

# NEWSLETTER

A huge thank-you to The Hall for Cornwall for the tickets to watch 'The Tin Man'. For many children this was the first time they had been to the theatre to watch a dance (rather than a play). Oak and Cherry were lucky enough to have a workshop with one of the dancers on Thursday. It gave them the opportunity to ask questions about the show as well as explore the story themselves through dance. I loved seeing some of their own versions of it. The dance company's director and the choreographer for the show actually attended Portreath School himself! I had the pleasure of showing Joss around the school and it evoked lots of memories for him! I hope this will inspire our children to see that with passion and hard work you can have a wonderful career in the arts.

This week Mrs Doble and myself met with the Pupil Leadership Team to discuss their roles and responsibilities. I know that they are going to do a great job of helping to make the school an even better place to be.

Congratulations to our reading challenge competition winners: Maddie, Seb, Esme, Lowen, Danica and Mrs Forsdick. I was blown away by all the children's creativity. So many fabulous places to read. We will create a display of the photos for everyone to enjoy. I hope that they enjoy spending their book tokens.

Thanks to Mrs Forsdick for running a phonics information session for the Reception parents this week and thank-you to all those who managed to attend.

Teachers will be sending home the welcome letters and curriculum leaflets (if they haven't already) along with the knowledge organisers. Please look out for them on Dojo. We are keen to share information with parents and carers.

Don't forget next Friday is Jeans for Genes day - please make a donation on our Just giving page:

<http://www.justgiving.com/jeansforgenesday22667>

**Cassie Pamplin**

## CERTIFICATES OF EXCELLENCE



Maple Class: Mimi - For being a happy and wonderful learner in Maple class.

Rowan Class: Jaygo - For working independently and with focus.

Sycamore Class: Izzy - For having a fantastic attitude to her learning.

Oak Class: Olivia - For being fully focused in lessons and for having such a positive attitude.

Cherry Class: Heidi - For excellent participation in every lesson.

## SPORTS STAR



This week's Sports Stars is: Clara

## STAR WRITERS



Maple Class: Noah

Rowan Class: Madison

Sycamore Class: Soren

Oak Class: Gladys

Cherry Class: Elliot

## VALUE CHAMPIONS



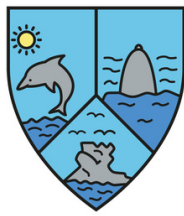
Maple Class: Noah

Rowan Class: Bodhi

Sycamore Class: Esme

Oak Class: Will

Cherry Class: Evelyn



# Portreath Primary School

**Safeguarding/Health and Safety**

If you ever have any concerns about a child or a member of staff please report them to:  
 The Designated Safeguarding Lead:  
 Cassie Pamplin, headteacher  
 The Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead:  
 Lucie Clarke, assistant head


Please ensure that you let us know if you move or get a new phone number. It is essential that the children's records are up to date. We will be sending home your data sheets to check next week. We have at least 2 contacts for every child but we would like to make that 3 please add a 3rd one to the data sheet if there are only 2. Thanks



## THOUGHT OF THE WEEK



I am good.  
 I am valuable.  
 I am able.



**Tin Man Performance at The Hall for Cornwall**  
 All the children in Year 1 to Year 6 went to the Hall for Cornwall to watch The Tin Man. This was chorographed by Joss Arnott, a former pupil at Portreath School.



## National Dance Day

We enjoyed lots of dancing today at lunch time to celebrate National Dance day which is tomorrow.

