

Primrose Hill Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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hey,

Sickness has descended on Primrose Hill and this is the first week since the start of term that attendance has been below 95%. With the ever changing weather, it is important to layer up and dress accordingly. We've noticed a number of children come to school in thin jumpers and no coats. Brrrrr. **Robin**

Class Assemblies - Dates for your diary!

Whole EYFS 2:30 13th December
Winter concert show



Butterflies 25th Jan. at 2:30pm Class Assembly
Dragonflies 18th Jan. at 2:30pm Class Assembly

Year 2 30th Nov at 9am Work Celebration
Year 2 15 Feb. at 2:30pm Class Assembly

Bats 28th Mar. at 2:30 Class Assembly
Squirrels 21st Mar. at 2:30 Class Assembly
Foxes 16th Jan. at 2:30 Class Assembly
Hedgehogs 23rd Jan. at 2:30 Class Assembly
Blackbirds 8th Feb. at 2:45 Class Assembly
Woodpeckers 7th Feb. at 2:45 Class Assembly
Herons & Kestrels Y6 End of Show July tbc

Parent Consultations Tuesday 27th November



Parent consultations next week Tuesday. Please make sure you've booked for your meeting to see the class teacher and discuss your child's progress.

School Closed ALL DAY for EYFS

(No school for children in Nursery and Reception classes)

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School Closes at 1:00pm for KS1 & KS2

(Y1-Y6 finish at 1pm, please arrange prompt collection)

End of Term Concerts

The children in KS1 and KS2 will be performing once again at Cecil Sharp House on Gloucester Avenue. This is always a wonderful celebration for the end of year. Tom has already sent a letter out. The performances will be as follows:

Thursday 6th December

2:00 Performance for all Y1 and Y2 Parents & Carers

Tuesday 11th December

1:15 Performance for Y3 and Y5 Parents & Carers

2:30 Performance for Y4 and Y6 Parents & Carers

(Note, both performances are exactly the same, but we are restricted on numbers hence the two showings)

Tania will be selling tickets during parent consultations. There will be further opportunities to buy a ticket nearer to the event. Tickets cost £3.50 which goes to paying for the actual venue.

School Photographer Coming Next Week!!!!

We have arranged for our School Photographer to visit the school on **Wednesday 28th and Thursday 29th November**. She is able to take a standard portrait or add some seasonal props etc. This is a great time to model those Christmas jumpers or your best party clothes! We will also be providing some time for family photos or sibling photographs at the start of each day!



This Weeks Sporting Achievements



Attendance

For the first time in 10 weeks, we are below 95% (94.84% to be exact). But I know the children of Primrose Hill will make a great comeback!

As the weather is getting colder, please make sure you send in your children with hats, coats, gloves and scarves and are taking their vitamins!

EYFS: 91.88% KSI—KS2: 96.13%

WELL DONE TO GRASSHOPPERS 98.02% AND SQUIRRELS 98.08%

I'm sure EYFS can do better than that!

Parent Reps

Now we have established parent reps, this is an exciting way forward for the school. The Reps would serve a primary role in maintaining good communication between parents, while also being a valuable resource to the teacher and the class. The reps also facilitate the social interaction amongst families in the school community. Essentially, this would be a volunteer from each class across the school who liaises with the Friends of Primrose Hill and the Senior Leadership Team. Their responsibilities at any time may include:

- Liaising with other parents in the class by keeping them informed of activities and events and signposting them to key information sent by the school
- Making new families welcome to the school community
- Generating fundraising ideas for the school
- Attending Friends of Primrose Hill meeting to support fundraising, organising school events etc.
- Attending and being proactive at school events such as Sports Day, concerts, coffee mornings etc.
- Passing on ideas & requests from parents to the Class Teacher or class staff
- Help recruit parents to organise social events / Summer fairs etc
- Being a 'support resource' for times when the teacher may need resources or support e.g. junk modelling materials, cooking, show costumes etc.
- Encouraging parents to volunteer when needed either for activities and events when requested by the class teacher
- Supporting the Class Teachers to recruit other parent helpers for trips or school activities
- Arranging assistance via the class in a manner needed by the teacher

Reps may also be involved in class key events such as organising gifts for staff if your class wish to do this, reading a weekly story to the class, supporting with gardening, helping with class assemblies, researching parents' expertise with certain skills e.g. languages, sewing etc. There is much potential. Whilst this will be a valuable resource to the children, the class and the school as a whole, Class Reps are not to be used to help other parents express concerns about their own children. This should be done directly between the parents themselves and the school.

Class	Parent Rep(s)	Children
Froglets	Fariba & Fatima	Mimi & Ethan's Mums
Ladybirds	Munira & Sue	Zayana & Valerie's Mums
Butterflies	Roxanne & Yetunde	Kyra & Eti-Eno's Mums
Dragonflies	Fozia	Yasin & Yusuf's Mum
Grasshoppers	Jess & Karolina	Sinead & Josie's Mum
Beetles	Paula & Summer	Alicia & Navadah's Mum
Squirrels	Zainab & Najma	Ayub's & Rabah's Msum
Bats	Jenny	Harrison's Mum
Hedgehogs	Anna	Lorenzo's Mum
Foxes	Maria	Amirah's Mum
Woodpeckers	Babs	Dylan's Mum
Blackbirds	Claire	Archie's Mum
Hérons	Jenny	Sam's Mum
Kestrels	Beccy	Isabel's Mums

ASD Consultation

The presentation I prepared, similar to the one shown during our parent workshops – is on the school website. The consultation process is now open. A link to the Camden website can be found here:

<http://camden.gov.uk/ccm/content/education/school-notices/> The formal consultation ends on **Sunday 25th November 2018.**

Friends of Primrose Hill



We had a meeting for our festive fair yesterday. Please look out for the letter with more information on it. As always, we need helpers, if you would like to help please see your class parent rep.

Quiz night for Y5 & 6

Year 5 & 6 quiz night on Wednesday 5th December 3.30-5.30pm.

Important Dates:

Tues 27th Nov	Parent Consultations EYFS Closed All Day KSI and KS2 School Closes at 1pm
Tues 4th Dec	Y4 to Primrose Hill Library 7pm Carol Service at St Marks Church
Wed 5th Dec	Y5 & Y6 FOPH Quiz
Thurs 6th Dec	2pm KSI Concert at Cecil Sharp House
Tues 11th Dec	1:15 Y3 & Y5 Concert at Cecil Sharp House 2:30 Y4 & Y6 Concert at Cecil Sharp House
Thurs 13th Dec	2:30 EYFS Concert
Mon 17th Dec	RE Day 1:30 Yr-Y5 Flu Immunisation
Tues 18th Dec	FOPH Winter Fun Afternoon
Fri 21st Dec	1:30 End of Autumn Term
Mon 7th Jan	INSET DAY-CLOSED FOR CHIDLREN
Tues 8th Jan	First Day of Spring Term

Easyfundraising.org.uk

As you know we are really keen to buy our very own floating classroom. Every penny helps! With this in mind please check out the website :

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/primhi>
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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!