



Pondhu
Primary School

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NEWSLETTER

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DATES

October

19th Individual photos
– families in the hall
from 8.15am.
22nd Halloween Discos

Half Term

26th – 30th October

November

2nd School closed
6th Admissions
meeting 9am
10th Parents Evening
11th Parents Evening
14th St Austell
torchlight carnival

December

2nd Governors
meeting 5pm
4th Admissions
meeting 9am
16th Christmas lunch
18th last day of term.

January

4th School closed
5th School term starts
8th Admissions
meeting 9am
14th Parent Forum
3.30 and 6.00pm

February

Half Term
15th – 19th February

22nd School closed to
pupils

March

25th Last day of term.

April

11th Return to school

July

22nd Last day of term

STAR PUPILS

Congratulations to Noah, Jasmine, Tyler, Amber, Daisy, Jay, Hannah, Niamh and Liam who are our star pupils this week.

PARENTS EVENING BOOKINGS

Last week your child brought home a reminder of your login to e-schools and I hope you managed to take the opportunity to check this works. The booking system will be live from 7.30 am Monday 19th October. There will be two laptops available in the hall on Monday morning for anyone who would like some help to make their appointments. Please bring your login details with you. Parents evenings provide the opportunity to discuss with your child's teacher the progress they are making, identify any areas for development and to receive your child's autumn term summary report (Y1 – Y6). These meetings also count as a parent meeting to ensure your child remains eligible for their **pupil premium budget** again next term. A copy of the questions and answers concerning pupil premium budgets are on our school website.

PARENT GOVERNOR VACANCY

Nominations for the parent governor vacancy must be received in school by the end of school today.

FAMILY READING TIME

Just a reminder that at 8.45am the teachers are busy reading with the children and can only receive quick messages. If you wish to arrange an appointment to discuss a matter with your child's class teacher please book an appointment at the school office.

SPORTS SUCCESSES

The last couple of weeks have been a success for our netball and football A teams. The netball teams were successful against Charlestown 17 – 0 and then Bishop Bronsecombe 9 – 0. The A team footballers won their first match of the season 1 – 0 against Charlestown and then against Bishop Bronsecombe 2 -1. An excellent start to the season for both teams. Our newly formed Y3 / 4 team lost both their matches but Mr Dawes was pleased to report the improvement in the second match. Well done and thank you to all the children who represented our school.

Our netball team were also successful and have moved to the next stage of the county championship, good luck to them in the area finals.

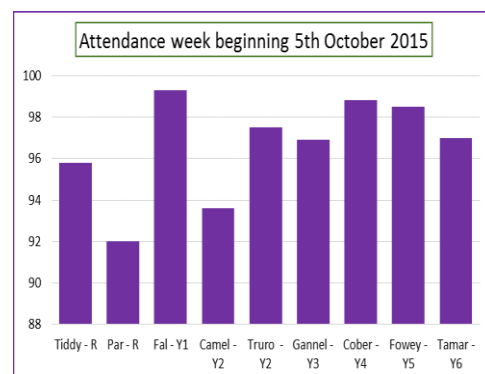
TEXTILES COLLECTIONS

Bags will be available from school after half term for you to start collecting the textiles ready for the collection at the beginning of December.

ATTENDANCE

Well done to River Fal, Year 1, who achieved 99.3% attendance last week.

There were 213 pupils with 100% attendance last week.



Mrs D Tregellas