, 2nd, 3rd Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Maths Enrichment Club	Room 6	MED	Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Translation workshop	Room 62	IQ	1st, 2nd, 3rd Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	High Performance Fencing (invitation only)	Truro Fencing Centre salle	TFC coach/LRJ	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Junior drama enrichment	Room 51/Burrell	BTO/practitioner	1st, 2nd, 3rd Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Oxbridge Drop-in - enrichment and applications	Room 32	AS	5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5.30pm)	Hockey	Astro	JEO,PWW,VC,RAB,MY	1st, 2nd and 4th year girls
After school club (4pm-5.30pm)	Kitchen Skills	Cookery School	ALR/TMO	1st Year
After school club (4pm-6pm)	Life Drawing	Art Dept	MJB & DJM	All Years
After school club (5pm-6pm)	Badminton	SBA	NJS	Team players (by invitation)
TUESDAY				
Before school club (7am-8.00am)	Swimming	Pool	JR	All Years
Before school club (8am-8.50am)	Girl Choristers	M1	JAB	Invite only
Before school club (8.10am-8.40am)	Medics, Dentists, Vets (MDV) Pathways	Room B4	SAH	4th & 5th Year
Before school club (8.10am-8.40am)	Boys Barbershop	M6	PJT	All Years
Before school club (8.10am-8.40am)	Percussion Group	Percussion Hut	SW	All Years
Lunch club (1.00pm-2pm)	Competition Debating	Room 32	AS	5th Year & Sixth Form
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Flute Choir	M8	RB	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Chamber Choir	Chapel	JAB	Invite only
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Samba Band	Percussion Hut	SW	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Junior Band	M1	PJT	1st, 2nd & 3rd Year
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Computing Club	C0	WMV	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Creative Writing	Room 29	TJE	1st, 2nd & 3rd Year
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Science Discussion Club (week B only)	Room 14	TLC	4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Netball	SBA	SJN	1st Year
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Football (Girls)	Pitches	GDH, RS, SM	2nd, 3rd & 4th Year
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	SBA staff	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Maths Enrichment Club	C3	JDB	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Electronics Club	Electronics room 12A	RMW/ALL	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Business Clinic	Room 80	CT	Sixth Form
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Walk and Talk with Bumble	Learning Support centre	CAW	All Years - by arrangement with LS
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Cafe Bilingüe (Spanish conversation through games)	Room 64	LRJ	All Years - some prior knowledge of spanish required
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Diversity Club	Room 86	KAH	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Badminton	SBA	Cliff Morcom / CMO	1st Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Beginners' fencing club	Truro Fencing Centre salle	TFC coach/LRJ	1st & 2nd Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	High Performance Fencing (invitation only)	Truro Fencing Centre salle	TFC coach/LRJ	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Medics, Dentists, Vets (MDV) Pathways	Room B4	SAH	Lower Sixth
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Fitness Suite - girls only	Fitness Suite	ERS	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Senior Drama enrichment	Room 51/Burrell	BTO/practitioner	4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Subbuteo Club	Room 4	JDB	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	A level Physics Workshop	Room 10	ALL	Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Creative Arts	Art Room 3	GDR	4th & 5th Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Wind Band	M1	AP/RB	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Junior Strings	M8	SJW	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Judo	SBA	RJP	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	DT workshop and 3D printing	DT4	CHB	Max 16 - sign up in dept
After school club (4pm-5pm)	DT computer aided design	Computer room (DT1)	LRC	4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Trampoline (GCSE PE)	SBA	EBI	4th & 5th Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Squash	Squash Courts	TCS	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Football	Pitches	GDH/RS	3rd, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Fitness Suite (Girls only)	Fitness Suite	SBA staff	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Rugby	Pitches	TME, GCW, THC	1st, 2nd & 4th Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Rugby	Pitches	TME	5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Basketball	SBA	DL	1st, 2nd & 3rd Year
After school club (4pm-5.30pm)	Hockey	Astro	JEO/PWW/VC/RAB/MY	3rd, 5th & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5.30pm)	Autumn Kitchen	Cookery School	ALR/TMO	2nd & 3rd Year
After school club (5pm-6pm)	Indoor Hockey	SBA	PWW/MY	4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (5pm-6pm)	Basketball	SBA	DL	4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (5pm-6pm)	Squash	Squash Courts	TCS	Team players

