

PENSILVA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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To Live, To Love, To Learn

Pensilva v Upton Cross Football Match

Yesterday, the Pensilva football team travelled to Upton Cross for the first match of this term. A great effort was made by all and it was a very convincing win by Pensilva with a fantastic score of 8-0. Scarlett Cooper (Captain) said, "I am very proud of my team—we played extremely well and scored some amazing goals!" Well done!

The team play their next match against St Germans next Thursday at home. They have two further games scheduled against Antony and Pelynt.



Online safety

Digital Wellbeing - Childnet Guidance for Parents



Growing up in the Digital World can be both positive and negative for our children. Technology allows them to connect, share and learn in all sorts of ways. But, as recent research has shown, being online can put pressure on children or expose them to upsetting experiences.

As adults, it can be difficult to know how to support our children to become healthy, confident users of technology.

So Childnet has produced guidance to support parents in this. It is organised into different age groups from 3-18 year-olds and provides support for parents with children of all ages: <https://www.childnet.com/parents-and-carers/hot-topics/digital-wellbeing>

The afterschool club is open daily from 3.15-6pm. Please continue to book children in with at least once day notice at the school office. The cost of the provision will remain the same at £7 per session.

Cotehele Cross Country Race Report

On Friday 18 January, we had the 3rd race of the season and Pensilva had a team of 16 runners. This was the wettest race yet. The rain didn't stop for any of the races so the course was both challenging, muddy and fun for the runners (and spectators!).

The first race was year 3/4 girls - Charlotte Hogan, Bethany Swinburne, and Paige Higley coming 50th, 51st and 97th respectively.

Year 3/4 boys next. Great result for Dylan Hollyman with 15th place, Ben Rogers 63rd, Oliver Evans 81st, William Hicks 82nd, and Luka Wyatt 87th.

Next up was year 5/6 girls with Macy Wilson coming in at a fantastic 6th place, Bryony Page 60th, Kylie Rushton 88th and Polly Gilbert 89th

Finally, the year 5/6 boys – Alex Rogers 73rd, Henry Timms 86th, Duncan Dyas 99th and Curtis Pringle 100th

Well done to each and every one of the runners; you all showed great positive spirit, grit and determination. Thank you also the parents and carers whose support makes these events possible.

Provisional dates for next races are :

- Venue to be confirmed - February 1st 2019
- Venue to be confirmed - March 1st 2019
- Landrake School Run (NON League) - March 8th 2019

We look forward to seeing you at training.

31-01-19 Pensilva v St Germans football
 15-02-19 Last day of term
 18-02-19 to 22-02-19 February Half term
 25-02-19 Back to school
 05-04-19 Last day of term
 08-04-19 to 22-04-19 Easter Holiday
 23-04-19 Back to school
 06-05-19 Bank Holiday. School closed.
 Week of the 13th May—Year 6 SATs week
 20th—22nd May Year 3 and 4 Residential trip to Heatree

24-05-19 Last day of term
 27-05-19 to 31-05-19 Half Term
 03-06-19 Back to school
 07-06-19 INSET day. School closed.
 10-06-19 INSET Day. School closed
 11th to 14th June Year 6 Residential trip to London
 23-01-19 Last day of school
 24-07-19 INSET day. School closed.
 25-07-19 INSET day. School closed.

Attendance

Daymer 94.91%
 Polzeath 92.93%
 Holywell 96.03%
 Harlyn 94.25%

Whole school Attendance
94.61%

Authorised Absences
5.39%

Unauthorised Absences
0%

Lates
0%

Well done Holywell class for this week's highest attendance!

Reading Challenge

Daymer 35%
 Polzeath 41%
 Holwell 63%
 Harlyn 62%



Well done to Holywell class.