



**Nanpean Community Primary School**

# NEWSLETTER

**23/09/2016**

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.

## 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
30 (290 total)	Black/Purple

Receiving his **White Wristband** this week is: **Leo Birchmore (Karslake)**.

Receiving his **Orange Wristband** this week is: **Ryley Hoole (Rosemellyn)**.

Receiving their **Blue Wristbands** this week are: **Corey England (Hendra)** and **Caitlin Austin-Cox (Rosemellyn)**.

Receiving their **Purple Wristbands** this week are: **Eden Marsh (Hendra)** and **Tom Rosevear (Drinnick)**.

Receiving her **Brown Wristband** this week is: **Ruby Tibbles (Rosemellyn)**.

Receiving their **Black Wristbands** this week are: **China Hambly (Hendra)**, **Talik Hambly (Melbur)** and **Morgan Davies (Rosemellyn)**.

Receiving her **Black/White Wristband** this week is: **Alesha Gardiner (Prosper)**.

Receiving their **Black/Purple Wristbands** this week for an amazing 290 reads are: **Bradley Whitford (Melbur)** and **Joseph Edmonds (Rosemellyn)**.

### ⇒ Individual photos

Yesterday we had Tempest Photography visit us to take individual and family photographs. Order forms for photographs have been sent home in book bags. These must be returned by **Friday 30th September**. We anticipate that photographs will be sent to school between the 14th and 21st October. If you have not received your photographs by this point, please let us know.

### ⇒ Brannel School Open Evening—Wednesday 28th September

On **Wednesday 28th September 2016 from 5pm**, Brannel School is holding an open evening for prospective parents. We are fortunate that Brannel is already so accessible to our pupils: hosting cluster events, numerous transition activities and holiday clubs. This open evening is a great opportunity for you and your child to explore all that Brannel has to offer. A quick reminder that parents can now apply for school places for new admission to secondary school for September 2017. The deadline for secondary school applications for parents of year 6 children is **31st October 2016**.

## 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— Molly England** for fantastic counting and use of resources to help her.

**Hendra— Connor Wills** for continued perseverance in all aspects of his learning.

**Prosper— Callum Bilkey** for always being cheerful and eager to do his best.

**Karslake— Jack Rouse** for consistently doing really well in his reading quizzes, often getting 100%.

**Melbur— Macy Hoole** for having a great attitude to learning in all lessons.

**Drinnick— Tom Rosevear** for working exceptionally hard to help create a beautiful garden area.

**Rosemellyn— Ryley Hoole** for showing confidence and determination during maths.

## BUSY BEES

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



This week, Busy Bees were rewarded to:

**James Jenking** for his super speech bubble writing.

**Alesha Gardiner and Sophie Ridgeon** for fantastic recounts about their Lanhydrock trip.

**Lia-Mai Orchard** for lovely story writing completed as extra homework.

**Riley Udy** for his detailed retelling of Guru Nanak's story.

**Callum Rowe** for his fantastic research into Bengal tigers

**Polina Koleda** for her amazing recounting of key facts about big cats.

**Stacey Ridgeon** for her quick and accurate maths work.

## 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:

**Robbie Henderson** for being really kind and helpful

## ATTENDANCE

It was really close this week between Prosper and Rosemellyn who both had over 99% attendance. **Prosper** narrowly pipped Rosemellyn to the post with 99.52%. A great start to the year!

⇒ **St. Austell Festival of Music and Speech**

This week, children across the school were invited to take part in the St Austell Festival of Music and Speech at St Johns Church in St. Austell. Children who wanted to take part were sent home with a letter and entry form, which must be completed and returned to the school with the entry fee of £2 by **Wednesday 28th September**. Please ensure that any money is sent into school in a named envelope detailing the amount in the envelope and what it is for. Children in KS2 are able to take part in a duologue, we would like to remind parents that the school is not responsible for co-ordinating a duologue and entry forms and money must be sent into school in one envelope. If we are sent individual duologue entries, we will return these to you.