WEDNESDAY				
Before school club (7am-8am)	Swimming	Pool	EB/CR	All Years
Before school club (8am-8.50am)	Girl Choristers	M1	JAB	Invite only
Before school club (8.15am-8.45am)	Boys Choir	M8	RTO	1st & 2nd Years
Before school club (8am-8.50am)	Rock Band	Percussion Hut	TH	2nd Year(invite only)
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Book Club	Library	JEH	1st, 2nd & 3rd Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Student Sustainability Group	B4	LLH	Sixth Form
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Maths Enrichment Club	C3	JDB/SAR	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	SBA staff	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Chess	Room 10	JFSM	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	High Performance Fencing (invitation only)	Truro Fencing Centre salle	TFC coach/LRJ	All Years
After school club (4pm-6pm)	Wargaming	Rm 53	MHS	All Years
THURSDAY				
Before school club (8am-8.50am)	Girl Choristers	M1	JAB	Invite only
Before school club (8.15am-8.45am)	Saxophone Ensemble	M11	RB	All Years
Before school club (8.15am-8.45am)	Chamber Orchestra	Chapel	RTO	Invite only
Breaktime (10.50am-11.10am)	Community Action Team (Charity Committee)	Rm 86	NSK and HA	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Debating Club in MFL	Room 61	CLB	5th Year & Sixth Form
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Early Music Group	M8	SJW	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Jazz Orchestra	M1	PJT	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Biology Clinic	B4	SAH	Sixth Form
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	SBA staff	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Netball	SBA	SJN/EBI	2nd & 4th Year
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Football (Girls)	Pitches	GDH/RS	1st, 2nd, 3rd & 4th Year
Lunch club 2 (1pm-1.30pm)	Electronics Club	Electronics Room 12A	RTP	1st & 2nd Year
Lunch club 2 (1pm-1.50pm)	Philosophy Club	Room 84	BRI, ADC	Sixth Form
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Maths Enrichment Club	C3	JDB/IAC	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Meditation (Week B Only)	B2	LLH	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Careers Clinic	Room 55	NSK	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Geology Club	Room 8	RAB	3rd & 2nd Year
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Posca Pen Club	Room AT1	AMR	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Maths Enrichment Club	Room 6	MED, SNE, JBN	Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	High Performance Fencing (invitation only)	Truro Fencing Centre salle	TFC coach/LRJ	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Workshop Skills (Week A only)	DT1	KED	1st, 2nd & 3rd Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	A level Physics Workshop	Room 10	RMW/RTP	Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-6.30pm)	Astronomy Club (starts in mid October) See Mr Laity	Observatory / Room 10	ALL	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	A Level Geology Enrichment and Support	Room 8	JHO	Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Symphony Orchestra	M1	GC	All Years (Grade 5 and above)
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Swimming	Pool	EB/CR	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Squash	Squash Courts	TCS	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Badminton	SBA	Badminton coaches	3rd, 4th, 5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Football	Pitches	GDH/RS	1st & 2nd Year
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	SBA staff	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	MDV Pathways (U6)	Room B4	SAH	Upper Sixth
After school club (4pm-5.30pm)	Hockey	Astro	SMP/PWW/MY	All Years Boys
After school club (4pm-5.30pm)	Triathlon Club	Pool/Pitches	JB	All Years
After school club (5pm-6pm)	Squash	Squash Courts	TCS	Team Players
After school club (5pm-6pm)	Badminton	SBA	Badminton coaches	All Years
FRIDAY				
Before school club (7am-8am)	Swimming	Pool	EB/CR	All Years
Before school club (7.30am-8.30am)	Tennis	SBA	SA	Invite only
Before school club (8.15am-8.45am)	Chamber Choir	M1	RTO	Invite only
Lunch club (1pm-1.50pm)	Magic: The Gathering	Sixth Form Meeting Room	RL	Invite only
Lunch club (1pm-2pm)	Girl Choristers	M1	JAB	Invite only
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Computing Club	C0	WMV	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	SBA staff	All Years
Lunch club 1 (1pm-1.30pm)	Bronze DoF drop in	DT middle computer room	LRC	3rd Year
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Psychology Club	Room 85	ERS	Sixth Form
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Maths Enrichment Club	C3	JDB	All Years
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Blooket Play	Room 61	CMM	1st Year
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	1st & 2nd Year Gardening Club	Epworth	FLT, SNE	1st & 2nd Year
Lunch club 2 (1.30pm-2pm)	Geology Practical Skills	Room 8	JHO	5th Year & Sixth Form
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Chess	Room 10	JFSM	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	High Performance Fencing (invitation only)	Truro Fencing Centre salle	TFC coach/LRJ	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Dance	SBA	Cornwall Dance	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Fitness Suite	Fitness Suite	SBA staff	All Years
After school club (4pm-5pm)	Tennis Beginners	SBA	SA	All Years
After school club (5pm-6pm)	Tennis Intermediates	SBA	SA	All Years
After school club (4pm-6pm)	Wargaming	Rm 53	MHS	All Years

Notes:

Lunchtime club 1 runs from 1pm-1.30pm. All pupils will then go to lunch at 1.35pm, or a teacher will pre-order and supervise the eating of packed lunches. Lunchtime club 2 runs from 1.30pm-2pm. All pupils will have lunch following the rota, or a teacher will pre-order and supervise the eating of packed lunches. There are no early lunch passes due to the volume of pupils involved in clubs.

