

Primrose Hill Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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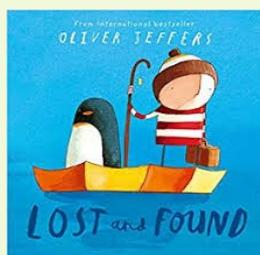
I hope you all had a wonderful and restful holiday. The children came back to school full of energy and enthusiasm and are ready for all that the summer term has to offer. This is a short half term and our focus is on Y2 and Y6 as they do their SATS assessments – we have run briefings for both year groups, but if you have any questions, please see one of the team. Have a good start to term everyone, Robin.

EYFS & KSI - ITS STORYTIME!

Every week we will be releasing a story read by one of the adults at school to help support reading at home. You can access the story by simply opening your camera on your phone or tablet (it has to be connected to the internet) and reading the QR code attached. This will automatically bring up the video for you to enjoy with your child at home.

This week is: **Lost and Found by Oliver Jeffers** read by Robin.

We hope you enjoy it! Laura.



Paperless Newsletter

We are once again going to try and move towards a paperless newsletter. The document will be sent by text link as normal and we will have some paper copies in the office area if you would prefer this. This will save us a bit of money and contribute to a greener environment. Please make sure you read the newsletter weekly though so you get updates and information relevant to your child(ren).

<http://www.primrosehill.camden.sch.uk/school-information/newsletters/>

Public Consultation to close St Aloysius Primary School. See information at this link about a consultation to consider the closure of St Aloysius Primary School: <http://news.camden.gov.uk/st-aloysius-catholic-primary-school---consultation-on-closure/>

RSPB Wild Challenge Award

Well done to Y3 for helping us get the Wild Challenge Bronze Award from the RSPB 'for doing great things to help nature.'



Home Learning

Following feedback from staff, children and parents and carers we have made some small amendments to Home Learning. This is updated on the website if you would like more information.

<http://www.primrosehill.camden.sch.uk/school-information/letters-home/>

Half Termly Letters

Following feedback from our parents and carers, KS1 and KS2 are sending out half termly newsletters which lay out the term's curriculum. You should receive these from your class teacher this week.

Y1 Phonics briefing

Robin ran a Phonics Briefing this morning. For all of you who have not been able to attend please check our school website for the presentation and further information.

<http://www.primrosehill.camden.sch.uk/school-information/letters-home/>



Attendance



A very warm welcome back to Primrose Hill and the Summer Term. We're almost at the end of the school year so let's push ourselves to come in everyday and on time. I know there are plenty of exciting activities coming up and I'm sure you don't want to miss them!

A gentle reminder that I will be bringing about some changes to attendance and punctuality so watch this space! **Lyra**

PE Updates

I hope everyone has had a well deserved rest. The children have come back with bundles of energy and ready for an amazing summer term, filled with lots of events. Just a reminder football after school, exclusively for parents and careers will still be going ahead. This will start next Tuesday 30th from 4pm until 5pm, we hope to see as many of you as we can.

StreetDance yourself fit with Rob!

I am happy to announce that after many requests I have decided to start an adult Streetdance class especially for parents here at Primrose Hill and currently just gathering interest before definitely confirming. The proposed class will be fun, high energy, with a cardio warm up, grooves, basic stretches and routines for all levels; no dance experience needed.

Day: Tuesday
Time: 9-10am
Price: £5



If you are interested please email rob@elevatearts.org.uk

Kentish Town City Farm

There is public consultation which I urge you to comment upon about the planned closure of Kentish Town City Farm. This is a very valuable local community resource which we must all act upon to keep open. Please support this very important cause.



Recipe Cook Book

Thank you to all of you for sending us your lovely recipes. Good news!!! We have extended the deadline until **20th May 2019.**

Please bring into the office as many recipes as you can and we will have our first **Primrose Hill Cook Book**. Thank you, Tania & Amal on behalf of Friends of Primrose Hill.



Easyfundraising.org.uk

Every penny helps! With this in mind please check out the website:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/primhill/>

The school makes money simply by you shopping at no extra cost to you. We need as many supporters as possible so tell your friends and family. Let us see if we can be the most profitable school!

Focus on Presentation

After our term of focusing on handwriting across the school, we are now going to look at high quality presentation in the children's books and recorded work. We discussed this in our INSET training last week as a staff and Robin led an assembly for the children on Tuesday. Each week during Achievement Assembly, each class teacher will nominate a best work example which will be showcased during the assembly. Please talk to your child about what is expected of them!

Teacher Liaison Time

Talk to Teacher time, will continue to be at 3:15pm at the allocated slot below. Obviously, you are also very welcome to make an appointment to see your child's class teacher if you wish to discuss something particular, but please make use of this time if you are available to have a catch up:

Y1 Classes	Monday	Y5 Classes	Tuesday
Y2 Classes	Tuesday	Y6 Classes	Friday
Y3 Squirrels	Wednesday		
Y3 Bats	Thursday		
Y4 Foxes	Thursday		
Y4 Hedgehogs	Monday		



Coming Up

Wed. 1 st May	Key Stage 1 SATS Begin
Monday 6 th May	May Day – School Closed
Thursday 9 th May	Y4 to Westminster Abbey
Friday 10 th May	Y1 to CLC Trip
Monday 13 th May	Key Stage 2 SATS Week Begins
20 th to 24 th May	Walk to School Week
27th May to 31st May	HALF TERM
Monday 3rd June	INSET DAY – School Closed
Thursday 6 th June	Y6 to CLC Trip
10 th to 14 th June	Y1 Phonics Check Week
Wed. 19 th June	Bats to CLC Trip
Thursday 20 th June	Squirrels to CLC Trip
Thursday 27 th June	Y5 to Mosque Trip
Saturday 29 th June	Summer Fair
Wednesday 3 rd July	Y2 Trip to the Seaside
Friday 5 th July	Y2 Trip to Central Gurdwara
Monday 8 th July	Y6 School Trip All Week
Tuesday 23rd July	End of Term 1:30 Finish