

Cornwall Devon Isles of Scilly Plymouth Torbay

Newsletter Monday 1st October 2018

Dear Colleagues,

Hope this finds you well. I have decided to put all of my information in a newsletter as I'm aware I would be sending a number of emails that could get lost in the pile!

A few reminders

- Cornwall & IOS TSs meeting 4th October 3 5 Atlantic Centre, Newquay
- Devon, Plymouth, Torbay TSs meeting 5th October, 10.30 12.30, Primary Excellence, Blackpool school.
- CAPH Conference 18th & 19th October Eden

Next Regional meeting

Our next meeting will be held on 9th October 10.30 – 3.00pm Okehampton College (lunch will be available at 12.30). The meeting will Regional Portal demo, TSC national & TSCSW updates on strategy, RDD & RSC updates, Maths SSIF & English & phonics hubs update. Any other items for AOB please let me know.

Best wishes *Teresa* Teresa Lawrance 01637857956, 07554437030

Events info – Just a few

Conerstone TSA & Babcock

Beyond Monitoring

4th October 8th November 6th December

Due to time – call to find out more 01392 46128

Plymouth Conference – 5th October, St Mellion resort

- Meet the new PTSA Director Ruth Woodhouse,
- Ofsted update from Mark Lindfield,
- Voice 21 Katie Fitzsimmons The impact of Oracy within schools,
- Lisa Mannall Regional School Commissioner South West An update on regional priorities,
- Keynote Speaker Sir William Atkinson.

Find out more <u>here</u>

Governance – Region D

Free training for Clerks, Chairs & Boards

New dates across all our regions – please encourage attendance as these opportunities will not come around often. We have done it at cost price with TS offering venues. The sessions have been arranged in localities to save travel with an option for attending another venue should you be unable to attend a session nearest to you.

Find out more - Don't forget the free online training modules (NGA members free others can buy in)

CTS, KTSA - Building Capacity In coaching for Leaders in Education

3 day course - 9th October , 13th November & 15th January

The cost is £250 plus VAT per delegate and if you would like to book a place then please contact Emma Williams – emmawil@truro-penwith.ac.uk

Cornwall Teaching Schools together & EEF - Maximising the Impact of the Pupil Premium

4th Jan, 28th Feb, 1st April

Programme Lead Marc Rowland

Find out more here

Torbay TSA

Mastery: Digging Deeper - PTSA & TTSA Primary Maths Conference 2018

9th November 2018

Keynote speaker: Debbie Morgan, NCETM Primary Director - 'Teaching for Mastery: Digging Deeper Find out more <u>here</u> search under keyword conference

South West Peninsular Music Education Conference 2019

Friday 8th February 2018 - Buckland

A collaborative music education conference for school and community music practitioners in Cornwall, Devon, Plymouth and Torbay.

All Saints TSA

Leap into Leadership - 30th October 2018 - June 25th 2019 - Find out more here

'Leap into Leadership' is a programme for aspirational leaders who are on the early stages of their leadership pathway. The aim of the programme is to inspire, inform and explore leadership journeys from the very beginning. Open to all leadership not just teaching staff.

Cornwall TS Together STEM conference

21st November 2018 Eden for more info AAT@iaspire.net

Keynote speaker Dr Kat Hickey, Goonhilly Earth station

Inspiring Leadership 2019 6 & 7th June 2019 – Birmingham

Inspire Yourself: Inspire Your School - Already in its sixth year, and with a high percentage of delegates returning each year, Inspiring Leadership covers real depth and breadth, with topics spanning innovation, leadership, partnership, development and technology.

find out more here

Teaching School Peer Reviews

We have completed 2 rounds of training for PR (Exeter & Corsham venues) and there will be one more this term situated in Cornwall – date to follow. If you are interested in attending please email tracey.chapman@cornwall.ac.uk

At the training we will be covering;

- The purpose and protocols for TS Peer review
- Administration arrangements for a peer review
- The peer review
- Training to be a peer reviewer
- The role of the peer reviewer prior to, during and post review (including documentation)
- The role of the RTS

Funding the role.

We have now been able to confirm with the TSC the funding for the process and can confirm peer reviewers will receive £450 per review towards costs associated with preparing for and carrying out PR.

If you would like to have a PR at you TS please email us tracey.chapman@cornwall.ac.uk

DfE 2018-2019 SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT OFFER

Further information is emerging regarding the 2018-2019 School Improvement Offer. The <u>DfE</u> external lines are as follows:

- On 4 May, the Secretary of State spoke at the National Association of Headteachers (NAHT) Conference, and announced a set of principles for a clear and simple accountability system
- $\cdot~$ The principles will provide clarity for schools on how the accountability system for educational performance will operate, the consequences that can flow from it and the roles of the actors within it
- $\cdot~$ The DfE are reviewing how best to make an offer of school improvement support within a clear and simple accountability system, that is easier to understand, and more accessible for schools
- $\cdot~$ We are planning a consultation on how we identify schools eligible for support and further details will be available in due course

 For academic year 2018/19, the existing floor and coasting standards will remain in place. Where a school is below the floor or coasting standards, but is not judged inadequate, the RSC will not use the Secretary of State's powers to issue an academy order or a warning notice. Instead, the floor and coasting standards will be calculated in 2018/19 solely for DfE to identify schools which might benefit from support

• Further details on the offer of support will be set out on our GOV.UK pages shortly

• For academic year 2018/19, we have improved our <u>school improvement support pages</u> on <u>GOV.UK</u>. There is a new section dedicated to school improvement support which schools can access, and the providers delivering it. Information is grouped into categories such as curriculum and leadership, and structured in a way that helps schools to easily identify support that is available to meet a particular school improvement need, and if they are eligible to receive it.

NLE APPLICATION ROUND OPENING and PANEL ATTENDANCE REQUIRED

As outlined briefly at TSC this week, the DfE are planning on opening a small, very targeted NLE (T26) designation round in October. The DfE are making a few changes in this round insofar that they are introducing:

1. An email enquiry stage – the application form will only be sent to schools who meet the basic criteria (target area, Ofsted, headship and performance)

- 2. MATs this round is being opened up to MAT CEOs
- 3. Appeals there will not be an appeal process/ panel.

A short document is attached with more details. If you have any questions please raise these directly with Simon Rich <u>simon.rich@education.gov.uk</u> or Sophie Marriott <u>Sophie.marriott@education.gov.uk</u>

The designation team currently expect the final panel for this round to take place on either Wednesday 5 or Monday 10 Dec in London or Manchester, depending on your preference/ availability – and the actual start date for the application round. If you're available please email <u>charlotte.atkins@education.gov.uk</u> and advise which dates and locations you might be available to sit on the designation panel.

ACTION: Identify any potential NLEs

SLE recruitment round

Following recent interviews and at request we have another round of SLE recruitment open now closing on 8th October please email <u>tracey.chapman@cornwall.ac.uk</u> for further details. Interviews will be 16th October – anyone who can help please email <u>head@truronurseryschool.org.uk</u>

Training for new & existing SLEs will be held on 9th November.

REMINDER - for those working with All LSSW NPQ applications due in 10th October