

Thursday 7th July 2016

Dear Families,

TONIGHT

Parents' Evening! Appointments from 4.30-7.30pm. We are chasing the final few who have yet to sign up. Please do!

Rosie Thomson is also seeing Year 6 parents tomorrow afternoon.

Events in school next week 11th - 15th July:

This is the last week of clubs. A HUGE thank you to all the parents - Graham, Winston, Pietro, Keir, Mike, Wanda, Matthew, Gregg, Ian and Evros who have run early morning Football Clubs this year. It is much appreciated! New volunteers are needed as some Infant parents move to Junior football in September. Any parents from the current Reception class keen to join the morning coaching team?

Our new staff members for September, Maddie Heyes (Year 5) and Sophie Hartnell (Nursery) will be in school all next week and I will hope to introduce them to as many parents as possible.

Monday 11th

8am football for Years 1 and 2

Fingers crossed all will be done and we will officially open the new treehouse! In assembly we will draw the names of 4 lucky children to have a first go. Anticipating great enthusiasm for it, we will then have a rota all day so children can explore it and rotate. It is the most fantastic and unique design!

Ms Foster has more appointments for Year 5 parents from 1:20pm.

Year 4 are going to Golders Hill Park Zoo.

Year 6 are going to London Zoo.

Tuesday 12th

Year 6 are taking part in an Active Citizen Programme at Coram Fields.

At 2:30pm Year 5 parents are invited to come so the children can share their term's work.

Mr G has more appointments for Year 4 parents between 1-3:30 pm in the Greenhouse and Ms Elliott for Y3 parents between 8:30-10:30am.

At 3pm Reception parents are invited to a class-based 'assembly' where the class will reveal where their secret trip on Wednesday will take them!

Wednesday 13th

Reception are going on a mystery trip!

Ms Yaffe and Mr Cairns have more appointments for Year 1 parents from 11-12:50pm.

Thursday 14th

8am Year 2's early morning football with Coach Martin.

3:30pm Ukulele Club.

Friday 15th

8am Girls' Ball Skills for Juniors.

Friday 15th at 6.30pm. Year 6 Leavers' Barbecue. All Year 6 families welcome - bring a dish and something to drink, please sign up on the list outside the classroom. Year 6 then get to stay **overnight in school** with teachers. Please collect early on Saturday morning - no later than 7.30am please (they're awake well before that!)

Acland Burghley School - meet the headteacher.

The Head of Acland Burghley school, Nicholas John, is giving up his time to talk to any Eleanor Palmer parents who'd like to know how the school is developing.

He will be at 1 Ascham Street for an informal tea party between 4.30 and 6.30pm on Sunday July 10th. ALL parents are welcome (you don't have to be a Year 5 parent); it is a very relaxed event at Annabelle Williams' home and not at all scary! Nick will show a film about the school, talk for a bit and then answer any questions. Limited space so please check with Annabelle on 07712 835932 or willesrd2@talk21.com if you would like to bring your son or daughter. Nick started these events last year, and they got very good feedback, so do go along if you would like to get the latest on the school.

Results of the referendum on the Kentish Town Neighbourhood Plan held 9 June 2016

A discussion about whether this is a stronger mandate than the EU referendum! Lower turnout, greater majority...!

- Turnout 13.75% 1888 votes
- 90.9% voted Yes 8.3% voted No
- 13 rejected ballot papers

A message from the PTA Chairs

We just want to say a massive THANK YOU to everyone, EP families and staff, who helped make Saturday's Summer Fair so much fun! It only happened because so many of you were so generous with your time, your support, your help, your donations, your amazing food and cakes and decorations and ideas and so much more. Thank you to everyone else who put up gazebos, lugged books, made mocktails, guessed a baby, filled an envelope with silver, made a bid, cooked, chopped strawberries, washed soft toys and all the other wonderful contributions. Too many to mention. Altogether we raised an incredible £8000.00!!!

We also want to say thank you to our lovely sponsors, LONDON RESIDENTIAL. They are a small local estate agency who were so generous and friendly and nice to deal with, you would never know they were estate agents! It was thanks to their generosity that we could afford to splash out on the amazing band and dancers.

The fair was the last PTA event of this school year. Next in the calendar is the disco, in October! We should have just about recovered by then. If you want to be part of the PTA, and help with organising these events, please come to the AGM next term (we'll let you know the date when we get back from holidays). We always need a team of parents from across the school, doing as much or as little as you can, and having as much fun as possible doing it. Being on the PTA is a great way to be part of the school. It also means that you have a say in how the money we earn gets spent. Hope to see you there!

In the meantime, HAVE A FANTASTIC SUMMER!

Nora and Bandini X (PTA Chairs)

Congratulations!

A huge congratulations and thank you to our amazing PTA Chairs Nora and Bandini who, as others who have taken this role know, have worked tirelessly to put together the event. Their creativity, hard work and sense of good fun drove the whole event. And what a success it was!

To yellow team who won the House Cup at Sports Day!

Enterprising Year 6!

Year 6 have been working on an Enterprise Project over the last few weeks and are very excited to reveal their products on Monday! Each team was given £10 by Miss T and the team to make the most profit from their money wins a mystery prize! With all profits going to our fantastic Solar Campaign, Year 6 have some wonderful goodies on offer - from handmade jewellery and bookmarks to adorable animal erasers and flour babies, there's something for everyone! All items will cost under £2.50 and many are less than £1 so please bring your spare change in next week and visit one of their stalls at the end of each day to support our solar fundraising!

End of term events and dates

Tuesday 19th - Attendance Assembly. Will anyone make the 100% all year status?!

Year 6 will perform a Leavers Show at 2pm and again at 7pm.

Wednesday 20th - Leavers' Assembly at 9.15am followed by children spending time with their new teachers. After lunch and playtime, school ends at 1.45pm.

Thank you!

To Mia Adebawale in Year 6 for this week's border.

Attendance for last week - the whole year's results in next week!

Class	Attendance %	Punctuality %
6	99.33	98.67
5	98.67	98.00
4	93.67	97.33
3	97.10	98.67
2	100.00	93.55
1	98.33	96.67
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With best wishes, Kate Frood and staff.