



Spring Newsletter 2018

Welcome to Cornish Pisky Pals® Spring Newsletter 2018

Cornish Pisky Pals® is a small business, run by two sisters, Caroline and Angela. We are based in Coverack, on the Lizard Peninsula in Cornwall and produce a range of Pisky gifts, including our Cornish Pisky Pals® which are individually hand made to CE standards. Wherever possible we use local businesses and source our products from Cornwall, making our business 'As Cornish as can be!' (or 'Mar Gernewek dell yllir!' if you would prefer it in Cornish.) Cornish Pisky Pals® are part of the 'Made In Cornwall' scheme.

Visit our website: www.cornishpisky.co.uk like us on Facebook and Instagram and meet us at Pisky H.Q. or Pisky Trails.

Cornish Pisky Pals® News:

New Cornish Pisky Pal: There will be a new Cornish Pisky Pal arriving soon, the new felt colours have arrived at Pisky H.Q and with the help of our friends on Facebook and Instagram, we will ask for name suggestions when we post a photo. Look out for a new Cornish Pisky Pals over the next few weeks!

Pisky H.Q. is situated near Coverack, just a 20 minute walk up the hill! Pisky H.Q. (formerly the garden shed) is evolving all the time and consists of a small Pisky Garden, a shop and a workshop area. You may well have heard about the flooding in Coverack last Summer. Here at Pisky H.Q we were very lucky and didn't get too much damage (something to do with having lots of lucky piskies and being at the top of the hill!) the hail stones did strip the paint off our fence and signs, so this year, look out for some new signage and some fresh paint as well as all the little piskies playing in the pisky garden!

Pisky H.Q. is open to the public on regular dates and on request, we also plan to take part in Coverack Open Gardens on the 10th June so we will be working hard (alongside the piskies,) making sure everything is looking good in the Pisky Garden!

Cornish Pisky Pals: If you are looking for an unusual, 'proper Cornish' present, don't forget Cornish Pisky Pals. Have a look at our website for our range of very Cornish gifts! Cornish Pisky Pals are perfect for posting. www.cornishpisky.co.uk

Cornish Pisky Pal® Trails - Spring 2018

There will be a Cornish Pisky Pal Pisky Trail in Coverack Village every school holiday, two in the summer holidays!

All Coverack Pisky Trails: £2.50 per trail; available from The Old Mill Shop, Coverack Village Stores or Pisky H.Q. Trevothen, Coverack TR12 6SD email info@cornishpisky.co.uk for more details.

Each returned Pisky Trail receives a Cornish Pisky Pal sticker and entry into the prize draw to win a Cornish Pisky Pal. There is a new phrase and new pisky hiding places for each Pisky Trail!

Coverack Village, February Half Term Pisky Trail. Fri 8th 10am start, through until Sat 24th Feb 3pm finish.

Coverack Village, Easter Pisky Trail. Thurs 22nd March 10am start, through until Mon 23rd April 12 noon finish.

Sat 7th & Sun 8th April Pisky Trail at Roskilly's Farm, St Keverne, Helston TR12 6NX. Pisky Trails available between 11am-3pm.

Coverack Village, May Half Term Pisky Trail. Thurs 24th May 10am start, through until Mon 11th June 4pm finish.

Sat 26th & Sun 27th May Pisky Trail at Roskilly's Farm, St Keverne, Helston TR12 6NX. Pisky Trails available between 11am-3pm

Workshops at Pisky H.Q.

Make your own Pisky Cottage £15 or Pisky Pot £10, workshops run for 45 min including all resources. Limited places, booking essential. **Workshops run at Pisky H.Q. (TR12 6SD) Please contact us to book a place.**

The calendar on the 'Trail and Events' page on our website www.cornishpisky.co.uk will tell you our Pisky Trail dates throughout the year.

It will be Blush & Kez's Birthday on 14th February, Perran's on 5th March, Ailla's on the 3rd April and Izzy's Birthday on the 8th May. If you have any of these Cornish Pisky Pal® - Don't forget to wish them a Happy Birthday!

The names of our 5 main **Cornish Pisky Pals®** spell out the word Pisky. **Perran** - Black and Gold, **Izzy** - Purple, **Sam** - Green, **Katie** - Pink & **Yasmin** - Blue. There are a few more piskies added to the group. Read the meet the piskies page on the website to find out more about the individual characters and 'Like' us on Facebook and Instagram.

