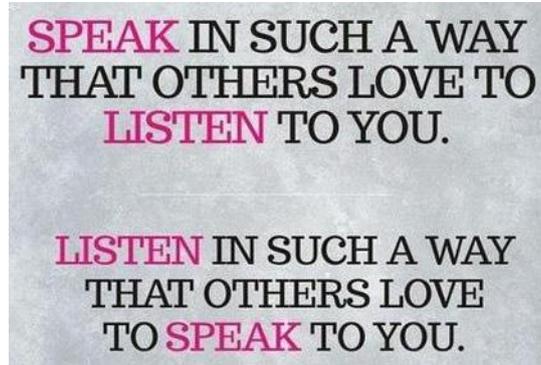


A NOTE FROM MRS HEFFER

This week our virtue focus has been 'GOOD LISTENING':



HEALTH AND SAFETY TEAM – Over the next few weeks, the school will be looking to appoint a number of pupils that will become part of a Health and Safety team working with our Health and Safety Governor and Headteacher to address any concerns over the safety of our pupils. This will include developing a group of Junior Traffic Wardens in an attempt to make the roads and carpark safer for our pupils. Please see message below relating to this ongoing issue.

URGENT MESSAGE: PLEASE DO NOT PARK ON THE ZIG ZAGS OUTSIDE OF SCHOOL. Parents have approached us with information and photos of cars parking outside of school on the zig zags. The habit of parking on the zig zags is not fair to other parents and children as it means that they cannot get in to school safely. There is parking further down the road – please use it rather than put our child's safety at risk. You know it makes sense!

NEW FACES AROUND SCHOOL – Over the next two weeks leading up to half term, Mr Anderson will be enjoying some time with the new arrival during his two week paternity leave. During this time, Mrs Kate Evans, a very experienced EYFS/Year 1 teacher, will be teaching in Puffins. At present we also have two student teachers based at our school for two days a week on Mondays and Tuesdays up until half term. Miss Holly Power-Brown is based in Puffins and Miss Rosalind Pitt is based in Kingfishers. After half term, Miss Pitt will continue her student teacher training in Kingfishers and will be working alongside Miss Shaile for five days a week until the end of term. We are always very keen to continue to support the development of future teachers where staff at our school can share their skills.

CHANGE FOR LIFE – Last week, Mr Teasdale sent out 'BE FOOD SMART' packs containing a range of useful information for helping children to understanding the content of everyday foods and how to make healthy choices. Already pupils have been discussing how useful the Food Smart app has been. If you have not already done so, please take a moment to look at the app which can be found on google play or downloaded from your regular app store.

SAINSBURYS ACTIVE KIDS 2017 – We are now collecting vouchers for this scheme up until **May 2nd** for sports and cooking equipment. Mr Teasdale will shortly be posting a wish list onto the school website under the news section for parents and pupils to view. The collection box for the vouchers is in the front office.

FROM US ALL AT PERRAN-AR-WORTHAL SCHOOL - HAVE A LOVELY WEEKEND!

Note to parents from Pre-School

Pre-School survey re holiday childcare: The pre-school is looking into local childcare needs for the holidays, with a view to potentially providing a holiday club for some weeks of the summer. Feedback from last summer suggests people are finding it difficult to find appropriate childcare for some or all of their children over the summer so we'd just like to explore this a bit further. Please complete the survey online at: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/8DQNYHG>

Many thanks

Jenie Macindoe

Celebration Assembly:

TEAM POINT CERTIFICATE WINNERS FROM THIS WEEK –

Bronze – 50 points: Lewis Hamilton, Calum Yendle

Silver – 100 points: William Best, Ocean Stock, Jack Matthews, Tallulah Tidman, Darcy White, Georgia Murphy, Courtney Saayman, Ella Bailey, Toby Anderson, Isla McCandless, Liberty Dingle, Hannah Bennett, Lauren Partridge.

Gold – 150 points: Zane Aslam, Morley Neale, Philippa Kneebone, Eddie Legge, Megan Ashton, Zane Dingle, Tom Woodrow, Sophie Woodrow.

Medal – 200 points: Genevieve Pinnick, Stanley Cameron.

RAK Club: Mrs Brooks has nominated Rowan Macindoe, Harry Murphy and Tom Woodrow for offering to help pick up litter and rubbish from the Key Stage 1 playground after a blustery weekend. Well done boys! Mrs Pallot has nominated Sapphire Bennet for showing such kindness to another child when they were upset. Well done! Mrs Read would like to nominate Oscar McConnell for telling the GoActive instructor not to close the cupboard door in the hall as he had noticed that Mrs Read had gone in there earlier to sort out the school computer server and she was still in there! Thank you for saving Mrs Read, Oscar. We feel it is worth noting that Oscar has had a record number of nominations from various adults and pupils, making him a super star RAK club member!

FOPS UPDATE

Quiz Night, Friday, 24th February, 7.30pm onwards, School Hall: Back by popular demand, we are once again holding another “quiz night” school fundraiser.

Tickets are now available to purchase from the school office. £7 per adult, which includes a portion of chilli and a baked potato. Please select a meat or vegetarian ticket option, and bring your ticket with you on the night to collect your food.

B.Y.O liquid refreshments and nibbles. As in previous years, this is an adult only evening.

A big thank you to Andy McKnight who will again be Quiz Master, so get those thinking caps on and come along and enjoy a fun filled brain teasing evening!

If you have any questions or have an idea for a future event that we could organise, please speak to Rona King, Susie Matthews or myself.

Have a lovely weekend, Sarah McConnell, FOPS Secretary