



Friday 1st October 2021

Dear Parents and Guardians,

Firstly, a huge **thank you** to Anna and Belle from [RJ Working](#) who have been leading a **restorative** approach programme with our Year 6 pupils for the past two weeks. The children have engaged fantastically with the process, even leading groups themselves for younger peers. Well done to all involved!

Good luck to **Amanda Aspden** and **Nicola Keeler**, both of whom will be running the marathon on Sunday for their chosen causes. They have each been training hard and couldn't be readier. Inspiring stuff for our pupils!



Please do remember if you are sending in a **snack** for your child at school, it should be of the **healthy** variety and definitely not sweets or chocolate bars. Some handy ideas can be found here <https://www.nhs.uk/change4life/food-facts/healthier-snacks-for-kids>. Thank you all for your support.

Thank you to outgoing governor Toby Drewett. Toby has been an active member of the Penpol governing body in recent years and his contributions have helped to shape the wonderful provision that our pupils enjoy today. Due to Toby's departure, we are now on the lookout for another **parent governor**. If this is a role which might interest you, please do get in touch with me on head@penpol.cornwall.sch.uk by Friday 8th October.

I would also like to welcome our **incoming governors**: Rachael Woodhead, Mike Dale and Madeleine Bennett. Thank you all for volunteering your valuable time to help steer the Penpol ship.

European Languages Day – Monday 4th October. The children are invited to dress up in clothes the colour of their favourite country. We are really looking forward to this exciting day.

Finally, a quick reminder of our **half-term holiday dates**: The school is closed to pupils for an INSET day on Friday 22nd October. The half-term break then runs until Sunday 31st October and children return on Monday 1st November.

Best wishes,

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