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Everest Parent Portal - Message for New Parents

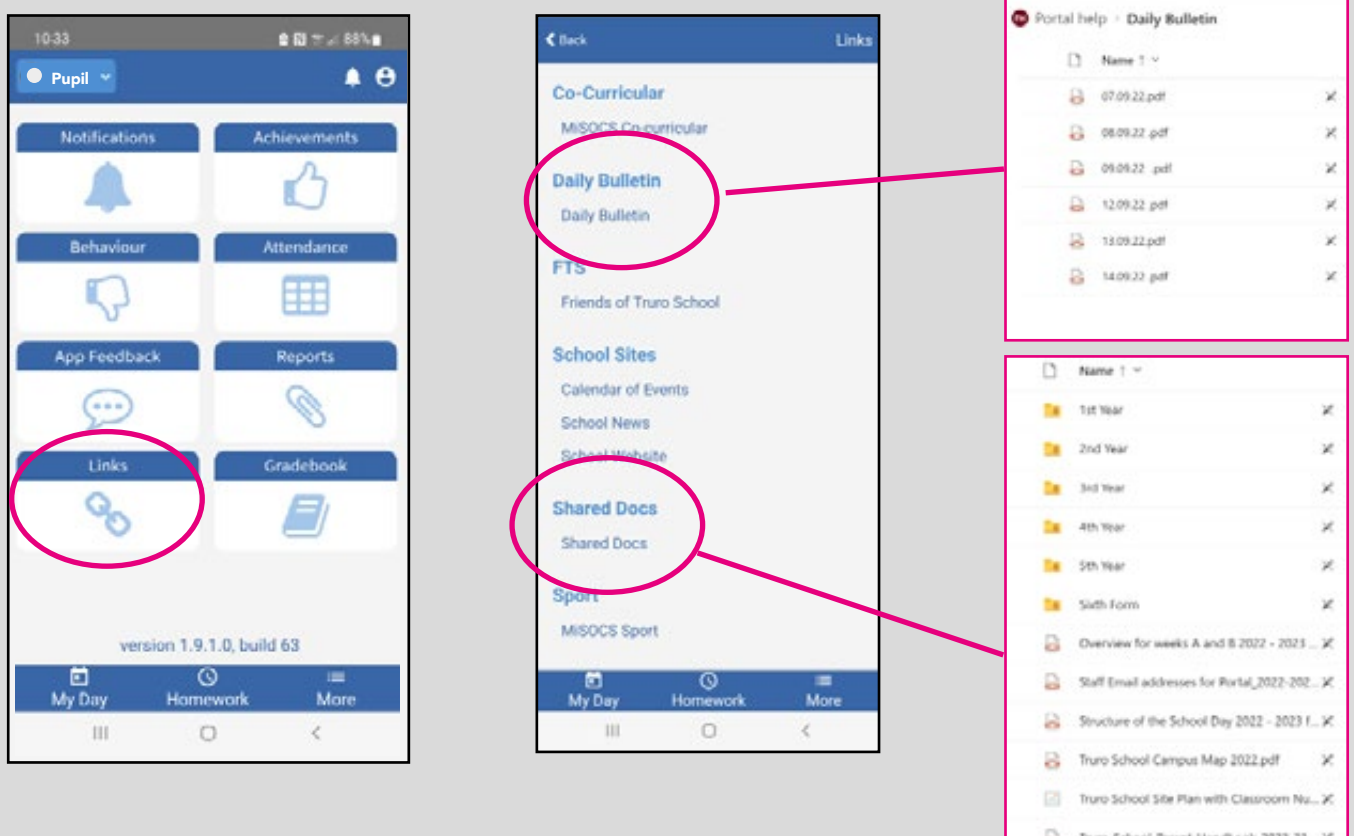
Every pupil has been shown how to log on to "Everest", the pupil's version of the Parent Portal. Here they can view their timetable and homework planner, along with notifications, commendations, attendance and reports. Tutors will work with the pupils to ensure that they are using it effectively.

