

PENSILVA PRIMARY SCHOOL
NEWSLETTER
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To Live, To Love, To Learn

House Captains



Well done to all the pupil's who put their names forward to become Team Captains. We are very proud of how the children organised and presented their campaigns, creating and displaying eye catching persuasive posters, explaining why they would make a great Team Captain. They delivered their speeches with confidence and maturity and should be proud of themselves. All the children were able to vote for the candidate they felt would best represent their house as Team Captain. We would like to say a very big congratulations to the following pupil's:

Lauren Russell and **Ellie Pote** who were voted team captains for **Trelawney**
Samuel Lambert and **Freya Warne** who were voted team captains for **Pendennis**.

Apologies

There was an error in last weeks newsletter Pensilva Youth Club should have read **Pensilva Youth Football Club** Sorry for any confusion this may have caused.

Provisional Dates for Cross Country Races

October 13th
November 10th
January 12th
February 2nd
March 2nd
November 19th Cornish Fun Run Starting from Pensilva.

Forms

Please could all flu immunisation forms be returned to the office by 3rd November. Weight and Height forms for Yr R and Yr6 need to be returned by 3rd October. Please return any outstanding data update.

Meet the Teacher

Tamar class teacher, Mrs Tween will be holding a "meet the Teacher" for parents and carers of the children in her class session in Tamar Class on Thursday 28th September at 3:30pm.

Round Pound Coins

From October 15th the old round pound coins will no longer be legal tender. The last day that we will be able to accept these at school will be 2nd October. Thank you for your co-operation with this.

P.S.A AGM Meeting

The P.S.A would like to invite everyone to their annual general meeting on the 16th of October at 7pm to be held at Pensilva Primary School.

South Hill Parish Hall in Golberdon

**Please
VOTE**



M&S Energy grant

Power the Night with Sunlight

Storing solar energy to use after dark,
saving money and making the Hall
more sustainable.

visit www.SOUTH-HILL.co.uk for details

or South Hill Parish FaceBook

Spread the word, help us win this funding
to support the Parish Hall -
our most valued asset.

SHARE@south-hill.co.uk

Your vote counts

Thank you.



Secondary School Admissions

The Deadline date for applying for secondary school for next year is 31st October 2017
www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions

Lines of Communication

We are always looking for better ways to communicate with parents and carers, in view of this we now have our own school app.

To download the app go to your app store search **ourschoolapp** once downloaded enter the name of the school or our postcode (PL14 5PG) Once you see the school name displayed, touch the screen and confirm your choice by pressing "ok".

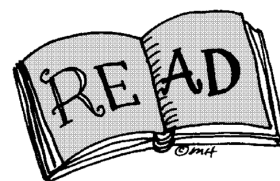
Once downloaded, you will be able to receive push notifications keeping you informed of any important dates and information.

Reading Challenge

The reading challenge is back! Over the last couple of days your child should have received a letter with information about the reading challenge, this will involve all pupils from Yr1 to Yr 6.

Children will need to read to an adult at home at least 3 times a week and have their reading record booked signed. Each time a pupil has their reading record signed by an adult at home they will receive a stamp on their book mark. Each child that receives 3 stamps every week, each half term, will receive a certificate and reward within their class.

Please see the reading challenge letter or speak to your child's teacher about ways that you can help, support and encourage your child with their reading.



Diary Dates

18-09-17 Swiss students visit 2 weeks
25-09-17 Marjon Student
28-09-17 CCC Open morning for yr6
28-09-17 Lynher Class surf trip
29-09-17 National Poetry Day
03-10-17 Yr1 hearing screening
02-10-17 CCC Open Morning Yr6
04-10-17 CCC Open Morning Yr6
04-10-17 No pen Wednesday
04-10-17 World Animal Day
16-10-17 School Photos
23-10-17 to 27-10-17 Half Term
20-11-17 Flu Immunisations Yr R—4
14-12-17 School Choir singing St John's Church
20-12-17 Last Day of Term
21-12-17 Christmas Holidays

04-01-18 First Day of Term
12-02-18 to 16-02-18 Half Term
29-03-18 Last day of Term
30-03-18 Easter Holidays
16-04-18 First day of term
25-04-18 CCC open Evening Yrs 4 & 5
07-02-18 Bank Holiday
21-05-18 CCC primary school visits
28-05-18 to 01-06-18 Half Term
04-06-18 CCC primary school visits
07/08-06-18 Inset days
12-06-18 CCC enhanced transition day
19-06-18 CCC enhanced transition day
03-07-18 CCC standard transition day
23/24-07-18 Inset days
24-07-18 Last day of term

Attendance

Tiddy 95.56%
Loveny 99.29%
Warleggan 88.64%
Tamar 97.59%
Lynher 97.08%

Whole school Attendance 95.16%
Authorised Absences 3.93%
Unauthorised Absences 0.08%
Lates 0.49%
Well done to **Loveny** for the highest attendance rate.