

# THE REDRUTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## County Champions

The Year 7s won their 2nd County Championship of the year, this time in the Rugby 7's version of the game. The 11 squad members competed all day at Pool School on Wednesday 23rd March. The team beat Newquay Tretherras, Helston and Fowey schools in the group stages. In the quarter finals they beat Truro School 4-2 on tries. In the semi finals they beat Richard Lander 4-1 and saved the best for last in the final against Penryn, winning 5-1. The teams conduct and attitude was superb throughout the day and well supported by parents and coaching staff, Mr Prior and Mr Bartlett.

Full team:

Michael Basset, Jayden Oakes, Ben Mancini, Louis Kessell, Jake Ware, Seb Stevens, Charlie Varker, Charlie Ware, Matt Rose, Kieran Trehwella, Conrad Grohmann.



## Spring Success for Redruth Art Students

Redruth students have achieved double success at two local events.

The Young Peoples Art Prize 2016 held at the Exchange Gallery Penzance, prize winners: Carlo Rossie and Andreea Strugariu. The following students have their work displayed; Kai Andrewartha, Lucy Hulme, Miguel Poole and Vicky Hathaway. The exhibition runs until 16th April and is inspired by the work of David Blandy's 'Avatar Me'.

Falmouth Flower Festival exhibited GCSE photography work as part of their annual festival. First place to Emmy Henn, 2nd Aisha Mouhout and Highly Commended Jasmine Moss.



## Wear a Hat Day

Staff and students took part in Wear a Hat Day, and raised just over £400! £100 of this has been raised for Macmillan and was in support of Quentin Lee who shaved all his hair off. Well done to him for being so brave! The other £300 will be going to the Brain Tumour Research charity. (school staff pictured below).



## Bodmin Jail

Year 9 visited Bodmin Jail as part of their GCSE study into the history of Crime and Punishment. The trip allowed students to make links with their learning about capital punishment through exploring the cases of the last souls to be executed in Cornwall."



## CITIZENSHIP FOR LIFE

Congratulations to Matthew King, Year 9 student who has been chosen to have a place on the award winning Citizenship for Life Programme. Matthew was one of 15 pupils who made it through the interview stage in the process and he did exceptionally well! Citizenship for Life is an inspiring twelve month programme, and helps the participants learn how to be a "good citizen" and what being a "good citizen" really means. At the end of their year, Matthew and the other students will perform a short presentation at a prestigious celebration event for 200 people, summarising their year on the programme and what inspired them the most. They will be awarded a certificate by Terry Waite, CBE who is the President of Citizenship for Life.



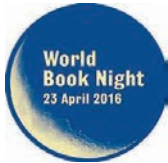


## Rugby Academy

Jordan Sidwell played for Exeter Academy at the Regional U15 Academy Festival at Cleve RFC. He was involved in games against Harlequins, Bath, Bristol and London Irish Academies. They won two matches, drew one match and lost one match. He is hoping to be selected for the squad that goes to Harrow School to play in another festival.



## World Book Night



To celebrate World Book Night, Redruth Learning Resource Centre will be open to parents and carers on Monday 25 April from 3.00pm -3.30pm. Redruth LRC has been chosen to be a World Book Night book giver and 30 copies of Treachery by S J Parris will be given away to parents and carers on a first come first served basis. Reviewers of Treachery have said: "S J Parris's latest Giordano Bruno thriller transports us to an Elizabethan world of mystery, murder and discovery. It is pacy, intricate and frequently thrilling." Rated 4.5/5 on Amazon!

## Japanese Art

Year 8 students have been working with Krowji artist Betty Davies to create a Japanese inspired, installation piece.

The Japanese tradition of Senbazuru entails folding 1000 paper cranes. The crane is a symbol of health, loyalty, truth, peace and beauty. When a total of 1,000 is reached a wish will be granted. It is often said the more people involved the more luck one will have. You can see the installation piece at the Krowji. Betty will be visiting Calais refugee camps where the project will also be taking place.

