

Pensans Post

Spring term 25/03/22



Dear Parents and Carers,

What a fantastic week! I would like to thank you all for helping us to exceed our fund-raising target for Comic Relief last Friday. The target was set at £500 and the total raised was £530, it was a great opportunity for our Virtues Ambassadors to support the younger children in the school and I know how much Bumblebees enjoyed working with the Year 6s.

The Pensans School String Orchestra performed publicly last Sunday and to the delight of the rest of the school repeated their musical pieces to the rest of the school on Thursday morning; they were fabulous - thank you Emma and Mrs Manta for supporting and teaching the children so well.

In our Community Assembly this week children in Year 3,4,5 and 6 thought about home and what we need to thrive. Each Class spent time on the Roof Garden with Rev Yates, thinking about how we nurture all living things, and planting sunflower seeds - which look forward to seeing in bloom later in the year.

I have spent time on the playground at lunchtime this week. The weather has been fabulous; the range of toys and activities available is wonderful. Despite being short of staff the children are having all of the games and equipment they need to enjoy their playtimes.

It's so lovely to have Linda Oliver back in the office - I know that you have missed her as much as we have and we're looking forward to spending more time with her in the coming weeks.

Enjoy the weekend sunshine!

Angela Clay

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

5th April Easter Egg Trail 2.30pm
Pensans School Field

11th April to 22nd April - Easter holidays

2021-2022 INSET Days:

Monday 6th June

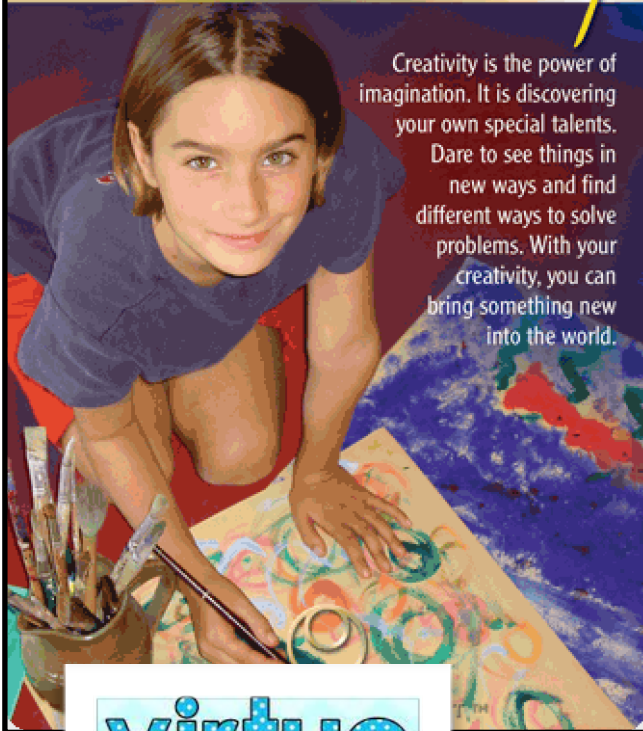
Monday 25th July

Tuesday 26th July



- * **EYFS:** Caterpillars, Butterflies & Bumblebees (Y0)
- * **Phase 1 / KS1:** Green (Y1) & Orange (Y2)
- * **Phase 2 / KS2:** Amber (Y3) Cobalt (Y4)
- * **Phase 3 / KS2:** Indigo (Y5), Violet (Y5), Turquoise (Y6)

Creativity



Creativity is the power of imagination. It is discovering your own special talents. Dare to see things in new ways and find different ways to solve problems. With your creativity, you can bring something new into the world.

You are practicing Creativity when you...

- Discover your gifts
- Use knowledge and training to develop them
- Think of new ways to make things work better
- Use your imagination
- Take time for dreaming
- Do things in your own creative way

Affirmation

*I am creative. I have special gifts and use discipline to develop them.
I am open to inspiration. I am happy to be myself.*



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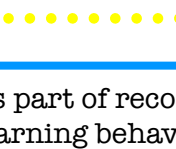
Computer and video games have a Pan-European Game Information (PEGI) rating printed on the front of the case. If your child is at Pensans, any game they play or watch should have a green PEGI. Please be aware that playing games out of their age range is a child protection issue and be aware of what they are playing. Even if your child is only watching an older family member playing a game with a 12, 16 or 18 rating, they still are being exposed to unsuitable material.