⇒ **A Change to After School Club Collections**

Now that we have increasing pupil numbers and a higher club uptake, it has become more noticeable that the procedure for collecting children after clubs needs to be reviewed. From **Monday 26th September**, please note the new exits for clubs:

**Monday**

Gymnastics — Community Hall main doors  
Nature Detectives — KS1 entrance/ exit door (new build)  
Stay and Play — KS1 entrance/ exit doors (new build)  
Tag Rugby — KS2 entrance/ exit doors (old build)

**Tuesday**

Football— KS2 entrance/ exit doors (old build)  
Book Club—Library exit door (old build)  
Flute/ Clarinet/ Recorder— Library exit door (old build)  
Netball — KS2 entrance/ exit doors (old build)  
Paralympics— Community Hall main doors

**Wednesday**

Karate—Community Hall main doors

**Thursday**

Film Club— Library exit door (old build)  
RRS— Prosper (Y2) classroom door (new build)  
Running— Community Hall main doors

**Friday**

Craft Club—Karslake (Y3) classroom door (new build)  
Line Dancing—Community Hall main doors

If you have children attending different clubs, the club leader will hold on to children until you are able to collect them. This change will be on a trial basis, we will review the system again if this change is not effective.

⇒ **Y5/6 Hit the Surf Trip ~ 28/9/16**

On **Wednesday 28th September**, Drinnick and Rosemellyn class will be visiting Fistral Beach to take part in Hit the Surf beach safety sessions with the RNLI. We appreciate that there may be some reservations about children attending this trip due to the RNLI requirement that in order for children to take part in the water activities, they must be able to swim 25 metres. This requirement is solely to determine which children have the confidence and competence to take part in the set water activities, including surfing under RNLI supervision. They will not be expected to swim 25 metres on the day. There are lots of activities that the children will take part in, even if they do have confidence in the water. All children will participate in a water safety presentation and beach games and children who do not feel confident taking part in the set water activities can play in the shallows or rock pools under supervision. Please remember that children will need to bring a swimsuit and towel and wear comfortable clothing. If we have not yet received a consent form for your child, another copy has been sent home today. Please complete and return the form on Monday but please note that it is now too late to order a school packed lunch.

⇒ **Census Day Menu ~ 6/10/16**

To recognise the importance of Census day to schools and educational funding, Chartwells have organised a special Census day menu for **Thursday 6th October**. Instead of the usual menu, children can choose from southern baked chicken fillet with wedges or macaroni cheese with garlic bread. This menu has gone down very well with children in the past so it may be a great time for children unsure about school dinners to give it a go.

⇒ **Olympic Athlete Visit ~ 27/9/16**

We are extremely fortunate to have an Olympic Athlete visit us on **Tuesday 27th September**. Antony James, an Olympic swimmer, will be coming into school to lead a sponsored fitness circuit with pupils and will follow up with a talk and a question and answer session. Sponsorship forms were sent home last week with children, but parents/ carers and family members can also sponsor children online at [www.sportsforschools.org/event/PL423](http://www.sportsforschools.org/event/PL423). Much of the money raised will be used to buy sports equipment for the school and to support British Athletes. Sponsorship forms and money must be sent to school in a named envelope by **Tuesday 4th October** at the very latest. Please note that this fundraising effort is being coordinated by Sports for Schools so any late donations cannot be accepted. **Please ensure that your child has their P.E kit in school on Tuesday 27th September so that they can take part in this event.**

**Yours Sincerely,**

**Mrs C Wicks**

**Head teacher**

## **REMINDERS**

- ⇒ Miss Morton is leading an parent information meeting about the London Residential trip on **Thursday 13th October** at 3:30pm.
- ⇒ There will be no **Stay and Play club on Monday 26th September** due to staff training
- ⇒ There will be **no Running Club or RRS Club on Thursday 29th September** due to staff training.
- ⇒ There will be **no clubs on Thursday 6th October** due to whole staff training taking place.

