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What a day indeed!

We can safely say that our 200th Anniversary Celebration Open Afternoon on Thursday, 23rd October exceeded all our expectations. What a happy time everyone had at Veryan on the Open afternoon . Thank you to everybody who supported us during the Anniversary week! Fr Doug started the events with a special Friday Collective Worship in our newly refurbished classroom, Kiberick, which was followed by Coffee & Cakes in aid of Macmillan. Thank you everyone who came and enjoyed the social time with us.

Monday saw a visit from Rt Rev Bishop Tim who spent some time in class visiting and sharing with the children - before leading a very special celebration thanksgiving in Church for all pupils, parents and guests at the end of the morning.

'Yesterday's School' exhibition ran through the week in Veryan Church by Christine Edwards and Sue Truscott and was extended over half-term as there was so much interest. Thanks to them for their hard work researching and collecting exhibits - everyone who visited were delighted. We had a celebration lunch on Wednesday, and Thursday saw us open our doors to parents, friends, relatives and past pupils. All visitors were treated to a cream tea, put on by the PFA.

Our special guests on the day were Mrs Benney (now 101 yrs old) and Mrs Ford (99) who were reunited after more than 80 years. They used to go to school together here and recalled what it was like attending Veryan school in those days! We were also treated to a special visit from Mrs Unsworth who was a teacher here for many years, and has educated children from all over the parish, and several generations of some families! Her pupils had very fond memories of being in her class. Other teachers who were also able to make the celebrations, Mrs Elizabeth Davies and Ms Christine Faupall were delighted to see how the school has changed and grown.

The afternoon went far too quickly, with entertainment from all the classes—dance and singing—and a much looked at exhibition of photos, memorabilia etc of recent times here at Veryan.

All the kind comments and smiling faces really made it a very special occasion for all. Thank you everyone for all your hard work, and support! What a birthday!

Youngest pupil's gift to the eldest!



Our special visitors: Mrs Benney 101 Mrs Ford 99, Miss Unsworth 96,Mrs Julyan 87



A full, full school!

We really hope that we will be able to continue this 200 year theme through the coming 12 months and would love to do another exhibition with more photos and memorabilia that we know exists in homes and families locally. So, if you would like to see more and can help by searching your photo albums, boxes, lofts etc—we would

love to here from you!

FORTHCOMING SCHOOL EVENTS







Veryan Church of England Trimary School

CCLCBRATION
OF
CHRISTMAS



Wednesday, 10th December
Veryan Church
6.00pm
ALL WELCOME!
Please celebrate the start of
Christmas with us!

December dates for school:

5th Dec - receipt of cakes, homemade bakes etc for School Fayre

6th Dec - Veryan School PFA Christmas Fayre 2pm, Veryan Parish Hall

10th Dec - School Carol Service - 6.00pm, Veryan , Parish Church

17th Dec - School entertain the Veryan Senior Citizen's Christmas

Party - Veryan Parish Hall

19th Dec - School Christmas Party afternoon