If you think your child may be entitled to "Free School Meals" please email Mrs Oliver in reception(messages@pensans.cornwall.sch.uk) This also applies to those having free dinners because they are in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 and have "Universal Infant Free School Meals" because of their age. Our school also receives Pupil Premium funding for each child on Free School Meals so as well as helping you, it also helps our school.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS
Information & Support



Stars of the week



Butterflies	Nancy	For being kind and caring to her friends and joining in activities with great excitement.
Bumblebees	Whole Class	For their enthusiasm for completing their sponsored walk.
Green	Ruby L	For showing respect and enthusiasm towards her learning and peers.
Orange	Kacie	For working so hard in literacy and writing a brilliant piece of description.
Amber	Quinn	For his concentration and cooperation during the French lesson.
Cobalt	Karina	For showing compassion in the classroom when working with and supporting her peers. Karina has also shown increased focus and self discipline.
Violet	Dominick	For his determination in tennis and whilst practising A,B and C!
Indigo	Finlay	For his courage and determination.
Turquoise	Leila for showing courage when sharing her thoughtful, insightful and well-considered contribution during the Forgiveness discussion.	
Golden tickets for beautiful manners at lunchtimes	Bumblebees - Lily Lee; Green - Koby ; Orange - Reuben;	
	Amber - Elisei; Cobalt - Alexa ; Indigo-Charlie S ;	
	Violet - Aaliyah; Turquoise - James	
For showing great virtues at lunchtime!	Jade W, Matteo L, Izabel S, Marley T	
Smartest Classroom and Cloakroom	Congratulations to Cobalt Class!	

As part of recognising outstanding learning behaviours, we will be celebrating the children who have achieved **BLUE** each week. Well done to everyone who achieved it this week!



Blue:

I produce **outstanding** work.
 I have **worked my hardest** and the adults around me recognise that I have made a **great effort**.
 I have been a **fantastic friend** to others, helping out when I was needed.
 I continue to make all of the **right choices** in my learning and behaviours.
 I show **care and consideration** for others and my school.

Class	Well done for achieving blue this week!
Bumblebees	Charlie and Freddie
Green	Finnley and Poppy
Orange	Louisa and Tyler
Amber	Elisei and Riley
Cobalt	Armel and Raymond
Violet	Sancha and Luna
Indigo	Imogen and Corey
Turquoise	Fred W and Sam C



Pensans Nursery

Spaces Available for 2, 3 & 4 Year Olds



Caterpillar and Butterfly classes offer mornings sessions from 8.45 - 11.45



If your child is 1, apply now for a place for the term after your child turns 2.

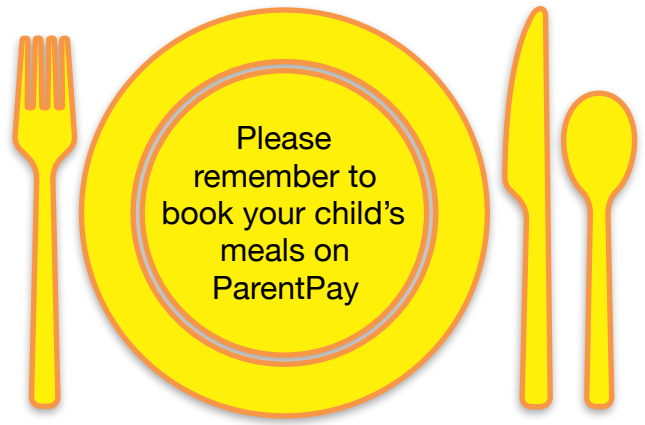


For details contact: 01736 363627



messages@pensans.cornwall.sch.uk

Or pop into our friendly reception and collect an application pack



Are you following us on Twitter and FaceBook?

Keep up-to-date with all of the exciting things that are going on @pensansschool (Twitter) and @pensans.primary (Facebook)



Families with more than one child

Drop Off - 8.45am. Pick Up - 2.45pm

EYFS - Caterpillars, Butterflies and Bumblebees

Drop off : 8.45am Caterpillars and Butterflies and 8.45am for Bumblebees

Pick Up: Currently as arranged with teachers due to phased times for transition.

Normally: 11.45am for Nursery or 2.45pm for reception and 30 hour funded hours children.

Path towards Nancealverne School to EYFS wooden gate.

