



**Nanpean Community Primary School**

**Nurturing Children's Passion to Succeed**

# NEWSLETTER

**17/06/2016**

We hope you feel that you are always treated fairly, and feel able to come into school to discuss issues.

## READING KARATE

Reading Karate is our reading reward scheme in which children aim to achieve different colour wristbands by reading at home.

| Number of Reads | Coloured Wristband |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| 20              | White              |
| 20 (40 total)   | Yellow             |
| 20 (60 total)   | Orange             |
| 20 (80 total)   | Blue               |
| 30 (110 total)  | Purple             |
| 30 (140 total)  | Brown              |
| 40 (180 total)  | Black              |
| 20 (200 total)  | Black/White        |
| 20 (220 total)  | Black/Yellow       |
| 20 (240 total)  | Black/Orange       |
| 20 (260 total)  | Black/Blue         |

Receiving her **Yellow wristband** this week is: **Kiya Austin (Eden)**.

Receiving his **Orange Wristband** this week is: **Owen Riddle (Hendra)**.

Receiving his **Blue Wristband** this week is: **Reuben Singleton (Prosper)**.

Receiving their **Purple wristbands** this week are: **Imogen Knowles (Eden), Jasmine Knowles and Ruby Tibbles (Drinnick)**.

Receiving her **Brown wristband** this week is: **Olivia Ludkin (Eden)**.

Receiving her **Black Wristband** this week is: **Alesha Gardiner (Hendra)**.

Receiving their **Black/Orange wristbands** this week for an amazing 240 reads are: **Callum Bilkey and Connor Emmett (Hendra)**.

Receiving their **Black/Blue wristbands** this week for a super 260 reads are: **Tegen Mellow (Eden), Bradley Whitford (Melbur) and Jessica Whitford (Drinnick)**.

### ⇒ Athletics Tournament

Yesterday, 22 determined KS2 children attended Brannel School for a cluster Athletics tournament. They all did exceptionally well and demonstrated unbelievable perseverance. 2 Nanpean children came 1st in their races and the school came 4th out of 6 schools which is a huge improvement on last year! Thank you to all the parents that supported the children and thank you to Mr Nicholls of Bugle School for organising the event.

### ⇒ Swimming Reminder

The office are having an increasing number of requests to contact parents/ carers because children have forgotten their swimming kit. Please can all parents/ carers ensure that children in Melbur, Drinnick and Rosemellyn have their swimming kit with them every Tuesday when they leave for school in the morning.

## STARS OF THE WEEK

Each week, Nanpean School staff choose one pupil from their class who has shone to be their class star. This could be due to their consistently good behaviour, putting a lot of effort into their work or their super learning.

This week our stars have been:

**Eden— Corey England** for having a great learning mindset this week.

**Hendra— David Taylor** for his brilliant determination in Read, Write Inc.

**Prosper— Kadie Williams** for her perseverance in maths.

**Melbur— Macy Hoole** for her positivity and working well with her peers.

**Drinnick/ Rosemellyn— Cody Lee** for his enthusiastic contribution to play practise. Well done to Cody for his second Star of the Week in a row!

## LUNCHTIME AWARD

Each week we present a child with a Lunchtime Award. This is to recognise and reward a child who has been notably kind, helpful or well behaved during lunchtimes for the week.

This week our Lunchtime Award goes to:

**Macy Hoole**

## BUSY BEES

Busy Bees are awards given out to children to acknowledge that an aspect of their learning or behaviour is exceptional.

This week we had no Busy Bees.



## ATTENDANCE

This week Melbur had the best attendance percentage with 99.65% and Hendra were very close behind with 99.52%. Well done to both of these classes. Attendance vastly improved this week with 4 out of 6 classes having at least a 98% attendance rate. Keep it up!!

## REMINDERS

⇒ Please ensure that money for tuck and lunch are sent into school in **separate named envelopes**.

⇒ No parking on zig zag lines or in the staff car park **even when collecting children from clubs**. This is for the safety of our pupils and those taking children to school/ Nippers and collecting them.

⇒ There will be no running club or quiz club on **Tuesday 21st June**.

⇒ There will be some slight disruptions to clubs on Monday due to Sports day.

× Nature Detectives and Survival Club **are cancelled**.

✓ Dance and Recorder Club **will go ahead as usual**.

⇒ So that we can ensure that all children get to school safely, children who walk **to** school unaccompanied must be added to our unaccompanied list. If children walk to school on their own but you do not want them to leave on their own after school, please let the Office know.

## AUTISM AWARENESS

Although more than 1 in 100 people in the UK have autism, there are many misconceptions about this condition. As part of raising Autism Awareness, our Autism Champions Ms Grindrod and Ms Palmer will be giving one fact and displacing one myth about autism each week.

**#AutismFact:** People with autism may demonstrate above average levels of concentration, reliability and accuracy.

**#AutismMyth:** People with autism never achieve anything.

### ⇒ Achievement Assembly

It is lovely to see so many more parents at our Friday achievement assembly. A reminder that all parents are invited; they take place every Friday at 2:30pm, please enter via the community hall doors. We celebrate achievements from out of school too, so if your child has something to bring in please remind them to pass it to Ms Marsden, Miss Morton or Mr Barritt on Friday mornings. For the younger children, it would be helpful if parents could write a brief note explaining why their child received the achievement.

