



Nanpean Community Primary School

Nurturing Children's Passion to Succeed

NEWSLETTER

18/05/2018



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.

⇒ **Year 6 SATs**

We are immensely proud of our Year 6's; they have been incredibly mature, resilient and supportive towards one another during a week that feels very different to any other. Rosemellyn have worked hard to prepare for SATs and practice sessions have focused on academic understanding and how to prepare for the emotions that can arise around this stage of their final year at Primary school. Despite a daily bacon sandwich offering, all the children agreed that Friday was the best day of the week. A great deal of thought, care and time is put into preparing students who are involved in exams so a huge thank you to Mrs Jago. Thank you also to Mrs Kitts, Mrs Miskowicz, Mrs Wade, Mrs Williams and Mrs Wicks for being readers in some of the exams. We also greatly appreciate the communication and support from home and a special thank you to Miss Thornhill (governor) for being an extra invigilator.

⇒ **Year 2 SATs ~ w/c 21st May 2018**

Next week, Year 2 will be doing their National Curriculum tests for Reading and Maths; they will complete them in groups in their classroom. The marks children achieve in these tests are used to help inform teacher assessment, reported to parents in July. It is important that all pupils are in school next week. Although, children should not be made to worry about these tests, please ensure they get plenty of sleep and a good breakfast so they can do their best, and please arrive at 8:45am so that the children are ready to start on time.

⇒ **General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR)**

On 25th May, the General Data Protection Regulations comes into effect. This requires all companies and people who process personal and sensitive data to be transparent in what data they require, why they require specific data, and how they protect this data. We have undertaken an audit of all Nanpean School's data to ensure that we only request and hold data of our pupils that has a specific purpose, and that we are protecting your data from unauthorised access. We are required to share this data with specific organisations to meet our legal requirements and so, must tell you what we share and with whom. We will be sending home our new Privacy Notice, which will give you all of this information. A copy of this notice and our Policy will also be available on our website. The new regulations give you additional rights in terms of your data, please do look at our school website. We are in the process of appointing a Data Protection Officer who will oversee compliance with the new regulations. If you have any questions about the new regulations, email secretary@nanpean.cornwall.sch.uk or call into the office and we'll do our best to help.

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. **'Star of the Week' slips go home in the book bags of the children chosen as our Stars every Thursday.**

This week our stars have been:

Eden—Logan Conway for his brilliant demonstration in PE helping his classmates to learn.

Hendra—Poppy Knowles for her amazing writing and following instructions carefully.

Prosper—Maisy Screech for always showing excellent learning behaviour with a smile.

Karslake—David Taylor for supporting his peers with their learning.

Melbur—Ava Bottery for applying strategies in the daily mile resulting in an amazing improvement in fitness and stamina.

Drinnick—Paul Meaden for his great learning attitude in English and Maths.

Rosemellyn—Jake Young—for being a fantastic helper to Mrs Jago's swimming by demonstrating breaststroke.

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:

Jacob Lloyd—for being so helpful by collecting all the huff and puff equipment from the playground.

BUSY BEES

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



Ruby Hooper—for her accurate calculations using all 4 operations.

ATTENDANCE

w/c 14/05/2018			
		Karslake	94.5%
Eden	92.50%	<u>Melbur</u>	<u>100%</u>
Hendra	98.56%	Drinnick	97.37%
Prosper	99.11%	Rosemellyn	97.92%

⇒ **Year 6 Reward at Hendra Holiday Park**
Today our Year 6 pupils went to Hendra Holiday park to enjoy a fun-filled and well-deserved Go Active day. This was to reward the children for all the hard work and effort they have put in over the year in the build up to SATs and was a lovely opportunity for the group to have some fun together before they depart to their respective secondary schools. Thank you to all the parents/ carers who contributed to the cost of the trip. If you would still like to contribute, but you have not already done so, please send the money into school in a named envelope with the purpose for the payment written on the envelope.

