ELEANOR PALMER PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEKLY NEWSLETTER SUMMER TERM 2014 NUMBER 2 www.eleanorpalmer.camden.sch.uk Thursday 1st May 2014 Dear Families, Events in school in the first week of next term, 5th - 9th May! TOMORROW Cake Sale hosted by Year 3. Year 6 are to be visited by the Camden Electoral Services team to plan our election...but what are we voting for?! Monday 5th ***SCHOOL IS CLOSED DUE TO THE BANK HOLIDAY*** Tuesday 6th Reception are visiting the Heath. Year 2 are visiting Parliament Hill Fields. 9-10am Shed Talk. Our link psychologist from the Tavistock Centre, Louise Emanuel will lead a parent forum about parenting. This is open to ALL parents. Her theme is: 'WHO'S IN CHARGE: PARENT OR CHILD?'- Addressing issues around discipline, listening to our children, managing screen time. Wednesday 7th 8am Governors' PPC Committee. Thursday 8th 8am Governors' Staffing Committee. Friday 9th Year 4 Cake Sale. Thank you! To Molly-Rose in Year 1 for this week's border design. Well done to the 60 children who gave the national UKMT Maths Challenge a go. It is exceptionally hard and their perseverance was impressive. Medals are rare...results in a few weeks. Breakfast Club For the first time in ages we have some space in Breakfast Club on Mondays, Tuesdays and Fridays. Let Tania in the office know if you'd like to make a regular booking on these days.

Clubs this term

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Before school	KS1 football Open to all	KS2 football Open to all	KS2 Girls Football	Football Y2	KS2 Girls' Ball Skills
After school	Spanish KS2	French Chinese	T COTBUIL	Code Club Y4 Ukulele Club-	ORINS
		Art Football Y4		Y2/3	*

Clubs are all underway now: there are a few spaces in Monday's Spanish if anyone would like to join. Where clubs are over-subscribed we have drawn names randomly. Others will be on a waiting list and get a first chance when the clubs re-run.

BGT and X Factor Raffle

I HAVE DONE THIS! IT IS SO SIMPLE AND YOU GET AN EMAIL WITH YOUR RAFFLE TICKET NUMBERS. PLEASE SUPPORT!!

The Britain's Got Talent Raffle is back, thanks to the generosity of David Walliams the Camden Music Trust patron. A chance to win final/semi final tickets AND meet the judges! What's more our very own Mark Sidaway has donated 5 tickets for a live Wembley X Factor audition show too ... seats near the judges etc!

If you click on/copy this link it takes you to the MyDonate page where you donate £5 per ticket - or more in multiples of £5 - and your specific ticket number is emailed. Real paper ones are also on sale in school! Please encourage friends and family to do so: we are great fans of Camden Music who are behind the Royal Albert Hall, our own Laura, the Saturday and half term music centres and so much more. After £250,000 central government cuts its future is threatened!

https://mydonate.bt.com/events/2014rafflebgtandxfactor

Make sure you leave an email address so you are notified when you win!

Wind up torches

As part of their survival and electricity topic Year 4 need some wind up/ hand squeezed torches. They need to be surplus to requirement as they will be taking them apart!

Our chicks

It's hard to imagine you don't know after all the excitement in school, but we have chicks in Years 1 and 5. Do go and have a peep (ha ha) before or after school if you haven't already.

I spend lot of time nagging children about loose hair. It is school policy that long hair - girls and boys - should be tied back; partly for ease of working and also to reduce the spread of nits. Please make sure that your children leave home with hair tied up. It is a simple expectation and one of only a few rules we have. Thank you.

With best wishes, Kate Frood and staff.