Pensans Post

Summer term 06/07/2018

PRUNS ANS

Dear Parents and Carers,

The end of term is fast approaching; please check the website and your child's book bag for any dates and times of events. We have had some wonderful highlights this year including; sporting events, project outcomes, charity fundraising, community projects, a successful OFSTED inspection and the development of provision for two year olds.

Thank you for your support - you have the biggest impact on your child's achievement. Supporting them with their learning, having a positive attitude to school and recognising the importance of education are key to their future success.

I look forward to seeing you at our end of term events.

Have a good weekend

Angela Clay, Headteacher

Last week a team of 6 players competed in a High Five contest at Penwith College. Up against nine other teams from other local schools, set in two pools. In our pool we lost one game, drew one & won two. They then went on to win their play off 2:0. So we came 5th in the competition over all. There were also two skill challenges to do between games which our players all kept having goes at, trying to get the highest scores for the day. Hyelie won a medal for highest score on the ball bounce challenge & Reegan got the highest boys goal shoot score. With the others all getting some of the best scores for the day. The team played with much skill, determination & great team work throughout. Well done Team Pensans!





Job vacancy

We are currently expanding our team of lunchtime supervisors. If you would be interested please check our 'Vacancies' page on our school website. From 12pm to 1pm each week day, term time only.



Is your child's class attendance on track? Our Spring attendance target is 97%. At 93.59% attendance we are below our target.

| Class | Weekly % | Rank | |
|--------------|-------------|------|------|
| Butterflies | 88.48% | 9 | |
| Orange | 92.21% | 7 | |
| Green | 93.7% | 6 | |
| Lime | 94.27% | 5 | |
| Violet | 97.58% | 2 | |
| Amber | 92.17% | 8 | |
| Magenta | 96.3% | 3 | |
| Emerald | 99.57% | 1 | |
| Indigo | 94.93% | 4 | TEND |
| Turquoise | 86.73% | 10 | |
| Whole School | 93.59% | | |

School Dinners

Week commencing 09/07/2018 is week 1. School menus are on our school website. If your child would like a school packed lunch reserved please make your choices at school reception before 9am on Monday mornings.



No more clubs this term!

Today is our last day of clubs. From Monday onwards, please ensure that you make arrangements for your child to be collected or attend our paid for after school club (PARC) at the end of each school day. New clubs list will be circulated via book bag post in the autumn term.



School Uniform

If you need to buy new school uniform: jumpers, cardigans, book bags, PE T-shirts etc, please contact Trophy Textiles direct on 01209 713341 or check their website: <u>https://www.trophytextiles.co.uk</u>

Computer and video games have a Pan-European Game Information (PEGI) rating printed on the front of the case. If your child is at Pensans, any game they play or watch should have a green PEGI. Please be aware that playing games out of their age range is a child protection issue and be aware of what they are playing. Even if your child is only watching an older family member playing a game with a 12, 16 or 18 rating, they still are being exposed to unsuitable material.

Stars of the week



| Butterflies | Eddy | For huge improvement with his handwriting and working hard at his independent writing. | |
|-------------|------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|
| Orange | Jago | For his determination and confidence in the classroom. | |
| | Leila | For her determination and confidence in swimming. | |
| Lime | Paige | For her excellent reading and writing. We were really impressed with her lovely neat handwriting. | |
| Green | Rosy | For always being a good friend to all in Green Class. You will be missed! | |
| Violet | Bailey, Kayci, Imogen, Alexa, Grace, Millie | For their determination to learn their lines and excellence when performing. You are amazing! | |
| Amber | Alfie J | For doing an excellent job in his reading of 'Peter and the Wolf'. | |
| Magenta | Joe | For his clear and precise drumming in our 'Peter and the Wolf' storytelling. | |
| Emerald | Ruby | For determination with 20 in 15! You are really making progress with your maths Ruby! Keep it up! | |
| Turquoise | Bethany | For showing quiet determination in doing the right thing by herself and others. Very proud of you! | |
| Indigo | Callum | For the fabulous attitude he has shown towards learning and life recently. | |

The Virtue week commencing 09/07/2018:



/ Uwiten you.

- Notice when someone needs help
- Do a service without being asked
- · Give people what they need, not always what they want
- Listen to someone who needs to talk
- Care for your own needs
- Ask for help when you need it

Affirmation

I am helpful. I look for ways to be of service. I care for others and myself. I look for helpful ways to make a difference.

Check to see if you qualify for Free School Meals!

Eligibility for Free School Meals from Year Three onwards is linked to household income. The more children from Reception to Y6 who are on Free School Meals means the more money we get via Pupil Premium to help improve the attainment of children in school. To check if you are eligible for Free School Meals simply let Mrs Oliver at the school reception know

some very basic details: Names, Dates of Birth, National Insurance Number and she will do the rest for you!



Summer Term Dates For Your Diary

Friday 6th July - Last day of clubs
Thursday 12th July - 5pm - 6pm - Phase 2 End of term parents exhibition - 'Pensans Prom' @ Penwith College.
Thursday 12th July - 2 year-old Ladybirds Teddy Bear's Picnic @2pm - parents invited
Friday 20th July - Y6 Performance @1:30pm and 5:30pm
Monday 23rd July - Nursery Closed
Monday 23rd July - Y6 Leavers assembly @ 2pm
Monday 23rd July -Y6 Leavers disco @6pm
Tuesday 24th July - Nursery Closed
Wednesday 25th July - Start of summer holiday

Well done to all of KS1 who took part in sports day on Tuesday.

The children all showed great enthusiasm, determination and perseverance when completing the round robin and races.

Well done to Geevor who were th overall winning team on the day.

Are you following us on Twitter? Keep up-to-date with all of the exciting things that are going on @pensansschool







Boscathnoe Lane, Heamoor, Penzance, TR18 3JT



TENNIS SUMMER HOLIDAY CAMPS

at Mounts Bay Academy

30th July – 17th August 2018



BOOK ONLINE www.penzancetennisclub.co.uk/coaching

07582669511 ian.vidgen@hotmail.co.uk

This years Library Summer Reading Challenge is called 'Mischief Makers'.

Taking part in the challenge is simple - when the summer holidays start, they can sign up for free at any library. There they'll receive their very own map of Beanotown. They need to read six library books (or more!) over the holidays to collect special stickers to add to their map. To complete the challenge they will need to collect all the smelly stickers to discover where the treasure is hiding. Dennis the menace and friends will help every step of the way to give clues and show them how to be a Mischief Maker too! The website can be used to keep track of the books read, write book reviews, enter competitions, talk to other readers and more. It's a celebration

of the Beano's 80th birthday which makes it the longest running children's comic in Britain.

THE READING AGENCY AND LIBRARIES PRESENT



JOIN OUR SWIMMING LESSON PROGRAMME BEFORE 16 JULY 2018 AND PAY NOTHING UNTIL AUGUST*

leisurecentre.com



ASK AT RECEPTION TODAY

PENZANCE LEISURE CENTRE St Clare, Penzance, Cornwall, TR18 3QW 01736 874744

> *Terms and conditions apply. Partitipantsmust complete a swimming assessment before using our racinities First DD sayment on 01, August 2018.