# Primrose Hill Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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From our Head Teacher Welcome back. Hope you all had a good holiday and are ready for the Summer term. On Monday's INSET day we had staff refresher safeguarding training. This highlighted the global concern about children accessing online games/apps and their vulnerability. We will be promoting this information this term. The technological world is exciting but it is scary! On a different note, hope you like the new foyer chairs. And a big reminder about being in school ON TIME. School is open for soft start from 8:45. Towards the end of term we had a high number of lates...this is not ok! Big efforts, people. Robin



### Le Français ...

Year 1 had a French taster with Benedicte,



our French teacher. They have learned to say 'bonjour', 'je m'appelle ...' and to count to five.



Late Book We will be introducing a 'late book' in the lobby. If you do arrive at school late for any reason, you will need to fill in the late book. This will be stored by the main desk.



## Library Opening

Thursday 21 April

Our newly refurbished Library is almost ready to open officially.

Freshly decorated, lots and lots of new books (with the help of FOPHS) and lovely furniture, it will be a wonderful place for our children to read and learn.

Our very special guest opener will be DAVID WALLIAMS. It will be a Joke Day - EVERYONE dresses up - all adults as the funniest character they know, or have a joke to tell or a funny extract to read aloud.



Year 5 Trip to The Mill in September Information Meeting for parents/carers MONDAY, 25TH APRIL 3.45 P.M.

#### Behaviour and Conduct

The children have had assemblies this week about behaviour expectations. The time-out process and what constitutes 'red cards' etc. were made very clear. The assembly slides will be put on the screen in the lobby for your information. Classrooms too will have posters displaying the time-out procedure.

## SATS Preparation

As you will know, the children in Y2 and Y6 will be the first children to sit the new style SATS tests based on the New National Curriculum which came into force in 2014. This means the tests are different to what we've been used to. We are running some briefing sessions for children and parents in Y2 and Y6 to outline what you can expect and how we are working towards the SATS timeline. SATS takes place throughout May for Y2 and in the week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> May for Y6's.

### Briefings as follows:

Y2 Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April 3pm – Middle Hall Y6 Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April 9am and 3pm – Middle Hall

# LET'S RAISE LOTS FOR SPORT RELIEF

AND YOU DID—VERY GENEROUSLY TOO!! THANK YOU TO ALL PARENTS AND CHILDREN WHO TOOK PART IN THE FUN.

Total raised — £315





### Camden Safeguarding Children Board

(Safeguarding is Everyone's Responsibility)

CSCB has provided guidance for parents and carers who are thinking of using a private tutor, tuition centre, after-school arts, sports or care provider. You are responsible for private tuition, classes etc and the Council and Primrose Hill Primary will not be able to approve or recommend tutors or providers.

Anyone who works unsupervised with children must have a Disclosure and Barring check. You can ask providers to show you their DBS certificate. There are many other checks you should make before entrusting your child to a 'provider' – be clear where tutoring will take place, don't assume the venue is also the provider of sessions.

We have posted the Guidance from the Camden Safeguarding Children Board on our website. Please do read it and please follow the advice to keep your children safe with external 'providers'. Visit their website cscb-new.co.uk or contact the multi-agency safeguarding hub (MASH) on 7974 3317 if you have concerns

School Meals have been under review at Primrose Hill for some time. We believe that suggestions made by children and parents have improved the lunches served. Many parents, however, continue to provide packed lunches for their children, including those who are eligible for free school meals. We would like to understand why. Do you give them a more nutritious meal? Is it because of an allergy reaction? Do your children prefer having a main meal in the evening? Write to us, please, letting us have your views. You may write to admin@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk and we will review all responses.

# Coming Up Next Term and more ...

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April Walk to School Week

Y6 SATS Meeting 9am and 3pm

Wed 20th April YI Scooter Training

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May Bank Holiday Monday Closed

Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> May Sex & Relationships Education

Session for Parents 2:30 / 3:30

Fri 6<sup>th</sup> May Y3 Performance 2:30pm

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> May Y6 SATS Week

Tues 10<sup>th</sup> May Y3 & Y4 Football Tournament

Wed 11<sup>th</sup> May Y3 & Y4 Football Tournament

Week beg 16<sup>th</sup> May Y6 Cycle Training

Wed 18th May

Thurs 19th May

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> May

Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> May

Thurs 26th May

30th May -3rd June

Autism Week

Tues 17<sup>th</sup> May Y6 YR Height & Weight Checks

4pm-6pm Y3 Y4 Football Finals

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STEM Week Begins -

Y6 Drama Workshops

I/2 term

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June INSET Day – School

Closed

Tues 7<sup>th</sup> June Summer 2 Starts