



**Nanpean Community Primary School**

**Nurturing Children's Passion to Succeed**



## READING KARATE

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

No. of Reads	Wristband Colour	No. of Reads	Wristband Colour	No. of Reads	Wristband Colour
20	White	20 (240 total)	Black/Orange	40 (530 total)	Silver/Purple
20 (40 total)	Yellow	20 (260 total)	Black/Blue	40 (570 total)	Silver/Brown
20 (60 total)	Orange	30 (290 total)	Black/Purple	50 (620 total)	Gold
20 (80 total)	Blue	30 (320 total)	Black/Brown	30 (650 total)	Gold/White
30 (110 total)	Purple	50 (370 total)	Silver	30 (680 total)	Gold/Yellow
30 (140 total)	Brown	30 (400 total)	Silver/White	30 (710 total)	Gold/Orange
40 (180 total)	Black	30 (430 total)	Silver/Yellow	30 (740 total)	Gold/Blue
20 (200 total)	Black/White	30 (460 total)	Silver/Orange	40 (780 total)	Gold/Purple
20 (220 total)	Black/Yellow	30 (490 total)	Silver/Blue	40 (820 total)	Gold/Brown

Receiving his **White Wristband** this week is: **Frankie Birchmore (Melbur)**.

Receiving their **Yellow Wristbands** this week are: **Travis Belcher and Kaitlyn Bottrell (Eden)**.

Receiving their **Orange Wristbands** this week are: **Cooper England and Reece Gardiner (Eden)**.

Receiving her **Brown Wristband** this week is: **Jade Sanders-Brown (Rosemellyn)**.

Receiving their **Black Wristbands** this week are: **Imogen Knowles and Ruby Hooper (Hendra)**.

Receiving her **Black/White Wristband** this week is: **Polly Julian (Prosper)**.

Receiving their **Black/Yellow Wristbands** this week are: **Aden Lewis (Hendra) and Caleb Bottery (Drinnick)**.

Receiving her **Black/Orange Wristband** this week is: **Lucy Edmonds (Drinnick)**.

Receiving their **Black/Blue Wristbands** this week are: **Isaac Margetts (Prosper) and Mackenzie Dash (Melbur)**.

Receiving their **Silver Wristbands** this week are: **Olivia Smith (Prosper) and Jessica Whitford (Rosemellyn)**.

## ⇒ Children in Need—The Grand Total!

As you will all know, last week the whole school came together to raise money for Children in Need and had a spotacular time doing so! The money has been counted and paid to Children in Need, we are very proud of all of the children for their contribution and fundraising for the cause. The grand total raised was an amazing **£307.80** so thank you to everybody for taking part. Some children went above and beyond and raised extra funds by being sponsored for taking part in our fun, physical activities —these children have been awarded with a certificate for their great efforts with fundraising and are as follows;

**Kian Hancock, Ollie Udy, Riley Udy, Amber Tamblin, Polly Julian, Harley Oliver, Reece Gardiner, Alesha Gardiner, Kaitlyn Bottrell, Stacey Ridgeon, Sophie Ridgeon, Frankie Birchmore, Mia Morse, and Dylan Hocking.**

# NEWSLETTER

**25/11/2016**

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

We are always open to reviewing our equity policies.

## 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— Logan Higgins** for fantastic reading in phonics.

**Hendra— Libby Smith** for her very sensible approach to play rehearsals; supporting her fellow actors/singers.

**Prosper— David Taylor** for his dedication and enthusiasm in learning his lines for the production.

**Karslake— Jowun Dawidiuk** for his excellent understanding of the analogue clock.

**Melbur— Mackenzie Dash** for having a sensible attitude to all his learning and setting an excellent example for behaviour.

**Drinnick— Caleb Bottery** for having a fantastic learning attitude, he is always enthusiastic about his learning.

**Rosemellyn— Joseph Edmonds** for his grammar skills, a first class description of what a comma is and when/how to use it. He wrote this in the form of a creative job description!

## BUSY BEES

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

**Jake Kemp** for his fantastic stone age diary entry.

**Kadie Williams** for her amazing stone age diary entry.

**Caleb Bottery** for his magnificent poem about snow using personification.

**Poina Koleda** for her impressive stone age diary entry.

**Carlie Warne** for her superb stone age diary entry.



## 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 two great helpers:

**Polina Koleda and Mackenzie Dash**

## ATTENDANCE

w/c 21/11/2016		Karslake	96.49%
Eden	94.87%	<b>Melbur</b>	<b>97.22%</b>
Hendra	96.3%	Drinnick	90.74%
Prosper	95.65%	Rosemellyn	92.59%

## REMINDERS

There are only two more weeks of clubs left! There will be no clubs during the last week of term (w/c Monday 12th December).

⇒ **Christingle Service ~ 24/11/2016**

On Thursday we held our annual Christingle Service and the whole school gathered together to acknowledge the significance of this festival to the Christian religion. Thank you to Reverend Emma Childs for leading the service and providing all the candles and ribbon. Thank you also to Claire-Louise and Linda from Tesco St Austell for donating all the clementines, toothpicks, dried fruit and sweets, and helping the children make their Christingles. Once again we would like to apologise to parents for not being able to join us but have great pleasure in saying that the service was a great success and was thoroughly enjoyed by all our children.