Cornish Pisky Pals have enjoyed some lovely feedback with Facebook comments & photos. We have also collected a number of cards, letters and pictures, which are now displayed in Pisky HQ. Thank you! Please let us know what you have enjoyed and any new ideas.

Stockists :All Cornish Pisky Pal® products are available from our **stall at Pisky Trails**, from **Pisky HQ** and from our website **www.cornishpisky.co.uk** **The Old Mill Shop**, Coverack have lots of Cornish Pisky Pal products including Pisky Pals, the book 'Pisky Treasure,' cards, bags, mugs, fridge magnets & Pisky Fudge. **Drift**, in Penzance, **Four Crows Gallery**, Porthleven, stock Cornish Pisky Pals and **The Bull Pen Gallery** at Roskilly's Farm, St Keverne stock Cornish Pisky Pals® and the book 'Pisky Treasure.'

Pisky HQ : Pisky HQ (formerly the Garden Shed!) is now fully functioning. Pisky HQ has all our pisky products on display and for sale. There is a small Pisky Garden and you can see where pisky ideas begin and flourish! If you are in the Coverack area then check out Facebook, look at the sign on the gate, send us an email or give us a ring to find out opening times or to arrange a mutually convenient time to pop in and say hello!

Pisky HQ is situated inland from Coverack, a 20 minute walk from the harbour, up School Hill, past the school and continue along the road, the third home on the right after the school, a white bungalow with Pisky signs and a bright yellow gate! Limited parking available. If you are coming by car from the Helston area; head towards Coverack, take the right turn before Zoar (Pace) Garage, then the third road on the left, towards Coverack. Pisky H.Q. is the third bungalow on the left - look out for the Pisky signs and the bright yellow gate. We'd love you to come and visit the home of the Cornish Pisky Pals.

Pisky HQ, Trearne, Trevothen, Coverack, Helston, Cornwall. TR12 6SD Email info@cornishpisky.co.uk Tel 01326 281448

Cornish Pisky Pal's Spring Story. Read the Summer Newsletter to find out what the Pisky Pals get up to next...

The Cornish Pisky Pals love the Spring time, they like to watch everything start growing and bursting into life. Their favourite plants to watch grow are spring bulbs; from the early snowdrops, that make excellent Pisky lampshades to the colourful crocus, these make perfect Pisky pillows! The piskies favourite spring flower is a daffodil.

Daffodils make excellent 'look out' points for the piskies but what is even better is that a little pisky can fit inside the daffodil trumpet and keep snug and warm whilst looking out at the same time. If a pisky is inside a daffodil trumpet and sees something that they want to tell the other piskies about then they just shout out and the trumpet amplifies the sound so that all the piskies can hear, perfect if the piskies want to communicate but not so good if they are trying to hide...mysteriously loud giggles from up high tend to give their hiding place away!

Hiding in daffodils is a particular favourite activity for Blush and Kez who like to find a daffodil each and shout messages to each other – make sure you check in daffodil trumpets, you might just find a little pisky hiding!

If you would like to read more about the Cornish Pisky Pals our illustrated book 'Pisky Treasure' is available at Pisky H.Q. from our website www.cornishpisky.co.uk or from Coverack Village Stores or The Old Mill Shop, Coverack.

Cornish Pisky PalsAs Cornish as can be!

Pisky Puzzle:

Can you find the words in our wordsearch?

G B K Q Y Q G N I D I H Z T D	KEZ
I H S C S V Q S I T H X U B I	COSY
G S R R A I K E U H L O G Z X	SHOUT
G U R Q A R P G B C K R A X S	CROCUS
L L O Z A Q E N U O O S P N W	BLUSH
E B L U G J R V O A Y R O J P	AMPLIFY
S T Y O P Y Z L O K K W C K V	COVERACK
R E A M P L I F Y C D E M B N	DAFFODIL
D P Y K K W U W L R L W Z T J	FLOWERS
S M C O S Y R Q O O A F T C S	GIGGLES
Q U L A W D W P L S W U N P F	HIDING
V R N R N E S Y M J O E R G P	LOOKOUT
M T L D V O F C R H A I R X Y	SNOWDROPS
L I D O F F A D S H N W P S P	SPRING
N U E B Z I C Q E G G I P Z B	TRUMPET

