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## Parents as Partners Polzeath - Nursery Autumn Term Week beginning: 28/10/19



Dear Parents/Carers,

This half term: We are going to be learning about Diwali, Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day and Christmas. We have been finding out why people celebrate Diwali and have been creating our own Rangoli patterns and Diva pots. In the craft tray we have been busy making pictures using the leaves we found on our nature walk. In PE with Mrs Ridpath, we have been doing gymnastics. Our letter of the week is n, our number of the week is 7 and our shape of the week is a circle. In Jigsaw, we have been thinking about our responsibilities.

**Reading Karate:** Well done to everyone who got a new reading karate belt this week:

White belt: Frankii Yellow belt: Billy

Carrier bags and tissues: Please could we have any unwanted carrier bags as we use them to send home wet clothes and a box of tissues as we get through these rather quickly. Thank you.

<u>**To bring:**</u> Please bring named book bags, coats and spare clothes each day. You may leave a pair of named wellies in our welly boot stand outside if you wish. Please bring a box of tissues each term as we get through these rather quickly! Also we would appreciate if children would not wear skinny jeans, all in one suits and lace up shoes as this makes it difficult when using the toilet and for PE on a **Monday afternoon**. Thank you.

**Toys:** Please can we limit the amount of toys being brought in to be put in the going home box, we don't want them to go missing. Thank you.

<u>Lunchboxes:</u> We would appreciate you to think about what goes into your child's lunch, some children have so much food they don't know where to begin! As a suggestion some sandwiches, crisps, a piece of fruit and a small treat would be adequate.

Halloween: Thursday 31st Oct is Halloween, feel free to come dressed up if you wish!

Snack and lunch money: Please can you pay £1 each week to contribute towards our snack, any money we have left over goes towards cooking ingredients and new toys for the children. If your child is staying all day for lunch please bring in a lunch box and pay £1 per day as this pays for the staff supervising lunch. You may pay us via on Parent Pay which will you will be able to view soon. Thank you.

Parents meetings: Please speak to Miss Case to book an appointment or book online using the Arbor app for Monday 4th November or Wednesday 6th November.

Diary Dates:

As always, please feel free to come and see us with any comments or questions.

Thurs 31st Oct Halloween - come dressed up if you wish!

Mon 4th Nov Parents meetings 3.30pm - 6.30pm

Weds 6th Nov Parents meetings 3.30pm - 5pm

The Nursery Team