



**Hands Off  
Our Schools**

# ST. TUDY & ST. MABYN COMMUNITY ACTION GROUP NEWSLETTER

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## PLEASE TAKE ONE

Welcome to our third issue! Last week saw a lot of media interest and we are all starting to make an impact. It is becoming clear to the Council and the Diocese that we will pursue this until we achieve the goal of keeping our two schools in their own respective villages.

### THE REFERENDUM

Arrangements have been proceeding well with the referendum, with both shops reporting a tremendous level of voters posting their ballot papers. We have only had a few phone calls from people who are missing their papers. Everyone eligible to vote should have received a voting pack by now. If you haven't, please call **Chris Mugford** on **01208 851 067** immediately and a spare pack will be issued.

Please remember that the polls close at **12:00 noon on Friday 27th November** – only a few days away. The result will be declared early during week commencing 30th November.

If you haven't voted yet, please make sure you do. A vote not cast is as bad as a "no" vote. If the proportion of people who don't vote is significant, it will be assumed that the communities don't really care about the future of their schools or the sustainability of their villages.

**Vote "Yes" and make our voices heard!**

### PUBLIC MEETINGS

The Council and the Diocese have arranged two public meetings. These meetings should be an opportunity for the Council and the Diocese to listen to our concerns. Our Action Group are not going to be taking an active role in these meetings as we have a separate session planned with the Council a few days after. We will be in attendance though.

MONDAY 30<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER, ST TUDY PRIMARY SCHOOL – 6pm PARENTS SESSION – 7pm WIDER COMMUNITY SESSION  
TUESDAY 1<sup>st</sup> DECEMBER, ST MABYN PRIMARY SCHOOL – 6pm PARENTS SESSION – 7pm WIDER COMMUNITY SESSION

### A BIG THANK YOU

We would like to say a big thank you to everyone that has helped raise funds or donated a prize to support our campaign. Below is a list of all local companies that were generous enough to donate raffle prizes for our pub quiz, coffee, cake and book signing afternoon and for future events. A huge thank you also goes to **Jill Murphy** for her booking signing and **Sue Dibble** for holding her coffee morning. A big thank you also to all who helped or attended these events to help keep our schools in our villages.

St Mabyn Post Office  
St Mabyn Inn  
Lidl Supermarket Wadebridge  
J Shoes Wadebridge  
Malcom Barnecutt Wadebridge

Day Lewis Wadebridge  
Elixir Health Foods Wadebridge  
Bricknells Wadebridge  
Mill Autoquip Wadebridge  
St Kew Golf Course

Completely Hat Stand  
Majestic Wine  
The Beauty Spot  
William and Son Wadebridge  
St Tudy Village Store

The Granary Wadebridge  
The Tea Shop Wadebridge  
Bake n' Bite  
Regal Cinema Wadebridge

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