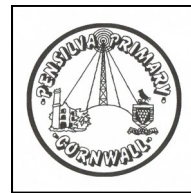


Pensilva Primary School Newsletter

To Live, To Love, To Learn

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Friday 31st March 2023

It is hard to believe that we have come to the end of the spring term already. It only seems like yesterday that I was writing my first newsletter back in January and now here we are at Easter. They say that time flies if you're having fun!

Fun is a very apt word for this week. On Wednesday the whole school set off to Paignton Zoo. It may have been wet, but our spirits weren't dampened. The children were a real asset to the school: enthusiastic, polite and full of wonder. It was a joy to see the joy on their faces throughout the day.

I can't mention the zoo without mentioning the PSA who helped fund the trip. They work tirelessly to raise funds which benefit the whole school. This term alone they have organized competitions, a jumble sale, a film night and have more exciting plans in the pipeline. I'm sure you will all join me in thanking them for the time, effort and enthusiasm.

All that leaves me to say now is Pask Lowen/Happy Easter. I hope you have a wonderful break and manage to spend lots of quality time with your children. They deserve it after their efforts this term!

Matt Davies

Cross-country news



Well done to Noah and Emilia who represented the school yesterday at the cross-country finals in Newquay.

Both did amazingly well coming 9th (Noah) and 7th (Emilia)! We are very proud of them both!



A number of our children completed at least 3 out of the 5 cross-country races in this last season and were awarded a medal at the presentation evening on Wednesday. Emilia also came 2nd overall in the year 3/4 category and was awarded a trophy as well as the medal.

Well done to all the children who took part and keep up the good running!

Well done to everyone for all the fantastic entries to our design a hat for your favourite book competition. We had hats of many different colours, styles and designs for a massive range of books. It is lovely to talk to the children about their favourite books that inspired their hat design.

Many hats can be viewed on the World Book Day page on our school website. They are now displayed in class reading areas or in our school library.

Mr Davies had a very hard job this week, deciding on the winning hat in each class. The winners all chose a great book as a prize. Here are our winners:

Wrens: Max

Doves: Mila

Puffins: Mia

Buzzards: Dyle

Attendance

Wrens	88.5%	Doves	92.5%	Puffins	90.24%	Buzzards	93.33%
Whole school		91.42%					

Dates for your



17th April—Children return to school
 1st May—Bank holiday. School closed
 8th May—Bank holiday. School closed
 26th May—Last day of term
 29th May—2nd June—Half term
 5th June—Children return to school
 8th June—Sports Day
 15th June—Reserve Sports Day
 9th and 12th June—INSET days. School closed
 3rd—7th July—Year 6 residential to Barton Hall
 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

Mr Jones will be doing a Step Up Club (walking club).

Open to all years but children must be accompanied by an adult.

Every Thursday starting 20th April until 4.15pm.

To sign up, please email secretary@pensilva.cornwall.sch.uk

All new clubs starting after the Easter holiday will be advertised when we return.