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Nansledan Spring Newsletter

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PHOTO: Children enjoying their afterschool cross country session in last week's rain.

WRAP AROUND CLUB –

IMPORTANT ADVANCE NOTICE

Due to whole school staff training there will be no afterschool wraparound on

Wednesday 23rd March

Residential Trips

Y3 Delaware

A reminder that the full balance for the Y3 Delaware Residential needs to be paid by **Thursday 31st March**.

Y4/5/6 New Arrangements

We are pleased to announce that we have now secured an alternative residential experience for pupil in Years 4, 5 and 6. Parents and carers will receive a letter this week with further details. It will be based at Bachelors Hall in the week commencing Monday 16th May.

School absences

Should your child be absent from school at any time, please can you ensure that the school office is informed on that day. This can be done via email or telephone.

hello@nansledanschool.org
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Next Newsletter: Monday 21st March

SCHOOL NEWS

Curriculum – the spring term curriculum overviews for each class are now available on the school website.

Last Week's Celebrations – We all enjoyed singing the Trelawny and learning about **St Piran's Day**. Lots of us also enjoyed a Cornish Pasty and scone thanks to Aspens Catering Team headed up by Mr Johnston. Then, Y4 and 5 pupils made their very own pasties on Friday with help from an amazing team of parental volunteers. Thank you! We then celebrated **World Book Day** together on Friday and we enjoyed dressing up and celebrating our favourite books together. Many children brought in decorated wooden spoons. Miss Durston looks forward to announcing the winners of the World Book Day spoon competition shortly.

Parent & Carer Consultations – Most of you have now attended a meeting with your child's teacher to view their books and talk about their learning. It has been so important to have these face to face meetings after such a long period where you were unable to come into school. Just as much as you, we appreciate working in partnership and the opportunity to celebrate the children's learning with you.

Due to both staff and parent sickness, some appointments have had to be rescheduled. If you haven't yet had the opportunity to meet with your child's teacher we hope to have this scheduled very soon. Bouman and Newton classes still have meetings outstanding so arrangements will be made for these to take place before the end of March and you will be informed of this by letter. Dates are not yet set.

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Safety on our site

Car Parking - Please can we again remind parents/carers that the staff car park is for staff, disabled access, and visitors only. We are continually seeing incidents of cars/vans coming into the car park at speed and parking inappropriately and blocking others. We are monitoring this via CCTV.

No Dogs- No dogs are allowed on the school site unless they are guide dogs and the school office has received a copy of the relevant paperwork.

ARBOR - Please could we ask that you check your 'junk' email on a regular basis as when letters and info are sent via Arbor it sometimes tends to go into junk boxes. Thank you!

PSHE & Virtues - Our whole school virtue this term is integrity. We are exploring what this means and why it is so important. Each class is also learning about an additional virtue as part of their PSHE curriculum which you can find out more about on the website curriculum overview.

Solidarity & Compassion – Later this week we are dressing in blue and yellow (the colours of the Ukrainian flag) as a sign of solidarity and compassion. This is in the same vein as when we wear yellow for Marie Curie for example or how we teach about conflict, compassion, and solidarity every time we wear a red poppy or sell cakes for Children in Need Day.

It is important we give our children the opportunity to help and also the opportunity to discuss and ask questions in their own age-appropriate way - something that they always do. Children's Newsround has been covering the emerging situation in the Ukraine in a sensitive and child appropriate way. You may wish to view this to support any discussions at home. We ask that this be respectful dressing up please - blue and yellow items of clothing but no face painting, fancy dress, coloured hair, Smurfs or SpongeBob's please! The wearing of Ukraine's national colours on the day is a mark of care and support for the children and families caught up in conflict.

Thank you for your support,

Mrs Vicky Dilnot

Head of School

Upcoming Diary Dates

Here are some of the significant dates in the school diary for this half term.

9th March	Year 2 Anning trip to Blue Reef Aquarium
10th March	Year 2 Curie trip to Blue Reef Aquarium
11th March	Wear yellow and blue in support of the Ukraine & 3pm Y4/5 Bake Sale for UNICEF
23rd March	No afterschool Wrap Around due to staff training
29th March	Year 1 Fleming trip to Screech Owl Sanctuary
30th March	Year 1 Newton trip to Screech Owl Sanctuary
30th March	EYFS (Jemison & Shackleton Classes) visit to Lappa Valley
30th March	5:30pm Friends of Nansledan AGM in the school hall.
30th March	Y3 Residential Visit to Delaware
31st March	Payment Deadline for Y3 Delaware Residential Trip
6th – 8th April	Delaware Residential for Y3 Berners-Lee Class.
8th April	Last Day of Term (No after school Wrap Around Club)
25th April	Start of the Summer Term

CHARITY EVENTS

A number of you are involved in creative ways to raise £20.22 in 2022 as part of the Friends of Nansledan's fundraising drive. We've loved hearing about these, including Saturday's beach clean at Fistril. How fantastic!

This Friday, Y4/5 are organising a Bake Sale for UNICEF from 3pm at the Outdoor Classroom. Please come along to show your support!

