



Friday 16th June 2023

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Are you looking for a fun and exciting way to spend your Saturday? Look no further than **Hayle Carnival!** Children across the school have been busily making some fantastic models and props and the Penpol contingent looks set to be larger and louder than ever.



We would love for you to be involved. Please do come down to the recreation ground from 5pm tomorrow and get your groove on! The theme is *Alice in Wonderland* and you are very welcome to dress up if you choose. We would love for the Penpol community to come together to celebrate the event and several of our team will be there. However, please do ensure that you **maintain oversight of your child** throughout – thank you.

This week saw yet another round of school camps, this time for Year 3. Travelling to Footsteps of Discovery, just outside Newquay, these intrepid pupils got involved with all kinds of outdoor activities before bedding down for the night under canvas. Each and every one of them tackled new challenges and all should be enormously proud. Thank you one again to all on our team involved in going above and beyond to make these memories possible.

This week, we welcomed back our **international prize-winning Penpol Pumpkins**. In case you missed it, they outperformed their wildest expectations, winning **fourth place in the Core Values award**. It is hard to convey in words the enormity of this achievement, and we are all very proud of these jet-lagged robotic engineers. Enormous thanks are owed to Jacob Woolcock who, with Paul Hudson's support, has been an inspirational driving force behind this incredible opportunity. We look forward to seeing what's next for robotics at Penpol! To catch up on what they got up to on their adventure, you can read and watch the blogs and vlogs here: <https://www.penpolschool.co.uk/pumpkinblog/>



Wishing you a restful weekend.

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