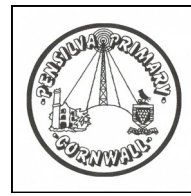


# Pensilva Primary School Newsletter



To Live, To Love, To Learn

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Thursday 9th June 2022

## Wrens class

In Wrens Class we planted bean seeds in clear cups so that we could see them grow. Before half term lots of them started to grow roots and small shoots and over the half term many of them have grown really tall shoots and even some little leaves. We spent time today looking at the white roots and talking about their purpose, as well as the shoots and leaves. We are excited to see how much they are going to grow in the next couple of weeks.



## Doves class

Doves met some special visitors; thanks to Kenlee and his Mum.

The children were introduced to 2 kids( just 5 weeks old) and some young lambs. Many children were able to try their hand at bottle feeding, all were excited to get close and smooth them down and we heard how Kenlee gets up super early to help care for them at home.



## Puffins class

This term we will be learning about plants in science. We will learn the names of different parts of plants, and the jobs they do. The children will work scientifically and collaboratively to investigate what plants need to grow well and will present their findings to their classmates. Furthermore, they will have chance to predict what will happen in an exciting investigation into the transportation of water within plants. They will work in a hands-on way to identify the parts of a flower and will explore the different stages of the life cycle of a flowering plant.

In history we will be learning about the development of the Railways in Great Britain and finding out about the history of the railways and significant early locomotives. We will also investigate some important historical events, such as the opening of the first passenger carrying railway lines and the Rainhill Trials and about some of the key people who were influential in the development of the railways. In addition to this we will learn about the development of locomotive technology and examine the differences between steam, diesel and electric locomotives.

## Buzzards Class

Buzzard Class have worked scientifically this week, developing their investigation planning skills. They have looked at variables, fair testing and what can be measured and observed. They had great fun testing a range of parachutes.

In computing, Buzzards explored internet safety and how scammers can try to gain access to personal data through things such as phishing.

Dates  
for your  
DIARY 

Friday 10th and Monday 13th June—INSET days. School closed

Thursday 30th June—Sport's Day

Thursday 7th July—reserve Sport's Day

Friday 8th July—whole school trip to STERTS

Wednesday 13th July—Year 6 leavers trip to Woodlands

Friday 22nd July—last day of term

Monday 25th July—INSET day. School closed

Tuesday 26th July—Platinum Jubilee (taken in lieu of 3rd June). School closed

Attendance

Wrens	92.5%	Doves	95.98%	Puffins	95.39%	Buzzards	93.10%
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