Pensilva Primary School Newsletter

To Live, To Love, To Learn

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Thursday 22nd July 2021

As we reach the end of another unusual year, We would like to wish everyone a fantastic Summer holiday. We would also like to thank you again for your hard work and partnership through Lockdown and in general.

We were so pleased today to be able to invite parents of our Year 6 pupils to attend their Leavers' Assembly. The children had organised an entertaining presentation and exuded confidence in their delivery. They will be much missed here but we know there are exciting times ahead for them and wish them all well for the future. When the rest of the children return on 7th September, it is likely that the drop off and pick up routines will be different. Based on the experiences of the last 4 terms, however, we will not leap to change arrangements just yet but will let you know via text on 6th September!

Happy Holidays, everyone.

Best wishes,

Teresa Clinick and all the staff

GOODBYE YEAR 6

2021



It is that sad time of year when we say goodbye to our amazing Year 6's. We hope they have enjoyed their time at Pensilva Primary School and wish them all luck for the journey ahead of them.

We have had great fun over the last couple of weeks practising for the leaver's assembly, going to Tamar Trails and doing Bubble Football and Nerf War games!

At Tamar Trails many of us conquered our fears, achieved something we have never done before and had a really, fantastic adventurous day out. The activities involved archery, tree surfing, climbing Jacob's ladder, walking the balance beam and zooming down the exhilarating but terrifying Big Zip!



"I'm going to miss Emily because we have been best friends since Year 2" Charlotte.

"I'm going to miss everyone, and the school have felt like a family" Emily.

"I will miss all my fantastic friends and its nice that I am going to the same school as Callum and Evan"

Danny

"I will miss all my friends and its nice that I will have three friends at Liskeard with me and my cousin"

Mia

"I have enjoyed going to Pensilva Primary School" Callum

"I am excited about going to Callington but will miss my friends that are going to Liskeard" Archie

"I will miss the teachers, but I am glad I will still see my friends" Bethany

"I loved Tamar Trails, especially the Tree Surfing" Ben

"The Nerf War and Bubble Football were my favourite" Roger

"I am going to miss my friends" Elliot

"I enjoyed facing my fears at Tamar Trails" Stephanie

"I loved the Bubble Football because I somersault without getting hurt!" Poppy

"The activities we did in Year 6 were fun" Ethan

"I am going to miss Pensilva Primary School" Scarlet

"I will miss everybody in the class and I enjoyed going to Tamar Trails" Evie

"I am excited to go to Callington and look forward to seeing them at Callington" Evan

"I will just miss my friends and I liked Tamar Trails" Harry

"I have enjoyed coming to school but will miss my friends" Paige

To Pensilva Primary School community,

As the academic year of 2020/21 draws to a close, I would like to express on behalf of all the governing body, our sincere gratitude to you all for the support shown to the school throughout this challenging time.

I am delighted to have the opportunity to be proud of our school so often, none more so than this year when at a time of demands previously unknown to the majority of us, the dedication of you all has resulted in providing not only stability but also progress in such unprecedented times.

My own experience of home learning certainly had its highs and lows, so I truly am in awe to have heard of the engagement and progress achieved by the pupils of Pensilva. Whilst the governors have had opportunity to express thanks to all staff for their part to play in this, we would like to say what a fantastic job we thought YOU did in supporting the children to continue their education.

It is due to everyone's efforts that we have been able to enjoy not only day to day routine, but also the milestones of swimming, sports day and leavers celebrations. Thank you.

I hope everyone is able to enjoy the summer holidays filled with sunshine, social times and continue to be safe. We look forward to your return to school on Tuesday 7th September 2021, for an exciting year with new classes, teachers, achievements and memories to be made.

Yours most sincerely,

Alex Putna

Chair of Pensilva Primary School Governors

Friday 23rd July—INSET Day. School closed

Monday 6th September—INSET Day. School closed

Tuesday 7th September—start of Autumn term



PENSILVA PRE-SCHOOL FUNDRAISING DAY









Hot Food

Face Painting Cake Sale

Photos with Elsa Raffle

Live Music

Mobile Bar

Dog Show

Ice Cream

Bouncy Castle

Table Top Sale

Tables for tabletop sale £3

15th August 2021

1100-1600

Millenium House, Pensilva



MATT PARTRIDGE - THE NUTTY EFFECT

Table

Top Sale







Liskeard Library invite your child to join the Summer Reading Challenge 2021. If your child has not joined the library or perhaps has an unused library card at home, we would like to encourage them to take part in this year's challenge, 'Wild World Heroes'.

Children's reading can 'dip' during the long summer holidays. The annual Summer Reading Challenge helps get three quarters of a million children into libraries to keep up their reading skills and confidence. The Summer Reading Chal-

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Presented by The Reading Agency.

Delivered in partnership with libraries

Summer Reading Challenge 2021

encourages children aged 4 to 11 to read six books during the long

summer holiday.

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It is a fun free activity for children to take part in, with prizes and stickers to collect throughout the challenge. For all children who complete the challenge there is a medal and certificate, the certificate will be presented at school in the autumn term. Signing up to the challenge is really easy; just bring your children to any library from Saturday 10th July. Following the new law regarding data collection and use, we will be asking you to sign a personal data statement.

The challenge finishes on Saturday 11th September so make sure to visit Liskeard Library again before school starts.

Liskeard Library is still located temporarily at Luxstowe House, Liskeard to allow for a refurbishment to take place. Once this refurbishment has been completed, the Library will return to Barras Street.

We look forward to welcoming children to the library this summer. Opening Hours for Liskeard Library:

Monday	10:00 - 17:00
Tuesday	10:00 - 17:00
Wednesday	10:00 - 17:00
Thursday	10:00 - 17:00
Friday	10:00 - 17:00
Saturday	10:00 - 13:00