Next week, parents will also receive an invitation which contains a link for them to "Start Your Journey" along with step by step instructions on how to log in. This will begin the registration process and allow you to link your account to the school. Once you have completed the registration process, a second email will follow, directing you to download the app. You can also access it in a web browser on your computer, if you prefer. Please contact portalhelp@truroschool.com if you have any problems accessing Everest.

The Everest Home Page will take you to your child's information. It will also give you access to their timetable, homework and notifications. The Shared Docs folder on Everest (please see image below) contains useful information such as 'Weeks A and B', 'Structure of the School Day', 'School Site Plan', 'Staff Names' and 'How to Use Misocs Guides'. The password for this folder is written on the link in Everest.

Pupil notices are shared on the Daily Bulletin each morning. These notices are read by form tutors to their tutees during form time. A copy of the Daily Bulletin is also available to view in the Everest Portal under Links (please see image below).

How to access Shared Docs on Everest



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Finalist in the Independent School of the Year Awards

We are thrilled to share the exciting news that we have been selected as a Finalist in the Independent School of the Year Awards. The Independent Schools of the Year awards are well-established as the independent school sector's leading awards programme, and delivering and supporting educational excellence lies at the heart of each award.

Up against hundreds of prestigious schools across the country, we are delighted to become one of only seven finalists in the Independent Boarding School of the Year Category. The winner will be announced at a ceremony in October.

Truro School Head, Andy Johnson, said, "We are very pleased that the hard work of all our staff, and in particular our boarding team, has been recognised in this way. Our boarding community at Truro School is diverse and close-knit, happy and purposeful, and links Cornwall to all the far-reaching parts of the world. As a smaller community than in some other Schools the experience for the children is individually supported and empowering, and our School facilities – sporting, creative and educational – are first-rate. We also, of course, take full advantage of our enviable location in the Cornish City of Truro, from where we have ready access every weekend to sea, the coastlines, or the beautiful countryside all around. Our boarders cherish their experiences here and make friends for life, and we are very proud of them all."

To view a full list of this year's Finalists, please click [here](#).

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Autumn Term Commences

It was a busy first day back for our Senior School pupils as they spent the morning reconnecting with their friends and getting stuck into lessons before enjoying a well-earned lunch break.

After lunch, the whole school ventured to Truro Methodist Church for the annual beginning of term service, where they focussed on the year ahead and this year's school value, courage.



1st Year Induction Day

It was a busy day for our 1st Years as we welcomed them for the start of their Senior School journey. They participated in a carousel of activities, getting to know their new classmates and teachers throughout the day.

The pupils enjoyed a get-to-know-me tutor session, finding out about their peers, a range of team-building activities and orienteering around the school site, as well as an introduction to the gym, IT and maths.



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Summer Sporting Round Up



As well as enjoying a well-deserved break over the summer holidays some of our pupils have been busy achieving extraordinary things in their sporting worlds.

At the end of last term, both our U14 cricket team and Sixth Form football players were excited to share their successes in the finals of their matches with Upper Sixth winning the League Cup and the cricketers being crowned county champions.

In athletics news, Billy and Matilda represented Cornwall in the Southwest Intercounties Championships. Billy placed a fantastic 1st in both the U13 Boys 100m and 200m with Matilda placing 3rd in the 100m and 4th in the 200m for the U13 girls.

Our tennis players have also had a busy summer; Millie and Jonny won the U12 James Webster County Champions girls and boys singles title, and Archie was crowned County Champion in the Men's single.

Our hockey players have also had an array of achievements with Grace N and Summer R being selected for the West Panthers Hockey team, and Summer being awarded the West Panthers Players Player of the Tournament. Findlay W continued to win international caps as he played for Scotland U16s in Granada in the 8 Nations tournament. He was also selected for the Scottish Hockey's BRAVE Cup. Meanwhile, Sophie D played in the prestigious England Hockey Talent Academy Festival in Nottingham playing the University of Exeter TA.

Daisy H and Naomi H headed off to the European Triathlon and Laser Run Championships in Erding, Germany. The girls had a busy few days racing and achieved medal positions in some of their races which was even more impressive considering this was their first time competing in the U15 and U17 categories.

Congratulations to cricketers James, Max, Theo, Sam, Ollie & Jack who all represented the county this summer playing some fantastic cricket across the southwest. And, well done to Kayleigh C who made the final selection for the

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prestigious Centre of Excellence (COE) rugby union programme for the 2023-24 season.

