

ELEANOR PALMER WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

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Thursday 21st March 2022

Tomorrow

9-10am - **Shed Talk on Body Image** with Naila Hirani, Camden's health and wellbeing consultant. The session will focus on how to support your child to develop self-confidence and a positive body image. All welcome!

We hope that you all enjoyed a wonderful, restful holiday, and that the children are all set for a busy and exciting Summer Term at EPI! A list of dates for key events are detailed overleaf - to note that many more will be added as we receive confirmation of trips and activities.

Over the holidays the guidance around Covid -19 has changed, and there is no longer a requirement to either test or isolate. If children have Covid symptoms - or have a temperature or feel unwell - then they should stay at home. They can return to school as soon as they feel better, or do not have a raised temperature. If your child has mild symptoms of Covid, or if you choose to test them and they test positive but feel well, then they can still attend school. A reminder that children aged 5 years and over are eligible for a Covid vaccine, and all families should have received information from the NHS about this.

We look forward to a term of good health and fantastic attendance!

MONDAY 25TH APRIL - FRIDAY 29TH APRIL

Monday 25th

8am Year 5 and 6 Dodgeball and Cricket Club
3:30pm Junior Football Development Club

Tuesday 26th

8am Year 1 and 2 Gym Club in the hall
3:30pm Year 3 and 4 Football Squad training

Wednesday 27th

8am Parent led Basketball Club

Thursday 28th

8am Year 3 and 4 Dodgeball and Tennis Club

Friday 29th

8am Junior Girls Club
Junior squad represent EP at The Camden Swimming Gala
3:30pm Junior Gym Club

Term dates and INSET days for the rest of the school year

We have our two remaining INSET days during the term: one on **Monday 6th June**, attached to the end of half term, and the other on **Monday 13th June**.

Half term break Monday 30th-Friday 3rd June.

The school year then ends on **Thursday July 21st** at 1.30pm.

Reminder of key events for this term – please note all dates. It's a busy term!

- Wednesday 4th May - Eid Party in Juniors at 12:30
- Friday 6th May - Stay and Play
- Monday 9th – Thursday 13th May - SATs Week for Year 6
- **Thursday 12th May - CBC Night**
- Monday 16th - Thursday 27th - Year 2 Swimming - 2 week block
- **Wednesday 25th May - Keep it EP re-launch**
- **30th May - 3rd June - Half Term break**
- **Monday 6th June – Staff INSET. School closed to children**
- **Monday 13th June –Staff INSET. School closed to children**
- Wednesday 8th June – school photographer in school
- Friday 10th June - Stay and Play
- 20th June - 1st July - Year 1 swimming - 2 week block
- **Wednesday 22nd June - Summer Concert - starts at 4:30pm**
- Thursday 23rd – Friday 24th June – Year 2 adventure at The Mill, Dorking Surrey
- Thursday 30th – Friday 1st July - Year 4 camping adventure in Epping Forest
- Friday 1st July - Stay and Play
- **Saturday 2nd July - Summer Fair**
- Monday 4th July - visits for our new Reception class 2pm
- **Tuesday 5th July - Sports Day**
- Wednesday 6th July - visits for our new Nursery class
- 4th - 15th July - Year 5 swimming - 2 week block
- **13th and 14th July - End of year Parents' Evening**
- Friday 15th July – Year 6 Leavers' Family Barbecue
- Wednesday 20th July – Year 6 Leavers' Show
- **Thursday 21st July at 1:30pm – last day of term**

Cake Sales this term

You're all old hands now! Please make a note of your class dates for this term. All on Fridays, please arrive at 3:15pm to help set up. Donations can be left in the medical room at 9am if that suits:

- Year 6 - 29 April
- Year 5 - 6 May
- Year 4 - 13 May
- Year 3 - 20 May
- All year groups - Keep it EP Cake Sale - 27 May
- Year 2 - 10 June
- Year 1 - 17 June
- Reception - 24 June
- Nursery - 1 July

School dinner price change

This term Caterlink has increased the cost of school dinners from £2.24 to £2.29 per day. If your child is changing between packed lunches and school dinners this term please let the office know asap. Unfortunately if your child moves to packed lunches and you haven't informed us, Caterlink will charge us the cost, and in turn we will need to ask you for payment.

CBC Night, 12th May 2022 6-8pm

A reminder that our CBC night is coming up in 3 weeks' time. The theme for this year's CBC night is, 'One Love, the BIG Bob Marley Singalong'. Tracks have been allocated as follows: Nursery and Reception – Jammin', Years 1 and 2 - Three Little Birds, Years 3 and 4 - One Love, Years 5 and 6 - Could You Be Loved. Look out for sign-up boards in the entrance and add your name to a list (or two!). We aim to have most stalls wrapped up by 7.30pm so that everyone can join in with the singalong and dance the night away. Miss Thomson has set some additional spoken word homework with the theme of One Love - please encourage your children to get involved!

Thank you

To Ronnie Toohey in Reception for this week's border design.

With best wishes,

Sally Hill and Natalie Stevenson.