

# Primrose Hill Primary School Weekly Newsletter



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Lots of things have occupied school life this week; the news of me leaving at the end of July and the daily development of Covid19. Despite all that, it was great to hear such positive feedback, well wishes and warmth from you regarding my new job. It is a long way off and my focus continues to be Primrose Hill. It is business as usual whilst the Governors decide the next steps for the leadership of the School. Great to see so many of you at parent consultations too. Let's keep PH ticking along normally during this time. **Robin**

## Parent Consultations

If you missed your opportunity to speak to your child's class teacher, do try and reschedule this and check in with them. It is important to get regular updates and have opportunities to see the children's work. The teachers have playground liaison time too if you would prefer to catch up with them in this way.

## Staffing

You will know that Richard is leaving us at the end of this term to take up a new post in West London. I know that the nursery are collecting for a gift for him. We will also deliver him a fine leaving assembly in the last week. Lia White has been appointed as EYFS Leader and Nursery Teacher and she will take up post after Easter. We look forward to working with her.

Also at the end of this term, we welcome our new Assistant Site Supervisor Humphrey to the team. Giuseppe is looking forward to having a new buddy to with for the summer term.

## Mosaic Work

Maud and her team have been back doing lots of fabulous work with Y2 and Y3. This is such a lovely project for the children, staff and parents to be a part of. We can't wait to see them up on the walls in due course.



## Covid19

You will have seen various updates regarding the developments with the Corona Virus. We receive regular updates from Camden and Public Health and the DFE and acts upon these as appropriate. There will be daily updates on the website as information comes in. Until any further measures are announced, our main focus is in ensuring good habits of hygiene to minimise any spread of infection. This mainly entails:

- Good regular handwashing habits and teaching children the 20 second rule
- Proper use of tissues for sneezing or blowing noses and then disposing of these in a bin

We have also been looking to the future and drawing up contingency plans. We will endeavour to keep the school open in the event of multiple staff absences, however this may involve introducing precautionary measures such as cancelling trips or clubs, requiring children to bring packed lunch, splitting or combining classes and avoiding large gatherings such as class assemblies etc. We would plan for these if issues arise.

We hope the above will not be needed, however we feel it is important to inform you of actions which may need to be taken.

I have also put some planning in place for what would happen if all schools had to close. This would be communicated with you if that eventuality occurs. Please note the school will only close if directed to do so by Public Health England.

## Attendance

Due to current health events, it is vital that parents are contacting the school when your child is unwell, **clearly** stating the reasons why rather than just that they are unwell.

Medical advice should always be sought by visiting the <https://111.nhs.uk/> website or the Covid19 hotline on 0800 046 8687 (open from 8am-6pm Mon-Fri) and then letting us know immediately the outcome.

We're still pushing on attendance as much as we can, so please remember to wash your hands, drink plenty of hot lemon water and take care of yourself and others.  
We can beat this thing!!



## *Summer Term Clubs*

You will be able to sign up for Summer Term after school clubs next week. Registration opens on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March and will close on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March at 12.00 noon. We will also be emailing out flyers from outside providers to explain how to register online for their clubs, so check your emails for these during the week.

## *Stars of the Week*

★	<b>Dragonflies – Kai &amp; Ajana</b>	★
	<b>Butterflies – Anika &amp; Sam</b>	
	<b>Grasshoppers – Yusuf + Scarlett</b>	
★	<b>Beetles – Alice A &amp; Aqsa</b>	★
	<b>Bats – Brianna &amp; Keturah</b>	
★	<b>Squirrels – Noah and Ilan</b>	★
	<b>Hedgehogs – Amaanah &amp; Nina</b>	
★	<b>Foxes – Onida &amp; Rabah</b>	★
	<b>Blackbirds – Amelle &amp; Rahim</b>	
★	<b>Woodpeckers – Logan &amp; Mary</b>	★
	<b>Heron – Muhamed &amp; Lev</b>	
★	<b>Kestrels – Eddy &amp; Nayeem</b>	★

## **INDIVIDUAL PHOTOS TIMETABLE** **THURSDAY 19TH MARCH**

Time	Library	Community Room
8:30-9:10am	Family photos	Family photos
9:10am	Kestrels	Heron
9:45am	Blackbirds	Woodpeckers
10:30am	Tadpoles Group 1 am children	Tadpoles Group 2 am children
11am	Beetles	Grasshoppers
11:30am	Nursery group 1	Nursery Group 2
12noon	Nursery group 3	Nursery Group 4
12:30-1	Staff photos (individual)	Staff photos (individual)
Lunch 1-1:30pm		
1:30pm	Tadpoles Group 1 pm children <b>Plus Nursery pm children</b>	Tadpoles Group 2 pm children
2	Squirrels	Bats

## *Coming up - Important dates*

Thurs 19th Mar	School Photographs
Fri 20th Mar	School Photographs Ladybirds to CLC 2:30 Squirrels Class Assembly
Fri 27 <sup>th</sup> Mar	2:30 Bats Class Assembly
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Mar	RE Day
Wed 1st April	2:30 Y2 STEAM Project 2:45 Y4 STEAM
Thurs 2nd April	2:30 Y1 STEAM Project
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> April	End of Spring Term -Finish at 1:30
<b>Mon 6<sup>th</sup> to Fri 17<sup>th</sup> April Easter Holidays</b>	
<b>Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April INSET Day – School Closed to Children</b>	
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> April	First Day of Summer Term.
Tues 5th May	KS1 SATS all May
Mon 11th May	KS2 SATS all Week
Fri 12th June	2:30 Y3 STEAM Project 2:45 Y6 Writing Workshop
Wed 17th June	2:45 Y5 Writing Workshop
Thurs 2nd July	2:45 Y1 & Y2 Writing Workshop
Thurs 9th July	2:40 EYFS Summer Show
Fri 10th July	2:45 Y3 Writing Workshop
Wed 15th July	6-7pm Y6 Show at Haverstock
Mon 20th July	2:30-3:30 Y6 Graduation

## **FRIDAY 20TH MARCH**

Time	Library	Community Room
8:30-9:10am	Family photos	Family photos
9:10am	Foxes	Hedgehogs
9:45am	Ladybirds (30 children)	Ladybirds (30 children)
10:30am	Staff photos (individual)	Staff photos (individual)
11am	Butterflies	Dragonflies

## *Gardening*

**We have new arrivals in our Garden.  
Say hello to our new  
TADPOLES!**