⇒ **Year 6 Transition Visit to Brannel School**

On Tuesday 15th November, our year 6 children visited Brannel School to take part in an exciting DT themed day. The children all had a fantastic time exploring the school and meeting other year 6 pupils/ future friends. All the feedback from the day was fantastic and full of praise for the school: *'the art, baking and wood work have inspired me for what I would like to do'. 'Brannel transition was amazing. Everyone in my class is more excited about moving up to Brannel.'*

⇒ **Cornwall Music Hub's Christmas Song!**

The Cornwall Music Hub has released a Christmas song to raise money for Little Harbour Hospice. The new single 'Winter Weather Wondering' was composed by local musician Matt Douglas and sung by 150 children between the ages of 9 and 18. The song can be downloaded from all well known music platforms.

⇒ **Celebration of Learning Event ~ 28/11/2016**

On **Monday 28th November**, we will be holding our next Celebration of Learning Event. Parents are invited in to look at their children's learning environments and their books from 3:15pm to 3:45pm. This is a fantastic opportunity for you all to look at your child's learning this half term with your child. School staff will not be available for this event, but if you do have any questions or concerns, please make an appointment to speak with your child's teacher.

⇒ **Immunisations ~ 5/12/2016**

A reminder that NHS Kernow will be visiting us on Monday 5th December to administer the Flu nasal spray to children in years 1, 2 and 3 under the Council's School Immunisation scheme. This does not introduce a new immunisation, but aims to make access to standard immunisations easier for parents/ carers who don't have ready access to a GPs surgery. So that we know which parent/ carers have given their consent for their child to have this immunisation, please can all consent forms be completed and returned to the Office by **Thursday 1st December**.

⇒ **Melbur/ Karslake Museum Trip ~ 8/12/2016**

Letters were sent home last week with all children in Melbur and Karslake concerning a trip to the Royal Cornwall Museum on **Thursday 8th December**. As we have consent for trips taking place during school hours, you do not need to return a slip unless you would like to order a school packed lunch. We have requested a voluntary payment of £9 to contribute to the cost of the trip. Please ensure that any donations are sent in by Tuesday 29th November. As budgets get tighter and tighter, should it not be financially viable for the trip to take place, it will be cancelled and any money paid by parents/ carers will be returned.

⇒ **Christmas Countdown**

December is right around the corner and we are all in full Christmas preparation mode! KS1 will be performing their much anticipated Christmas Production on Tuesday 6th December at 2pm for families with young children, Nanpean Nippers, and KS2 pupils; and again to family members on Wednesday 7th December at 5.30pm and on Thursday 8th December at 2pm. Each family will receive 2 tickets per performance and there will be a limited number of additional tickets available upon request. These tickets will be sent home in book bags next week. KS2 will be performing Christmas Carols at our Christmas Fair, which will take place on Wednesday 14th December at 1:30pm and all are very welcome!

We will be holding a Christmas Jumper dressing up day on Friday 9th December for all staff and children and we are asking in return that either £1 or a donation of cakes, either new or very good condition teddy bears and/ or mince pies is made for the Christmas Fair. Any and all donations will be gratefully accepted and can be made from Friday 9th December until the morning of the Fair. If any parents, carers or family members know of, or work for, a company that would like to donate to the Fair, please let us know or drop in the item. A donation request letter on headed paper can be provided if needed.

Christmas Dinner will take place on Friday 9th December. If you have not returned your child's slip letting us know that your child wants school dinner, a letter has been sent home with your child today, reminding you to send your child in with a packed lunch on this day. Please note, children will not be able to order a dinner on Friday 9th December, only pre-orders will be given to the kitchen. If your child does want a Christmas dinner, you must let us know by Wednesday 30th November.

⇒ **Holiday Club ~ 19/12/2016**

We are offering all parents/ carers an extra day of child-free Christmas shopping whilst the children have fun for just £5! Go Active will be running a Holiday Club on Monday 19th December (we are awaiting confirmation of this date). Letters will be sent home next week.

⇒ **Autumn Term Dates**

**Monday 28/11/16, 3:15pm-3:45pm**—Celebration of Learning Event  
**Tuesday 6/12/16, 2pm**—KS1 Christmas Production for Nippers, Parents/Carers with toddlers, and KS2 pupils  
**Wednesday 7/12/16, 5:30pm**—KS1 Christmas Production  
**Thursday 8/12/16, 2pm**—KS1 Christmas Production  
**Friday 9/12/16**—Christmas Jumper Day & Fair donations  
**Friday 9/12/16, 12pm**—Christmas Dinner  
**Wednesday 14/12/16, 1:30pm**—Christmas Fair  
**Friday 16/12/16**—Last day of Autumn term  
**Monday 19/12/16**—HOLIDAY CLUB

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs C Wicks

Head teacher