Congratulations to Woody who has just enjoyed a great couple of days representing ISFA football U14 National side and to Barnaby, Willoughby, Matilda and others who had a successful time competing for Portreath at the National Surf Lifesaving National Champs (Nipper's comp) at Branksome Chine last weekend.

A group of our athletes in the 5th Year and Sixth Form spent a few days completing a pre-season camp at Ashbury Manor. Completing fitness activities, rounds of golf and having a dip in the hydrotherapy pool were all on the agenda, as well as playing Rugby and Football.

Finally, a huge well done to formal pupil Freddie Issaka who, after leaving Truro School last year, has signed his first professional contract with Plymouth Argyle.

We look forward to sharing more sporting achievements from the term ahead.

A Huge Welcome to our Boarders

Last weekend, we said a huge welcome to this year's cohort of boarders. It was lovely to greet new members whilst welcoming back familiar faces. The year started with a big boarding barbeque open to the boarding community's family and friends; it was a lovely way to start the year in the glorious sunshine.

Our boarders spent the day getting to know each other with various activities, including a trip to Truro for a scavenger hunt where they teamed up with their new roommates to collect different items whilst familiarising themselves with their new surroundings.





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Please join us for our

OPEN MORNING

Saturday 7
October 2023

Co-educational excellence for ages 11-16



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TRURO SCHOOL SIXTH



Please join us for our

OPEN EVENING

Tuesday 26
September 2023

Co-educational excellence for ages 16-18



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let's celebrate



OKTOBER FEST

AT TRURO SCHOOL

SATURDAY 21 OCTOBER
7 PM

£12 A TICKET TO INCLUDE:
BAVARIAN OOMPAH BAND
BRATWURST SAUSAGE
A BEVERAGE

We're excited to welcome the Truro School
Community to an afternoon of festivities
featuring live music and food at this year's
Oktober Fest.

To book tickets visit

<https://www.burrelltheatre.com/whats-on/>

or email events@truroschoo.com



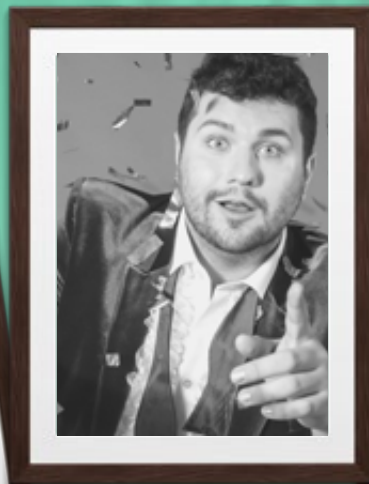


What's On



**DIVORCED,
BEHEADED, DIED:
AN AUDIENCE
WITH KING HENRY
VIII**

22 SEPT



CONFETTI
29 SEPT



**SARAH
MCQUAID**
2 DEC



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TRURO
SCHOOL
COOKERY

Cookery Classes

**Bookings Now Open
to Spring 2024!**

Our Cookery Classes are now available to book up to Spring 2024, with some exciting new classes added.

There are parent and child classes, classes for 2 (an ideal opportunity to catch up with a friend or family member over some delicious food, a cookery lesson and a glass or two of wine) and there are also day classes available for those who want to maximise their skills.

For a full list of our new classes, check out the Truro School Cookery website >
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**PETE
WARD**
EXHIBITION

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Private View Event Thursday 19 October 5-8pm

Pete Ward Pigments Workshop Saturday 21 October

Pete Ward 'In Conversation' Event Saturday 4 October

Saturday and Sunday 21/22 October 10am - 3pm

Saturday and Sunday 28/29 October 10am - 3pm

Saturday and Sunday 4/5 November 10am - 3pm

Saturday and Sunday 11/12 November 10am - 3pm

Saturday and Sunday 18/19 November 10am - 3pm

Saturday 25 November 10am - 3pm

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Royal Parks Run

Former Truro School Student George Purchas (CO22) is running a half marathon this October with his mum to raise awareness of Frontotemporal Dementia (FTD), a rare condition which has affected their family.

'Team Purchas' will be running the Royal Parks Half Marathon 2023 on 8 October 2023.

To support them in their journey, please visit their [Just Giving page here](#).



Are you interested in playing rugby?

Truro Rugby Club offers training in a safe and fun environment for all girls and boys from the age of 6 to 18.

trurorugby@gmail.com



Gabrielle Teaney

FOUND IN CORNWALL

9 Sept. - 30 Sept 2023
VERYAN galleries

Truro School parent, Gabrielle Teaney is hosting an exhibition at the Veryan Galleries on the Roseland. The exhibition opens this Saturday from 2pm - 4pm and all are welcome.