



# PENSBY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## Summer Term 2016 - Newsletter - Number 3

Dear families and children,

A reminder from our last newsletter re uniform orders:

### *School Uniform*

Previously at this time of year, we have taken your orders for September school uniform. This is because the uniform companies become inundated at this time of year for orders, so processing and meeting orders is slower. Now that families order school uniform directly from our supplier, this falls to you. We recommend that your order to [www.goodies.co.uk](http://www.goodies.co.uk) is made by the end of May in order to secure delivery before the summer holiday. Families who are entitled to Free School Meals (FSM) order their uniform through TUCASI - the office will check these orders. The same applies and these families need to order sooner than later to avoid the busy supply period. School ties and water bottles are ordered through TUCASI for everybody. If you need any help regarding uniform please contact the school office. A reminder that footwear needs to be black for all pupils please.

### *Pensby and Stanley*

I have been told that the extension to Stanley will be completed at the end of this term, then it is time for the field to be reinstated. Sadly this means another summer without the field.

### *2016 Race for Life and Year 6 Charity day*

This takes place on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May. The Just Giving page is showing a steadily growing amount - thank you! The link can be found on the school website as well as here:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/pensbyprimary>

Many thanks to Mrs Toal, who makes it her mission to organise a great event and to Mr Klausen and year 6 for the Charity event in the afternoon. Good luck to all the children - it will be a great day I'm sure!

### *11+ arrangements in Wirral from September 2016*

Last week I met the year 5 families and talked to them about the 11+ arrangements for this year. They have changed! If you are interested, all the information given to the year 5 families can now be found on the year 5 page of the website!

### *Thanks*

Many thanks to all of you for your kind words on my recent award! I was surprised on Friday to be called into assembly to be presented with my Wirral Globe award. Now I know how the children feel - it was quite daunting! I was very lucky to be nominated at all and the evening was very moving with so many very deserving winners. Wirral has so many wonderful schools, staff and pupils. Coming to work does not feel like work at all, thanks to everyone around me. So thank you all!



### ***Summer Holiday Club***

For the first time ever, the school will be running a Summer Holiday Club for 4 weeks of the summer break. The details are:

Dates	Sessions	Prices
01/08/2016 - Week 1	Full Day 8am-5.30pm	£17 per child
08/08/2016 - Week 2	Morning 8am-12.30pm	£9.50 per child
15/08/2016 - Week 3	Afternoon 1pm - 5.30pm	£9.50 per child
22/08/2016 - Week 4		

We expect places to go very quickly so it is important that you get your place booked as soon as possible. You can now secure your place by completing the slip below and making your payment through TUCASI.

### ***Holiday dates 2016/17 and holidays in term time***

The school holiday dates for 2016/17 are now on the school website under the 'Our School' tab - click on 'Term Dates'. Many families have also asked me about holidays in term time and the impact on these with the recent 'Isle of Wight' ruling. The impact of this ruling is yet to be interpreted so any change to the current system is not yet known. I will let you know of any changes... as soon as I know them!

*and finally,*

A reminder that Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May is the last day in school before the half term break. We return for the final part of the school year on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2016. Have a lovely break.

Thank you,



Mrs. K Brown - Headteacher

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### ***Holiday Club @ Pensby Primary School***

*Please complete 1 slip for each child:*

I wish to book a place for my child \_\_\_\_\_ class: \_\_\_\_\_

In the sessions detailed below:

	Full Day	Mornings	Afternoons
01/08/2016 - Week 1			
08/08/2016 - Week 2			
15/08/2016 - Week 3			
22/08/2016 - Week 4			

To secure this place, I acknowledge that I need to make payment through the TUCASI system by Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2016.

Parents name \_\_\_\_\_