



# THE REDRUTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## Stem Festival

Fifty students were selected to visit Plymouth University to attend the Festival of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Maths). The event began with a lecture on Artificial Intelligence and considered how computers are being



programmed to become more a part of every day life. Students had a number of events in the STEM Marquee with hands on activities including, virtual reality, learning and working robots, chemistry in action, blood testing, monitoring of earthquakes and weather, maths in engineering and wave technology. Students enjoyed the event enormously.



## WE NEED YOUR HELP!

In support of the RLG Dance event 2019, we have been lucky enough to have been offered the opportunity by Tesco to be involved

in the token scheme. Tesco customers can deposit their blue token into one of three boxes with the most chosen project being given £4000.

To us, £4000 will secure the future for this dance event for many years to come and ensure that a minimum of 300 children each year get the chance to dance and for hundreds of people to experience an inspirational evening in our town.

We are asking you to:

- Go into Tesco and drop your token into the RLG box
- Contact as many of your extended families to do the same
- Like and share this information which is on our Facebook page – RLG Dance 2019

The voting is live now and you will be able to vote until the end of February. THANK YOU!



## BE A STAMP CHAMP

Please bring any used stamps to Student Reception. They will be used to raise money for CLIC SARGENT Homes from Homes.

## Man of the Match

Congratulations to Logan, Year 7, who won Man of the Match on the 20th January. Logan plays for Troon Panthers, under 12s Football.



## Director of Childrens Services

Last Wednesday five students went, with the Chair of Governors, Mari Egging, to Cornwall County Chambers in Truro, to interview



the new Services Director for Education and Early Years. Once we arrived, we posed our questions to the candidates. All three were very experienced and the students had different favourites! The trip was an insight into the people who have a massive impact in our schools and nurseries. We thoroughly enjoyed the opportunity to be involved. Written by Martha Richards, Year 10.

## Film Club

Students from Years 7-9 have been attending Redruth's Into Film club on Thursdays after school. This week we started to watch 'Wonder' and debated the character actions, differences between the book and the film, as well as the wider impact of the film.



Come and join us in Room 51 every Thursday - pick a film you would like to see or share with the club.

## Duke of Edinburgh Silver Award

On Wednesday 23rd January we were delighted and very excited to hold our 3rd Duke of Edinburgh Awards Presentation evening for our first ever Silver Awards. We were also honoured to have our guest speaker Mr Ivor Thomson, HM Volunteer Coastguard and Managing Director of Natural Generation Ltd, who gave a great inspirational and motivational speech. The DofE and all school staff are extremely proud of what our students have overcome to achieve this prestigious award and we just want to say huge congratulations to you all!



## RAF Cadets

Students from Year 8 and above were invited to join 77 (Redruth) Air Cadets this week. Warrant Officer, Wendy Yarde-Dent and Erin Yuleton provided information about the activities available; flying, shooting, gliding, adventure training, archery, first aid and more. The Cadets meet every Tuesday and Thursday at RAF Portreath, arrive at 18.45, finish at 21.30.

For further information, find Redruth Air Cadets on Facebook, email [adj.77@aircadets.org](mailto:adj.77@aircadets.org) or call 01209 843883 during squadron evenings Tuesdays and Thursdays.



**Year 8 Options Evening  
Thursday 7th February**