Newsletter

Friday 29ᵗʰ September 2023

Trannack Primary School

Dear Parents/Carers

INSET Days
May we remind you that INSET day on Friday 6ᵗʰ October. This for essential staff training. The half term holiday is Monday 23ʳᵈ October to Friday 27ᵗʰ October.

School Meals & School Census
Next Thursday (5ᵗʰ Oct) the school has to complete the termly census. On this day the amount of school meals taken by the children in Reception to Yr2 determines how much funding the school receives for school meals for the coming year. On census day Chartwell's are providing a menu which they think will encourage children to take a meal (to help the schools gain the funding). There will be a choice of burger in a bun with chips, Quorn hot dog with chips or jacket potato with cheese &/or beans. There will be no pasta on this day. Please encourage your children to take a meal on census day especially if they are in YrR, Yr1 or Yr2.

Woodlands
We wanted to make a change this year, with the aim of ensuring woodlands sessions fit better within our curriculum and to ensure that children are able to develop their skills more effectively. As such, rather than give an hour a week/every other week to sessions where it was often quite difficult to fit everything in effectively, we are going to have a half-termly off-timetable woodlands day for each class. These dates are: Portreath Mon 9ᵗʰ Oct – Praa Fri 13ᵗʰ Oct – Godrevy Mon 16ᵗʰ Oct. Please ensure that your child wears their PE kit on that day, but no shorts to be worn.

Recycled Clothes - October 10ᵗʰ
Don't forget to send your unwanted clothes to Jo Hart for recycling. This will help the FTS to raise much needed funds to support the school.

Applying for Place in a Secondary School
The deadline to apply for a Yr7 place in a secondary school is 31ˢᵗ October 2023. Please go to www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions and follow the instructions.

Applying for a Place in a Primary School
The deadline to apply for a Reception place in a primary school is 15ᵗʰ January 2024. Please go to www.cornwall.gov.uk/admissions and follow the instructions.

Data Collection Sheet
These sheets are being sent home with each child to ensure that we have the correct contact details for them. Please take a close look at the form and return the form either with a tick on it to ensure we know that you have seen it and there are no changes to be made, or with the amendments made on the form so that we can update our records accordingly. A prompt response would be much appreciated.

Pupil Acceptable Use Agreement
The attached Acceptable Use Agreement is intended to ensure that children in our care will be responsible users and stay safe while using the school's ICT resources and the internet. Also that school ICT systems and users are protected from accidental or deliberate misuse that could put the security of the systems and users at risk. Please could you read this document, discuss it with your child/children and then, along with your child/children, sign to say that you understand and agree to follow the guidelines. Please return to school as soon as possible. The document for children in Praa Sands class is different than that of the older children.

Early Bird & Kids Club Bills

Thank you to all those parents who have paid their bills so promptly. It would be appreciated if any still outstanding be paid as soon as possible, this is quite important as it is the end of the financial year for the Trust and all accounts need to be settled and balanced. Thank you for your help in this matter!

Digital Parenting – Tech tips to bring you together

Attendance

The class with the highest attendance last week was Praa Sands class with 96.41%.

House Points	
Fleetwood	★
Hepworth	✦
Davey	★ ★
Trevithick	

This week's certificates go to:

Name	Class	Certificate	Reason
Ashiqa	Godrevy	Citizen of the Week	For taking responsibility for another child's job when they were absent. A fantastic example!
Sophia	Godrevy	Learner of the Week	For superb effort in her work – especially Maths. Well done!
Cliffton	Portreath	Citizen of the Week	For looking after and making friends with younger members of the school.
Nelly	Portreath	Learner of the Week	For excellent work on place value in Maths.
Arlow	Praa Sands	Citizen of the Week	For being resilient in her learning and responsible whilst working with the Little Learners in Praa Sands.
Penny	Praa Sands	Learner of the Week	For excellent effort and independence in her writing about 'The Little Red Hen'.

School Meals Praa Sands Class

Week 1

02/10/23	Monday			Tuesday			Wednesday			Thursday			Friday		
Name	Cheese & tomato pizza	Vegetable pesto pasta bake	Jacket pot, cheese &/or beans, or pasta	Pork sausages & mash	Macaroni cheese	Jacket pot, cheese &/or beans, or pasta	Roast turkey with roast potatoes	Roasted vegetable butterbean crumble	Jacket pot, cheese &/or beans, or pasta	Beef burger in a bun & chips	Quorn hot dog in a bun & chips	Jacket pot, cheese &/or beans	INSET DAY		