Phase 1 - Green and Orange

Drop off - 8.50am

Pick Up - Green, Orange - 2.50pm

Green and Orange Class - through the KS1 playground near the disabled parking bay.

Phase 2 - Cobalt and Amber

Drop off - 8.40am

Pick Up - 2.40pm

Cobalt Class - through end doors in KS1 playground, near the disabled parking bay.

Amber Class - Doors to the right of Reception area door.

Phase 3 - Indigo, Violet and Turquoise

Drop off - 8.30am

Pick Up - 2.35pm

Violet Class - through shared area doors to the left of Reception area.

Indigo Class - through the gates to the main playground and then through the shared area doors.

Turquoise Class - Through the gate to the main playground and straight onto the playground.





War in Ukraine

At school we are being very mindful about the messages we are sharing with the children.

We haven't **'told'** the children about it but have been **'listening'** to the children's thoughts and feelings and have then responded in thoughtful and measured ways. We have used the valuable Newsround resource with our older pupils. Please see links below:

War in Ukraine – What's happening there?

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/60554258>

War in Ukraine: What do all the words mean?

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/60536983>

Advice if you're upset by the news

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/13865002>

Most importantly we are considering the children's age and ability to process the process the information and their ability to employ their own coping strategies.

We ask that you work with us to:

- Ensure the information given is truthful and essentially age appropriate.
- Reassure the children of their own safety, and that the children of Ukraine are being kept safe by the adults looking after them.

On Wednesday Bumblebees did a sponsored walk to Longrock and have raised £71 to help support Ukraine-Well done to all of you and your families for your support.



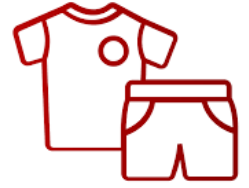
Pensans School String Orchestra

A huge thank you to our School String Orchestra, Mrs Manta and Emma Stansfield for representing our school at the Parade Chambers String Concert on Sunday 20th March. The children demonstrated great skill, confidence and creativity. Well done what an achievement we are very proud of you all and your accomplishments!



School Uniform

The Pensans School Uniform guide is in the Parents Information section of the school website. If you need to order any new school uniform for next term, here are the details of our supplier of logo'd items.



Trophy Textiles

01209 713341

enquiries@trophytextiles.co.uk

<https://www.trophytextiles.co.uk/products/primary-schools/pensans-school/>

duplicate with your changes has been created.

Forgiveness is not an occasional act, it is a constant attitude.

Who can we forgive?

We can forgive others
And we can forgive ourselves.

TO FORGIVE IS TO SET
A PROBLEM FREE AND
FORGET THAT THE
PROBLEM EVER WAS.

Why Should We Forgive?

Confessing to our actions

In many ways the people who are most successful in life are those who are able to admit their mistakes and confess to their actions. It is a sign of strength and courage to do so. It is also a sign of honesty and integrity. I just want you to understand.

The weak can never forgive. Forgiveness is the attribute of the strong.

No body is perfect!

Let's remember that we have all made many choices of some kind in our lives.
It's part of being human.



"The ability to forgive is one of man's greatest achievements."

- Bryant H. McGill -

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Team Pensans
would like to say a massive thank you
to everyone who donated to us "Having a laugh
with our class" in aid of Comic Relief/Red Nose Day 2022.
We dressed up as (silly) superheroes, designed and painted
eggs as red nose characters, had egg and spoon races, participated
in penalty shoot outs with and egg shaped ball amongst other things!
Funny really is power!

IN TOTAL WE HAVE RAISED £530 SO
FAR...AND YOU CAN STILL
DONATE...



View gallery

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106%

£530
raised of £500 target
by 62 supporters

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CHRISSEY SIMPSON

Pensans C.P. School is fundraising for Red Nose Day 2022

We're Team Pensans and would like to raise money for Comic Relief because we'd like to bring light into others lives.

Comic Relief
We bring hope to in the face of injustice and poverty

Charity Registration No. 326568

YOU STILL CAN MAKE
YOUR DONATIONS BY
SCANNING THIS QR CODE OR
GOING TO OUR JUSTGIVING
PAGE:
<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rednoseday22-pensans-cp-school>





Pensans Easter Egg Trail

Tuesday 5th April 2022

At 2.30pm

Pensans School Fields

£1.50 per child

All proceeds made going to Pensans Friends of the School to support school projects.

