



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 their **White Wristbands** this week are: **Kristopher Kessell, Zevah Burton, Elizabeth Mountford (Eden), Blake Hazell (Hendra), Roxy Maddern (Drinnick).**

Receiving his **Orange Wristband** this week is: **Harley Oliver (Drinnick).**

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

Receiving their **Purple Wristbands** this week are: **Corey England (Hendra), Kaito Moore (Karslake) and Carlie Warne (Melbur).**

Receiving their **Brown Wristbands** this week are: **Eden Marsh (Hendra), Kahlan Baker (Prosper), Karenza Perring and Cody Lee (Rosemellyn).**

Receiving their **Black/White Wristbands** this week are: **Reece Squire (Prosper), Polina Koleda (Melbur) and Molly Griffiths (Rosemellyn).**

Receiving their **Black/Orange Wristbands** this week are: **Ollie Udy (Hendra), Ava Bottery, Ellie Davies (Karslake) and Lauren Dash (Rosemellyn).**

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

Receiving her **Black/Purple Wristband** this week is: **Chloe Gummow (Karslake).**

⇒ **HAVE A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS**



Nanpean School would like to take the time in the last newsletter of 2016 to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Thank you to all pupils and staff for working so hard over the term and to all our families who supported the school.

NEWSLETTER

16/12/2016

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— Poppy Knowles for her amazing progress in reading.

Hendra— Jowin Aston for showing a fantastic attitude to all of his learning.

Prosper— Josh Gummow for his excellent manners and being a tremendous role model to his peers.

Karslake— Corey Griffiths for being kind to everyone and setting an excellent example to his class.

Melbur— Mackenzie Dash for always having a sensible attitude for learning.

Drinnick— James Armstrong for his resilience in singing practise

Rosemellyn— Hazel Tibbles for having a mature, organised approach to her homework.

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 achieved by;

Jack Rouse for his creative ideas in his independent writing.

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:

Kahlan Baker for being extremely helpful to the younger children in the dinner hall.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

⇒ **Tuesday 3rd January is an INSET day and so the school will be closed to pupils.**

⇒ There will be no clubs taking place during the first week back, new club letters will be sent home in the new year. If your child attends Karate on a Wednesday, please check with Byrne Black Belt Academy as to when their club resumes.

⇒ Christmas Fayre

Thank you to everyone who joined us for this years Christmas Fayre and contributed to making the event a huge success. With stalls such as decoration making, face painting, glitter tattoos, the Lucky Program raffle and a whole array of games and competitions, as well as our customary visit from Santa, there was something for everyone. If you have ordered a calendar but have not yet collected it, please pop in to the Office to pick it up. We would just like to reiterate that we wouldn't be able to run such fun family events without the support of staff, families, and local companies who all donated items or their time to the Fayre. Thank you to Miss Dash and Miss Pascoe for organising a fantastic event. The total raised was £647.20. The school council will help decide what this fundraising will be used for and we hope to let you know soon what their decision will be!

⇒ School Council Thank You

Thank you to our wonderful School Council who came up with the idea of a school 'Buddy Bench'. After appealing in last weeks newsletter for local businesses that may be able to help us with prices, we received the news that The Eden Project have very kindly agreed to Sponsor a Buddy Bench for our playground. The School Council children are delighted and would like to thank the Eden Project for their generosity towards the school.

ATTENDANCE

w/c 12/12/2016		Karslake	94.74%
Eden	91.03%	Melbur	97.22%
Hendra	97.78%	Drinnick	91.36%
Prosper	93.24%	<u>Rosemellyn</u>	<u>98.15%</u>

Attendance for the term		Karslake	96.10%
Eden	96.35%	Melbur	96.76%
Hendra	96.81%	Drinnick	95.62%
Prosper	96.14%	<u>Rosemellyn</u>	<u>97.84%</u>

Our whole school attendance for the Autumn Term was 96.52%, which is slightly below our 97% target.

Well done to the 47 children who were in school everyday this term. This fantastic achievement was celebrated in our Achievement Assembly this morning. If your child was not able to get 100% attendance this term, they could still get the reward for getting 100% attendance for the Spring Term.

⇒ Autumn Term Dates

Monday 19/12/16—HOLIDAY CLUB

⇒ Spring Term Dates

Monday 2/1/17—BANK HOLIDAY

Tuesday 3/1/17—INSET DAY (no school for pupils)

Wednesday 4/1/17—Term 2 Starts

Wednesday 4/1/17, 9am—Parents Forum

Friday 6/1/17 am—Pupil Visioning (pupils only)

9/1/17, 10/1/17, 12/1/17, 13/1/17—Year 6 Bikeability

Tuesday 10/1/17, 3:30pm—Football match against St Dennis (away)

Monday 6/2/17, 3:30pm—Celebration of Learning Event (parents invited)

Tuesday 7/2/17—Safer Internet Day

Thursday 9/2/17—School Nurse Drop-In

13/2/17-17/2/17—HALF TERM BREAK

Friday 24/2/17—5 a side football, Polkyth

Wednesday 1/3/17, 9am—Parents Forum

Thursday 2/3/17—World Book Day

Monday 6/3/17, 1:30-4:30pm—Parents Evening

Wednesday 8/3/17, 3:30-6:30pm—Parents Evening

Thursday 9/3/17, pm—Gorsedh Event

⇒ Go Active Holiday Club ~ 19/12/2016

The Go Active Holiday club taking place on Monday 19th December is now full. If you haven't already booked your child's place, please do not just turn up on the day as there will not be enough staff to allow your child to stay.

⇒ Parents Forum ~ 04/01/2017

Mrs Wicks will be running the January Parents' Forum on Wednesday 4th January (the first day back) at 9am. These Forums have been instrumental in moving the school forward and all suggestions and queries are helpful in determining what we are doing well and what we could do better. The forums are informal and often do not last longer than 30 minutes, so do please take the time to come along.

⇒ Have a Restful Christmas!

I think it is safe to say that we are all very ready for the Christmas Holidays. We have had a number of children off with illness, including stomach bug, chicken pox and suspected hand, foot and mouth, so please take the time to relax and recuperate so that everyone can enjoy the festivities and come back to school in 2017 with improved health and attendance in the Spring Term.

Yours Sincerely,

Mrs C Wicks

Head teacher

