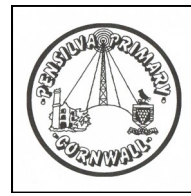


# Pensilva Primary School Newsletter

To Live, To Love, To Learn

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Friday 26th May 2023

I can't quite believe that we've reached the end of another half term. It definitely seems like only yesterday that we were gearing up for Easter and somehow June is just around the corner. It has been such a busy half term at Pensilva. A huge congratulations to our Year 6 and Year 2 children who have completed their SATs assessments over recent weeks. I'm very proud of the positive attitude with which they tackled these assessments.

As the weather has remained kind to us, the children have been playing on the field at lunch and break times. What a difference it has made to see the children enjoying playing together and enjoying our grounds and the weather.

Talking of making a difference. I lead an assembly on Tuesday asking the children to go MAD - Make A Difference. We spoke about ways we could make a positive difference at school, at home and in the community. The children were full of ideas about how they could make a difference including playing with different children, picking up litter and even helping to wash the dishes at home. I look forward to hearing how they manage to go MAD over the half term.

With that, the only thing left to say is to wish you all a great half term. If you are keen to get outside some more, have a look at the 30 Days Wild scheme which has a wealth of ideas to get outside and interact with nature. Stay safe and enjoy the week off.

Matt Davies

On Tuesday, Wrens class had a visit from Liskeard Fire Station. The children were shown lots of different equipment including hosepipes and a thermal imaging camera. They were able to look and touch the clothing firefighters wear to keep them safe and even got to sit in the fire engine!



Dates  
for your  
DIARY

5th June—Children return to school  
6th June—18th July (every Tuesday except 4th July) - Buzzards class swimming  
8th June—Sports Day  
15th June—Reserve Sports Day  
9th and 12th June—INSET days. School closed  
30th June—Summer fayre 2pm  
3rd—7th July—Year 6 residential to Barton Hall  
14th July—Year 6 Woodlands trip  
17th July—KS2 summer performance. 1.30pm  
19th July—KS2 summer performance. 6pm  
20th July—Non-school uniform. £1 voluntary donation to the PSA  
21st July—Year 6 leavers assembly  
21st July—Last day of term  
24th and 25th July—INSET days. School closed  
26th July—3rd September—Summer holiday  
4th September—Start of the Autumn term  
4th September—INSET Day. School closed  
5th September—Children return to school

## Attendance

Wrens	86.32%
Doves	91.07%
Puffins	82.17%
Buzzards	93.79%
Whole school	88.89%