

# Primrose Hill Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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I hope you all had a good half term and are ready for the next term. We are very bored of the rain and want to use our new garden! We've talked to the children lots about keeping hands clean, especially in light of global health issues. This even involved a whole school hand washing mime! Happy weekend all. **Robin**

## Building Works

You will have noticed the absence of our builders compound which signifies the near completion of our ARP project. We are almost ready to completely use our new facilities, having been handed over our new Sensory Room and Soft Play rooms and children's toilets for Y2. The final bits and pieces will be wrapped up shortly and I will re-publish our ARP brochure which will explain our completed facilities. The final works look AMAZING and I so pleased with the hard work it has taken in terms of design, planning, man power and thinking from everyone involved. The disruption to normal business has been worth it.



## Parent Consultations Wednesday 11th March



This means that **Tadpoles, Froglets and Ladybirds will be closed all day.** For Y1, Y2, Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6, **school closes at 1pm.** Ilirjana will be sending out the **TEXT LINK** to make appointments on Monday. If you haven't received a text by the end of **MONDAY** please see Ilirjana.

## Absence & Illness

A reminder that where possible, you provide medical evidence for any absences. I believe some GP's are now providing text advice which you can be sent by the doctor, which you can then show Lyra in the office. This will be helpful in ensuring our attendance %'s are accurate. Without any medical evidence, we cannot authorise any absences. Thank you.

## Future Works

With the garden shortly opening, I have given our Playground Designers the green light to complete the project in the top playground. This will involve in some new markings, the completion of the running track around the complete playground site and a new climbing structure for KS2 children. In the garden we have some new lunch benches, a shaded area, a swing and a water feature as well as play activities children can use.



## Contact Information

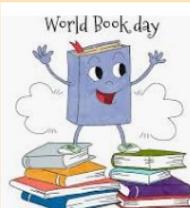
It is so important that we have any updates on addresses, telephone numbers, emergency contacts and email addresses. Please let the office know of any changes.

**PE Kit Reminder** - PE is a compulsory part of the curriculum and we require your child, on their PE day, to wear the appropriate kit for these lessons. The correct kit for these lessons are:

- ◆ Plain **black shorts**;
- ◆ White t-shirt with our **school logo**;
- ◆ Black crew neck jumper with our **school logo**.
- ◆ **Suitable trainers**

The school sells white logo t-shirts and black logo crew neck jumpers every Tuesday from 9:00am to 9:30am and every Wednesday from 3:00pm - 3:45pm.

**We'd like to remind parents to ensure they have labelled their child's clothing very clearly to avoid accidentally misplacing it so it can be returned to its rightful owner.**



## World Book Day Thursday 5th March

Let's ALL come dressed up as a book character. You must choose a character from a book you have read, home made costumes are the best. This is the English event of the year so please do all join in.





## PE NEWS

A great start to this week in the world of PE and sports. Our Year 5 & 6 took part in the CSSA Football league finals, finishing an incredible 1st for the boys and 2nd for the girls. They have done themselves extremely proud! Just a reminder your child needs to be wearing shorts for their PE lessons from Year 2—6. Thanks, PE team



## Coming up - Important dates

Fri 6<sup>th</sup> Mar 2:30 Woodpeckers Class Assembly  
 Mon 9<sup>th</sup> Mar Sport Relief Day  
 Tues 10<sup>th</sup> Mar Camden Music Festival at Royal Albert Hall

**Weds 11<sup>th</sup> Mar Parent Consultations**  
**Tadpoles, Froglets & Ladybirds Closed All Day & Y1 to Y6 School Closes at 1pm.**

Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Mar Ladybirds to CLC  
 2:30 Squirrels Class Assembly  
 Mon 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar School Photographs  
 Tues 24<sup>th</sup> Mar School Photographs  
 Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Mar 2:30 Bats Class Assembly  
 Mon 30<sup>th</sup> Mar RE Day  
 Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> April End of Spring Term -Finish at 1:30

## Mon 6<sup>th</sup> to Fri 17<sup>th</sup> April Easter Holidays

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April INSET Day – School Closed to Children  
 Tues 21<sup>st</sup> April First Day of Summer Term.

