

# THE REDRUTH SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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## High Fliers!

Last term, a group of Redruth School students were privileged to be treated to an aerial flight around the Cornish coast as a reward for winning a STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Maths) competition at Cornwall College. The flight saw the students take off from Land's End Airport (after a brief visit and ice cream at Sennon!) They flew down the Hayle Estuary, around St. Michael's Mount and past Penzance and Newlyn just to name a few locations. The students had an amazing time and were able to get some incredible pictures of our beautiful Cornish coast.



## Millionaires!

We have had our first batch of Accelerated Reader millionaires! Daniel Wilson, Oliver Burt, Stephanie Semmons, Dylan Mitchell and Will Barber have all read over a million words this year and received certificates and a £10 book voucher each.

We also had a prize draw for all those who have achieved 100% in their Accelerated Reader quizzes. The lucky winners all received a Redruth Regal cinema ticket which were very kindly donated. Many thanks to the Regal cinema for their continued support



## Homework Club

Homework Club is open every morning  
8 am - 8.25 am  
and after school  
(Monday - Thursday)  
3 pm - 4 pm



Homework Club is available to all students. If your computer/printer is not working or internet access is poor, then come to homework club.

## Congratulations

Reegan Copp, Year 10, passed his grade 8 drum exam in December.



## British Indoor Rowing Championships

Well done to Year 10 student Josh Thomas who, before Christmas, competed in the British Rowing Indoor Championships, held at the iconic London Olympic Velodrome. The weekend hosted the largest ever national competition with competitors as young as Year 7 competing in the same venue as British Olympians. Josh competed in 2 events, the Year 10 boys 5 minute event, coming 9th rowing 1450 metres, and the Year 10 boys 500 metre 'sprint', finishing 13th in 1.36 minutes. The results show the intensity of the racing with only seconds separating the whole results sheet. It is no surprise that Britain is the strongest nation in the world with such depth in its own national championships. Good luck for the remaining indoor and outdoor season of 2017 Indoor Rowing.



## Cornwall Schools Indoor Rowing

Redruth School attended the Cornwall Schools Games Indoor Rowing at Penair School. With 20 students competing, they were put to the test by completing a 2 minute (Year 7), 3 minute (Year 8) or 4 minute (Year 9) maximal row. Around 20 schools participated. The students performed brilliantly and all gave their best efforts.

Trinity Evans-Altass  
India Bennett-O'Brien,  
Charlie Varker and Luke Mancini, were medal winners.



REDRUTH SCHOOL PROUDLY PRESENTS...

# HIGH SCHOOL MUSICAL



7, 8 & 9th February @ 7pm. Tickets from main reception or contact 012092403700 / [enquiries@redruth.cornwall.sch.uk](mailto:enquiries@redruth.cornwall.sch.uk)