

Pensans Post

Summer term 25/05/2018



Dear Parents and Carers,

I have really enjoyed looking at the Year 6 Bath and Bristol Camp FaceBook updates and hope you have too. I can't wait to hear all about it after half term and imagine that the Year 5s are now already eagerly awaiting their turn next summer! A huge thank you to the staff that have accompanied the children on the trip and enabled them to create so many memories.

Letters have been sent home today about the school packed lunches offered to Y1s to Y6s. Don't forget to book your child's school packed lunches in advance on the first day back at the school office.

I hope that everyone enjoys the half term holidays and it would be great to see as many families as possible at the Richmond Chapel Garden party on Sunday the 27th (see below).

Please remember that there is also an INSET day on Monday 4th June so our jam-packed final half term will start on Tuesday 5th June.

Have a good weekend
Angela Clay

The Virtue after half-term is:

You are practicing
Loyalty
when you...

- Stand up for people and Ideas you believe in
- Choose your friends wisely
- Are a faithful friend through good times and bad
- Don't allow loyalty to lead you into trouble
- Don't let others come between you and your friends
- Are loyal to yourself

Affirmation

*I am loyal to the people and ideas I care about.
I stand by my friends and loved ones.
I keep my commitments.*

Saturday Spruce up!



Can you help our PTA
spruce up our school on
Saturday 16th June?
10am - 3pm.

Bring along anything like
a paintbrush, broom, bucket, sponge,
gardening gloves. Refreshments provided!
Many hands make light work! Please come
along if you can!

We will be dyeing our
pool pink to celebrate
Race for Life

Saturday 2 June 2018

FAMILY OPEN DAY

at Penzance Leisure Centre

JOIN FOR £1
on any membership

FREE
Gym, Swimming
and Classes

09:00 - 16:00

leisurecentre.com

01736 874744



Is your child's class attendance on track? Our Spring attendance target is 97%. At 94.13% attendance we are just below our target.

Class	Weekly %	Rank
Butterflies	94.06%	5
Orange	88.98%	10
Green	92.02%	8
Lime	99.28%	2
Violet	97.58%	3
Amber	89.45%	9
Magenta	92.06%	7
Emerald	95.73%	4
Indigo	92.17%	6
Turquoise	100%	1
Whole School	94.13%	



School Dinners

Week commencing 05/06/2018 is week 2. School menus are on our school website. There is also a handy guide to tell you which week is which.



Here are this weeks Mathletes:

Lime - Luke
Green - Skyla
Magenta - Seth & Caswyn

Our PTA are raising money for the Y6 leavers party and a whole school activities day at the end of term. Kath in the kitchen has generously donated an amazing knitted Winnie the Pooh Bear! Pick Pooh Bear's birthday from the calendar in the school reception for a chance to win him! 20p per guess! We'll pick the winner when all of the dates have been selected. Good luck!



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	Bella P	For settling in well at Pensans and working hard recognising numbers.
Orange	Morgan	For enthusiasm on our trip to see our elderly friends.
Lime	Fred	For his determination this week in all his work. Keep it up Fred!
Green	Skyla	For his enthusiasm on our recent St Mary's Haven trip.
Violet	Grace	For her determination in swimming. I was so impressed by your attitude, wanting to keep trying until you mastered it!
Amber	Casey	For settling beautifully into Pensans and is already showing great unity and determination to succeed.
Magenta	Sophia	For the way you included to many different sentence structures that we have learnt in your 'Peter and the Wolf' writing.
	Mackenzie	For focusing so well on each draft of your Peter and the Wolf' writing and making sure that in each draft you included more of your rubric.
Emerald	Jake	For stepping up to fill in for the Virtues Ambassadors and being a great football referee as well as being highlighted for helpfulness this week!
Turquoise	Scarlett	For using the virtues of perseverance, independence and joyfulness at all times during assessments this week.
Indigo	Reuben	For positive attitude towards learning and his enthusiasm.

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!



Are you following us on Twitter?

Keep up-to-date with all of the exciting things that are going on @pensansschool.



Summer Term Dates For Your Diary

28th May - 1st June - Summer half term

Monday 4th June - INSET day - no school

Friday 15th June - Fathers Day Meal

Saturday 16th June - Spruce up School Day -
all help gratefully received 10am - 3pm.

Monday 18th June - Fathers Day Meal

Tuesday 19th June - KS1 Sports Day

Wednesday 20th June - KS2 Sports Day

Thursday 21st June - EYFS Sports Day

Saturday 23rd June - Mazey Day

Friday 29th June - School Summer Fair

Friday 6th July - Last day of clubs

Tuesday 24th July - Nursery Closed

Wednesday 25th July - Start of summer holiday



Please remember that back copies of newsletters and key diary dates are on the school website.



High Performance Sports Sessions

Four Pensans children have been taking part in the Penwith School's Sport High Performance sessions over the last year. This weeks session was on Marazion beach. The children did really well completing all of the training session on the sand & in the heat. Despite these arduous conditions their effort and enthusiasm throughout the session was excellent. Well done Hyelie, Ruth, Adam & Reegan - keep excelling at sport!

