

NANPEAN SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Friday 4th July 2025



Dates for the Diary

Monday 7 July:

Y6 transition day to secondary school.

Wednesday 16 July:

Y5 transition day at Brannel.

Friday 11 July: Reports sent home.

Every Wednesday until end of term:

Ice Cream Sale

Every Friday until end of term:

Tuck Shop

Wednesday 23rd July :

Year 6 Leavers Celebration (Year 6 parents invited)

HEADTEACHER'S MESSAGE

Dear Parents/Carers

We've had another fantastic week at school, and we want to say a huge well done to all of our pupils for their hard work and positive attitude—especially in the heat! Everyone has shown great resilience and determination, and we're so proud of how they've continued to give their best.

Transition Sessions – Monday

Next week marks an exciting time as we begin our transition sessions on Monday. Children will be spending some time in their new classes, meeting their teachers and support staff as they prepare for the next step in their school journey. Our Year 6 pupils will also be heading off for visits to their new secondary schools—we wish them all the very best in this exciting transition.

End-of-Year Reports

Hopefully you have received your child's end-of-year report. We hope you've taken time to read through it together and celebrate all the progress and achievements they've made. It has been a joy to see how much each child has grown this year, and we are extremely proud of them all.

Welcome to Our New Reception Children

This week, it's been a real pleasure to welcome our new Reception children and their families to the school during our Stay and Play sessions. We're so excited for them to begin their school journey with us in September!

Our School Rule Focus: Care for Everyone and Everything

As we approach the final two and a half weeks of term, we will be focusing on one of our key school rules: Care for everyone and everything. This is a wonderful opportunity for all children to reflect on how they can show kindness, respect, and responsibility in all areas of school life.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. We look forward to another brilliant week ahead!

Warm regards,

Miss Nile
Headteacher

ATTENDANCE

Every moment counts at school. By attending school and arriving on time, children can maximise their learning potential. Please ensure that the children arrive promptly at 8:45am, ready to start the first lesson at 9am, this will ensure that they do not miss out on valuable learning time. Your support to prioritise regular school attendance and punctuality is greatly appreciated. If your child is ill please remember to call the office, stating the reason why they are off before 9am. You will need to do this for each day of absence.

Eden – 97.37%

Hendra – 96.3%

Melbur – 95.83%

Drinnick – 97.22%

Rosemellyn – 86.61%



★ Stars of the Week ★



Each week, Nanpean School staff choose one pupil from their class who has shone to be their class star. **This week, our stars were:**

Eden - Lilly - for being so keen to practise her maths work in her own time. She loves a challenge!

Hendra - Lowena - for being a very kind and supportive friend.

Melbur - Elijah - for showing good behaviour for learning and being ready with his equipment.

Drinnick - Skye - for thoughtful, confident contributions to all our class discussions this week

Rosemellyn - Henry - for consistently giving 100% effort in all of his work.

🏆 Citizenship Award 🏆

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

Citizenship Award went to:

Elliott (Hendra) - for noticing that someone was sat by themselves at lunchtime and moving to sit with them and cheer them up.

🏆 Sports Star 🏆

This week's Sports Star is:

Frankie (Melbur) - for excellent effort and determination when trying a new netball position and performing well in that position.

HOUSEPOINTS

Housepoints awarded for this week were as follows:

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Class	Godrevey (Green)	Lizard (Yellow)	Pendeen (Blue)	Trevose (Red)	Wolf Rock (Purple)
Eden	25	18	25	25	22
Hendra	18	17	22	13	6
Melbur	7	4	3	5	6
Drinnick	15	15	16	17	15
Rosemellyn	11	16	14	16	14
Whole School	76	70	80	76	63
Term Total	2346	2336	2315	2310	1729

SCHOOL RULES

At Nanpean, this week we have continued to focus on the Nanpean School Rules which are:

- To show good manners at all times.**
- To follow instructions with thought and care.**
- To care for everyone and everything.**

We have been paying particular attention to using our manners, saying good morning to each other, opening doors for others and using please, thank you and you're welcome.

