

Primrose Hill Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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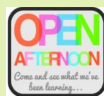
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The end of a busy term but we have achieved lots and it has been a positive start to the school year. The children are settled in their new classes and making good progress. The Senior Leadership have completed our round of monitoring of teaching and learning which includes lesson drop ins, book scrutiny and talking to the children. Next half term we will have our first Pupil Progress Reviews of the year to look at where the children are in terms of their learning across the subjects. As a school, we are doing some work around the wider curriculum which we will continue on our INSET day while you enjoy an extra day's holiday. Have a great half term break. I will see you back for a new term on Tuesday 29th October. **Robin**

INSET Day Monday 28th October - School Closed for children.

Tuesday 29th October – School resumes.



OPEN AFTERNOON

Yesterday's Open Afternoon was well attended and provided an opportunity for parents and carers to see the school in action. I hope you found it useful. Please let us know any feedback about this. A big thank you to our pupil tour guides!

Absence & Attendance

We ended fantastically with **95.46%** across the whole school for this half term. I was hoping for a higher figure, but I know that quite a few children have come back late from holidays and have also had term-time holidays, nonetheless, I am happy that we finished above 95% ☺

Now time for stats..

For this half term:

Autumn 1 2018 – 96.70%

Autumn 1 2019 – 95.46%

Key stage stats for Autumn 1 2019:

EYFS: 92.92%

KS1: 97.03%

KS2: 95.21%

Class with the best Attendance:

Woodpeckers – 98.41%! (Well done!!)

For this week:

WELL DONE TO GRASSHOPPERS 98.62%

WELL DONE TO WOODPECKERS 97.67%

MATHS PARENT WORKSHOPS



As part of our work around our Maths School Improvement Action, Mireille will be leading parent workshops around fluency. These sessions will focus on how you can play games at home with your children to increase their mental maths and recall of mathematical facts. All of these sessions will take place on a Friday morning after the soft start drop in sessions for parents. **Please sign up in the office.**

All parents who attend will receive a free pack that will have dice and games to play at home with your child!

YEAR 1 Friday 8th November- start after Maths Stay & Play, 9:20am in the community room

YEAR 2 Friday 29th November – start at 9am in the community room

YEAR 3 & 4 Friday 6th December - start at 9am in the community room

YEAR 5 & 6 Friday 13th December - start at 9am in the community room



REMINDER- MATHS STAY & PLAY is Friday 8th November- join your children in maths games in their classroom from 8:45am to 9:15am

**Please remember:
Wednesday 27th November is
Parent Consultations Meeting
EYFS Closed All Day and Y1 – Y6
close at 1pm.**
















Staffing



We said goodbye to one of our Teaching Assistants this week – Shilpa Diraji – who is leaving to undertake a role in an Accountancy Firm. We thank her for her hard work over the past three years.

New Parent Reps for 2019-2020

A big well done to Amal who has cajoled and encouraged a new batch of Parent Reps. Parent Reps are a good conduit between your classes, the Friends of Primrose Hill and the school directly. They played a big part in supporting school events last year and communicating key information when needed. Well done to you all and a big thank you for your efforts last year. I'm pleased to welcome some re-standers and some new faces and will be looking forward to meeting you collectively on Tuesday 29th Oct at 2:30 in the Community Room. Here are the list of Parent Reps for the year....

New Class	Parent Rep(s)	New Class	Parent Rep(s)
Tadpoles 2 Year Old Nursery 	Tasha (Aeris' Mum)	Year 3 Squirrels 	Jess (Sinead's Mum)
Froglets Nursery 	Millie (Logan's Mum)	Year 3 Bats 	Paula (Alicia's Mum)
Reception Ladybirds 	Omar (Ayman's Dad) Sophia (Lylah's Mum)	Year 4 Hedgehogs 	Jenny (Harrison's Mum)
Year 1 Dragonflies 	Elisa (Fernando's Mum) Sandra (Hero's Mum) Sue (Valerie's Mum)	Year 4 Foxes 	Zainab (Ayub's Mum) Najma (Rabah's Mum)
Year 1 Butterflies 	Munira (Zayana's Mum)	Year 5 Woodpeckers 	Elisabette (Lorenzo's Mum)
Year 2 Grasshoppers 	Fatima (Calum's Mum)	Year 5 Blackbirds 	Anna (Lorenzo's Mum)
Year 2 Beetles 	Yetunde (Eti-Eno's Mum)	Year 6 Hérons 	Claire (Archie's Mum)
		Year 6 Kestrels 	Babs (Dylan's Mum)

HELLO YELLOW

Great support for Mental Health Day with lots of children wearing yellow and donating a £1. We have raised £152! Thank you to all of you who supported Young Minds.

YOUNGMINDS



PE News

An amazing half term in the world of PE. The PH children have been eager improve in all aspects of their learning. Our Year 5&6 done an incredible job this week, earning themselves a silver medal in this years netball tournament. We hope everyone enjoys their well earned rest and we look forward to seeing them back ready to start from where we left off.



Community empowerment & friendship for older people in Camden

St Mark's Regent's Park NWC

Camden age UK Charity No. 203440 Established 1995

Neighbours Meet-up & Book Sale

Friday 1st November
1.30 - 3.00pm

Space to share what's important, a range of books for sale, information on local services, light refreshments and a warm welcome! See you there!

Join us for a 2nd book sale after an 11am All Souls Sung Requiem service on Saturday 2nd November from 12-2pm

St Mark's Regent's Park
St Mark's Square
Primrose Hill
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020 7449 9622
info@ageukcamden.org.uk

Key Dates

Mon 28 th Oct	INSET DAY
Wed 27th Nov Parent Consultations Meeting	EYFS Closed and Y1 - 6 close at 1pm
Thurs 5 th Dec	PM - Key Stage 1 Concert at Cecil Sharp
Tue 10 th Dec	PM - EYFS Christmas Show
Wed 11 th Dec	PM - Key Stage 2 Concert at Cecil Sharp (two performances tbc)
Thurs 19 th Dec	LAST DAY OF TERM—1:30 Finish

Spring Term

Mon 6 th Jan	INSET DAY
Tues 7 th Jan	First Day Spring Term
Mon 17th to Fri 21st Feb Half Term	
Fri 3 rd April	Last Day of Spring Term
Mon 20 th April	INSET DAY
Tues 21 st April	First Day of Summer Term
Fri 8 th May	MAY DAY
Mon 25th to Fri 29th May Half Term	
Mon 1 st June	INSET DAY
Tues 21 st July	Last Day of Summer Term

Stars of the week

	Dragonflies - Amicie & William	
	Butterflies - Josh & Zayana	
	Grasshoppers - Seb + Hafsa O	
	Beetles - Cheng Yang & Sy	
	Bats - Brianna & Paula	
	Squirrels - Henry and Noah	
	Hedgehogs - Theo and Ayla	
	Foxes - Leo and Nina	
	Blackbirds - Lisa & Arturo	
	Woodpeckers - Rayaam & Jonathan	
	Hérons - Orelia & Charlie	
	Kestrels - Janelle & Raphael	



Primrose Hill School FREE ADVICE AND INFORMATION SESSIONS

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There is now a new FREE service at the school.

Do you want to:

- check out if there are ways you can increase your income?
- get advice about any benefit issues you have?

For more information or to book an appointment at an income maximisation advice session:

Phone 020 7722 8500 and ask for Edina Dias Souza