⇒ **Drinnick Class ~ w/c 4/6/18**
From **Monday 4th June** for the remainder of the Summer Term, pupils in Drinnick class will be trialling a new version of our 'reading-at-home' agreement. The trial will alter slightly the expectations of reading that takes place as homework. Full information about the trial was sent home yesterday to parents and carers of pupils in Drinnick class and if there are any questions please direct them to Mr Barritt in the first instance. The results of the trial will be discussed by staff, senior leaders and governors and parents will be informed of the outcome of this trial.

⇒ **Stay Safe ~ 21/5/18 & 23/5/18**
Year 6 children will be taking part in a series of workshops on **21st May and 23rd May** run by *Stay Safe*. This workshop titles are 'Anti-bullying' and 'Stranger Awareness' and have the overall aim of children taking more ownership of keeping themselves safe.

⇒ **School Council ~ 23/5/18**
On **23rd May** our School Council will be going to observe a Youth Council Seminar, at the Brannel Rooms in St Stephen, with Ms Gridrod and Mrs Wicks. This will be an exciting experience for our School Council to see how the Youth Council carry out their meetings and hopefully gain new ideas to bring back to Nanpean School.

⇒ **Mrs Wade (Hendra Class)**
We would like to send our congratulations to Mrs Wade and her husband on the announcement that they are expecting their first baby in November. In the Autumn term, we will be looking to cover Mrs Wade's role on a temporary basis while she is on maternity leave.

⇒ **Year 5/6 Residential ~ October 2018**
A letter went home with our children in Year 5 and 6, inviting them to sign up for our London residential, which is taking place from **9th—12th October 2018**. If you would like our child to take part in this amazing experience, please send in your deposit by **Friday 25th May**. Please note that this trip going ahead is dependent on enough children wanting to attend, so please ensure you return your slip and deposit by this date if your child wants to go.

⇒ **School Vacancies ~ Nanpean School**
We have three job vacancies advertised on our school website and the Cornwall Council website. The vacancies are for a School Caretaker/Cleaner and a Catering Assistant. If you know of anyone that would like to apply for one of the positions please go to our website for further details. Applications can be made by completing and returning the application form and equal opportunities form from our site and returning them to secretary@nanpean.cornwall.sch.uk. Alternatively you can print them off and either hand in or post to the school office. The application deadline is **Wednesday 23rd May**.

⇒ **Healthy Tuck**
Could we please remind parents that we only allow children to bring into school a healthy nutritious snack for tuck, such as fruit or breakfast bars, we do not allow crisps or chocolate.



DIARY DATES

Monday 21st-Friday 25th May—Year 2 SATs week
w/c 28th May—HALF TERM HOLIDAY
Wednesday 6th June—Parents Forum/PTA meeting
w/c 11th June—Year 1 Phonics Screening check week
Monday 11th June—Sports Day
Friday 15th June 1:00-3:30pm—Athletics Tournament, Brannel School
Tuesday 19th June—Sports Day (reserve date)
Friday 22nd June, am—PADL Award ceremony (school council)
Monday 25th June, 1:00pm—3:30pm—Swimming Gala, Bodmin Dragon Leisure Centre
Tuesday 26th June, 5pm—New Reception Open Evening
Wednesday 27th June, 1:30pm—Summer Fair
Wednesday 27th June, 5:00pm—Brannel Cluster Awards night
Thursday 28th June—Transition Day
Thursday 28th June—Year 5 Transition visit to Brannel School
w/c 2nd July—Work experience students visiting
Monday 2nd July, 1:30pm—Year 6 Production dress rehearsal
Wednesday 4th July, 6:30pm—Year 6 Production
Thursday 5th July, 2:15pm—Year 6 Leavers ceremony
Wednesday 11th July, 4:00pm—Brannel's July Fest
w/c Monday 16th July—TRANSITION WEEK
Friday 20th July—LAST DAY OF THE SCHOOL YEAR
Autumn Term 2018
Tuesday 4th September—INSET DAY 1
Wednesday 5th September—INSET DAY 2
Thursday 6th September—first day of the Autumn term

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs C Wicks
Head teacher