### ⇒ Staffing for September 2016 (commencing 11th July 2016)

| Year Group | Class Name | Teacher/s                                       | Teaching Assistant/s                  |
|------------|------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| Reception  | Eden       | Mrs Hayes                                       | Mrs Cookson<br>Miss Dash<br>Ms Palmer |
| Year 1     | Hendra     | Miss Bevis                                      | Miss Rosevear                         |
| Year 2     | Prosper    | Miss Morrison (Mon-Tue)<br>Mrs Cooper (Wed-Fri) | Miss Thompson                         |
| Year 3     | Karslake   | Miss Moore                                      | Mrs Williams                          |
| Year 4     | Melbur     | Mr Tonkin                                       | Mrs Kitts                             |
| Year 5     | Drinnick   | Mr Barritt                                      | Ms Grindrod<br>Mrs Varney             |
| Year 6     | Rosemellyn | Mrs Jago (starts in Sept)                       | Mrs Miskowicz                         |

### ⇒ Sports Day 20/06/16

This years Sports Day will take place on **Monday 20th June** and will follow the same format as last year. Non-competitive events in house teams in the morning and **parents are invited in the afternoon from 1:15pm** for the competitive races. We are hoping the weather is good so it won't have to be called off! If the weather is not on our side and the day needs to be rearranged, we will let parents know via text. Children need to **arrive in school uniform**; they will get changed into PE kits at school. Please make sure your child has their P.E Kit in school or they may not be able to join in.

### ⇒ Daya's Workshops 22/06/16

On Wednesday, as part of our RE Curriculum, and as we continue on the journey to achieve our Level 1 Rights Respecting School Award, we will all be taking part in exciting workshops led by a lady called Daya. Daya is Sikh and she has been working with children in schools across Cornwall, teaching them about different aspects of Indian culture. We are looking forward to welcoming Daya to our school and learning about her religion, traditions and customs.

### ⇒ New Reception Stay and Play Session 22/06/16

Our new reception children and their parents are invited to visit for a morning or afternoon stay and play session on **Wednesday 22nd June**. If you haven't already booked a place, please do so as soon as possible.

### ⇒ Year 5 Transition Visit 23/06/16

On **Thursday 23rd June**, Year 5 will be visiting Brannel School for a transition visit, based in their 'Discover' wing. The children will be collected by coach at 9.15am and will return at 3pm. Brannel will provide lunch for the children. The Brannel visit consent forms were completed at the beginning of the year, but please let us know by **Tuesday 21st June** if you do not want your child participating.

### ⇒ Transition Morning 23/06/16

On **Thursday 23rd June**, all year groups (except year 5 and 6) will be spending the morning with their new class teachers. Please drop your children off at the normal entrances and the children will move to their new classes after registration. New reception children are also invited to visit for this session from 9.30am to 11.30am.

### ⇒ Summer Fair: 29/06/2016

Preparations are in full swing for this year's Summer Fair, which takes place on **Wednesday 29th June 1.30pm**. All parents, carers, grandparents and family members are invited to join us for the afternoon. A letter with more information has been sent home today. If anyone knows of any company who has a bouncy castle that can be used at the Fair, please let Miss Dash know as soon as possible.

### ⇒ Parent's Forum

Thank you to the parents who attended this Wednesday's parents forum. Topics of discussion were: End of Year Reports, Sports Day, Summer fair, and Parent Parking. A copy of the notes from this forum is available on the website and a paper copy is in our reception area.

## GOVERNOR UPDATE

We are sorry to say that Mr. Roy Allsopp has resigned from his post as our Local Authority Governor due to personal reasons. We would like to sincerely thank Mr. Allsopp for his dedication and commitment shown to the school over the past 6 years. Our new Local Authority Governor is Councillor John Sibley who has kindly volunteered to contribute his time and skills to the Governing Board. In addition, we welcome back Mrs Singleton as our Foundation Governor who is now able to re-join the Governing board and offer her considerable knowledge, skills and experience. The Governing board look forward to continuing to work closely with the school to ensure the strategic direction of the school and to drive school improvement.

*Mrs Udy, Chair of Governors*

## KEY DATES

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June**—Sports Day (parents invited from 1:15pm)

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2-4pm**—Swimming Gala

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**—Year 5 Transition Day at Brannel School

**Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> June**—Transition morning for all year groups

**Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> June 5pm**—Cluster Awards Night

**Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June 1:30pm**—Summer Fair

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 6:30pm** —Y5/6 End of year production

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> July 9am**—Parents Forum with Ms Marsden

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July 1:15pm**—Y5/6 End of year production and Year 6 Leavers Assembly

**Monday 11th July-Thursday 21st July**—transition weeks (all children move up to next year group)

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> July 4pm**—July Fest at Brannel School— all current year 5 and 6 children performing.

**Friday 22nd July**—INSET DAY (no school for children)

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> August and 26<sup>th</sup> August**—HOLIDAY CLUBS

Yours Sincerely,

Ms C. Marsden

Headteacher

