



**Pondhu**  
Primary School

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# NEWSLETTER

18<sup>th</sup> September 2015

## DATES

### September

24<sup>th</sup> Year 6 taster day  
at Penrice  
30<sup>th</sup> Full governors  
5pm

### October

6<sup>th</sup> FOPS AGM 2pm all  
welcome  
19<sup>th</sup> Individual photos

### Half Term

26<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> October

### November

2<sup>nd</sup> School closed  
10<sup>th</sup> Parents Evening  
11<sup>th</sup> Parents Evening

### December

16<sup>th</sup> Christmas lunch  
18<sup>th</sup> last day of term.

### January

4<sup>th</sup> School closed  
5<sup>th</sup> School term starts.

## STAR PUPILS

Congratulations to Alfie, Jasmine, Isabella, Rhianna, Paige and Alfie who are star pupils this week.

## PARENT FORUM

Thank you to everyone who attended the Parents Forum meetings yesterday. Overall they were the best attended yet! If you were unable to attend please ask your child's class teacher for the information leaflet concerning the work your child's class will be doing this term. The main speakers provided lots of really useful information on healthy eating. If you would like us to arrange the extra group activities that were offered please let the office know.

## HEALTHY SCHOOLS WORKSHOPS



The children in Key Stage 2 enjoyed working with two representatives from Healthy Schools on a project called 'Healthy lunch boxes'. The children were excellent detectives as they discovered the amount of sugar in a range of lunch boxes.

## CHANGE IN THE SCHOOL DAY

From January 2016 the start of the school day will be 8.45am. This means that all children should be in school to join the family reading time. The end of the school day will also be changing for the children in Years 3 – 6 as school will finish for them at 3.05pm. Infant children finishing time will remain the same at 3.00pm.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Mr & Mrs Martin have a new baby son. We send warm congratulations and love from us all.



## MRS UREN – 'CAN DO!' AWARD

Well done to Mrs Uren, our school cook, who has been recognised by Chartwells for her 'Can do' approach to preparing school meals. Here she is receiving flowers and a certificate from Joanne Clarke. Everyone at Pondhu would like to take this opportunity to thank Mrs Uren and her team for the delicious meals we enjoy every day.

## ATTENDANCE

Well done to River Camel, Year 2, who achieved 99.4% attendance last week, a really positive start to the year.

*Mrs D Tregellas*

Attendance to 12th September 2015