## Attendance

I hope everyone had a lovely and restful half term break and we are all ready for this new term! We finished under 95% this week which isn't ideal and not one class got over 95% in KS2!! I'm sure we can do better than this.

Contacting the school is essential if your child is absent, explaining very clearly **why** they are absent. If you can't leave a voicemail or call, you can always send us an email [attendance@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk](mailto:attendance@primrosehill.camden.sch.uk)

## Reminders for this term:

- 100% Day is on 12th March and every class that has 100% attendance on that day will have extra play!

- Please remember to try and arrange medical appointments outside of school hours to avoid disrupting the class. However, if appointments are made for after 10:30, we would expect your child to come in for the morning registration. Thanks all!  
**Lyra**

Some complaints have been made about cars speeding to a halt outside the school.

We would like you to remind parents to approach the school slowly and park thoughtfully.



## Stars of the Week

★ Dragonflies - Eddie & Kai	★ Hedgehogs - Harrison & Destiny
★ Butterflies - Clarissa & Klara	★ Foxes - Maya P & Hudson
★ Grasshoppers - Andi & Masud	★ Blackbirds - Camillo & Isma
★ Beetles - Waliyya & Hanna	★ Woodpeckers - Adnan & Mary
★ Bats - Hiwaad & Eva	★ Herons - Maymuna & Liam
★ Squirrels - Sophia and Adam	★ Kestrels - Mat & Jonathan

## School Council Announcement

Sports Relief is on Friday 13th March.  
 Join us from 8am to walk, job or run a mile.  
 Donate as much as you can.



## Cooking Club

Cooking club, the pop up cafe and snack shack will be back after half term.  
 We look forward to cooking for you all again!



## Whole School Parent Events 2019- 20

Every Friday soft start - parent drop ins

Parent Liaison at 3:15pm on the allocated day of your child's class teacher

Class	Phonics/ Reading workshop (in the community room)	Physical development/ writing workshop (in the community room)	Maths Workshops
Froglets	Delivered through Parent stay and play sessions, weekly, 5 Wednesday mornings per half term 8.45 - 9.30	Delivered through stay and play sessions, weekly, 5 Wednesday mornings per half term 8.45 - 9.30am	Delivered through stay and play sessions, weekly, 5 Wednesday mornings per half term 8.45 - 9.30am
Ladybirds	Wednesday 6th November 9.00am	Wednesday 22nd January 9.00am	Wednesday 4th March 9.00am
Performances	EYFS Xmas show - Tuesday 10th December AND Thursday 12th December, both 2.30pm		EYFS summer show - Thursday 9th July 2.40pm

### KS1

Class	Class Assembly	STEAM	Writing Workshop
Butterflies	Thursday 23rd January 2:30pm	Thursday 2nd April 2:30pm	Thursday 2nd July 2.45pm
Dragonflies	Thursday 30th January 2:30pm		
Grasshoppers	Wednesday 5th February 2.30pm	Wednesday 1st April	Thursday 2nd July 2.45pm
Beetles	Wednesday 12th February 2.30pm		

### KS2

Class	Class Assembly	STEAM	Writing Workshop
Squirrels	Friday 20th March 2:30	Friday 12th June 2:30pm	Friday 10th July 2:45pm
Bats	Friday 27th March 2:30		
Hedgehogs	Friday 6th December 2:45pm	Wednesday 1st April 2.45pm	Friday July 17th 2.45pm
Foxes	Wednesday 4th December 2:45pm		
Woodpeckers	Friday 6th March 2.30pm	Tuesday 17 December at 2.30pm	Wednesday 17th June at 2:45pm
Blackbirds	Friday 28th February 2.30pm		
Kestrels	Y6 Show = 15th July 6-7pm at Haverstock	Friday 27th March at 2:30pm	Friday 12th June at 2:45pm
Herons	Y6 Graduation = 20th July 2:30-3:30		