This week's winning team is Pendeen.

ATTENDANCE

Please take the time to read the below information regarding unauthorised absences.

If your child is absent from school without authorisation, you will be committing an offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £80 if paid within 21 days or £160 if paid after this but within 28 days.

If your child is further absent from school without authorisation within any 3-year period, you will be committing a further offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices for a second offence are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £160, payable within 28 days.

Importantly, fines per parent will be capped to two fines within any three-year period. Once this limit has been reached, other action such as a parenting order or prosecution will be considered.

Failure to pay the Penalty Notice may also result in legal action. If you are prosecuted and attend court because your child has not been attending school, you could get a fine of up to £2,500. Cornwall Council may also apply for the costs incurred in taking the matter to Court, including legal costs.

Absence not authorised by the school may also result in a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court under Section 444(1) or Section 444(1A) of the Education Act 1996, leading to a fine of up to £2,500 and/or a custodial sentence. Again, Cornwall Council may also apply for the costs incurred in taking the matter to Court, including legal costs.

Money raised from fines is only used by the local authority to cover the costs of administering the system, and to fund attendance support. Any extra money is returned to the government.



SUMMER FAMILY CYCLING FESTIVAL

THURSDAY 14th AUGUST

1000 TO 1400

AT PAR TRACK PL24 2PB

ON THE DAY

- LEARN TO RIDE WITH ONE OF OUR INSTRUCTORS
- FUN PERSONAL BEST COMPETITIONS
- VISIT OUR MECHANICS FOR A FREE BIKE CHECK
- LEARN NEW CYCLING SKILLS
- TRY OUT OUR ADAPTIVE BIKES

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BIKEABILITY FESTIVAL

What's happening on the day:

- Learn to Ride tasters for all ages – book your slot by emailing Sarah: events@thecornwallbicycleproject.co.uk
 - Try adapted bikes – fun, accessible cycling for all
 - Bike Skills Area with support from the team at Woody's Bike Park
 - Bike MOTs & Fixes with Pentewan Cycle Hire – free basic checks and adjustments
 - Kit Sale – loads of great donated gear from Alpkit, raising funds for future cycling sessions (card payments accepted)
- Bring your own bike or try one of ours. It's completely free to attend and suitable for everyone – from absolute beginners to confident riders.

When: Thursday 14th August 10–2

Where: Par Track, Par PL24 2PB

More info: www.thecornwallbicycleproject.co.uk

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Nurturing New Beginnings – Step into primary school

A 90-minute workshop to attend with your child

Join us for an engaging and informative workshop designed to help parents and carers support their child's smooth and confident transition from nursery to reception.

We'll explore:

- How to prepare your child emotionally
- Practical tips for building independence
- Strategies to boost your child's confidence

Come along to one of our friendly sessions:

Date	Time 13:30-	Venue The Lighthouse Family Hub
Wednesday 30 July 2025	15:00 13:30-	(Falmouth) Newquay Family Hub St
Monday 4 Aug 2025	15:00 12:30-	Dennis Family Hub St Pauls Family Hub
Wednesday 6 Aug 2025	14:00 13:30-	(Truro)
Wednesday 20 Aug 2025	15:00	



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A90-minute workshop to attend with your child

Starting secondary school is a big step — and we're here to help make it a smooth one! Join us for an engaging and informative workshop designed to help parents and carers support their child's smooth transition from primary to secondary.

We'll explore:

- How to prepare your child emotionally and practically
- Tips for building confidence and independence
- Ways to support your child through change

Come along to one of our friendly sessions:

Date	Time	Venue
Wednesday 30 July 2025	10:00-11:30	The Park Family Hub (Falmouth)
Wednesday 6 Aug 2025	14:45-16:15	St Dennis Family Hub
Wednesday 13 Aug 2025	13:30-15:00	Pondhu Family Hub (St Austell)
Wednesday 20 Aug 2025	10:00-11:30	St Pauls Family Hub (Truro)



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