



REDRUTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Legal Advice

Year 9 MABLE Students were given an opportunity to meet with a former Redruth School student who is now a partner with international law firm CMS. CMS were named 'Law Firm of the Year 2018' at the British Legal Awards and were listed in the top 50 Employers for Women 2019 -The Times.



Cheryl Gurnham deals with both investment and development opportunities and last year published a paper, 'Taking steps towards a sustainable future'.

Cheryl spoke to the students about her life as a student at Redruth, studying A levels and progressing to university in Bristol. She spoke about the importance of resilience and not giving up when things don't go to plan. Endeavour to work hard but also to keep up with hobbies and interests.

Students were fascinated by her talk and asked lots of pertinent questions relating to, earnings potential, apprenticeship opportunities and further studying options. Cheryl's presentation left the students feeling highly motivated and thoughtful about their future plans.

Girls Football

Well done to the Year 8 girls who took part in the Cornwall School Games Finals for football last Friday.

Without conceding a goal in their pool they progressed to a tough game against winners Newquay Tretherras. Some great performances from the team, well done!



Cornwall Schools Games

Well done to the U13 boys Development Rugby team for winning the Cornwall Schools Games last Friday

They played excellent rugby throughout the day, topping their group after a golden try in 3 mins of extra time v Looe School and

wins against St Ives and Poltair.

The final was a rematch against Richard Lander, who beat our boys in the regional qualifiers.

In a very physical and close final Redruth won with a one try to nil victory.



Book Donations

We would welcome donations of books to the Library, particularly if anyone has outgrown their David Walliams, Roald Dahl or Tom Gates books.



Stamp Appeal CLIC Sargent

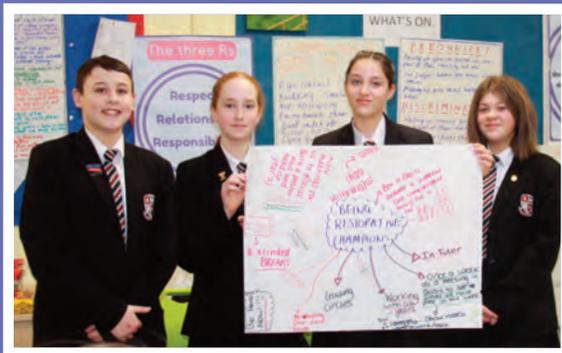
Please remember bring in any stamps to school.

They are used to raise money for CLIC Sargent's Homes from Homes.



Peer Mentors

A group of Year 9 students took part in a workshop to help support fellow students. An emphasis on solution focused thinking was used to consider strategies to help when students are feeling anxious or worrying about problems or obstacles which they face. Restorative Justice Working helped the students think creatively about helping and supporting others. Students were delighted to be selected to take part and are looking forward to being of support when needed.



Breakfast with the Head

A group of students enjoyed breakfast with Headteacher, Mr Martin on Tuesday morning. Students were nominated by their teachers for displaying conduct and behaviour that goes above and beyond expectations. Congratulations to all!



Community Litter Pick

Holly Thompson volunteered her free time last Sunday to join a small group of people completing a village litter pick. Holly arrived in Porthleven to help and spent the day collecting rubbish from the roadside, hedgerows and watercourses. A total of 37 black bags were filled, with larger items being disposed of by the Council.



Judo

Redruth Judo Club took a small team to two competitions last weekend. Firstly, Southfields Judo Competition in Leicester where Vita, Jamie and Tecca took part along with four other club members.



Vita competed in the weight group U60kg and won Gold.

Jamie fought in her group U70kg and won Silver.

Tecca followed in her group U65kg and won Gold.

The girls then took part in their first university competition at Warwick University, competing against opponents much older than them. They were the youngest competitors taking part but this did not phase them. Vita and Tecca were in the same group U63kg. Vita won Gold and Tecca came away with a Bronze.

Jamie's weight group (U70kg) became amalgamated with a heavier group and although she was fighting with opponents much larger than her, she secured a Silver medal! A great result!

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