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A big thankyou!

We are pleased that we are able to spend the PTFA money that was raised at previous events on the following items for the children: permanent furniture for the KS1 playground, touch up of the soft floor in the KS2 playground and sports markings on the floor, house colour t-shirts for all the children to wear at house sport events and sports day and two outdoor table tennis tables. Also, we are ordering some chicks for the Reception class, some curriculum resources for the other classes and some benches for the hall for children to use for PE. We will also be getting an impressive wall mural in the hall upstairs. So THANK YOU if you have ever donated money at school events as your money goes a long way!

Also, some final good news before I head off: we have managed to secure professional music lessons for all children for the whole academic year next year with the Merton Music Foundation. Year One and Two will learn about general musicianship, Years Three and Four will learn a simple instrument and Years Five and Six will learn a classical instrument! More news to follow soon!

Have a wonderful break and I will see you when I return from my maternity leave!

Attendance:

Whole school attendance since September: 96.68%

Class attendance:

Reception: 96.99%

Year One: 97.34%

Year Two: 98.46%

Year Three: 96.82%

Year Four: 95.69%

Year Five: 96.75%

Year Six: 93.64%

Children whose attendance is below 90%: 10% (national average: 8.7%)

Key Dates

| Date | Activity |
|---------------------------|---|
| Mon 31st May—Fri 4th June | HALF TERM |
| Mon 6th June | Year 6 Tag Rugby competition |
| Fri 11th June | Children can wear their own clothes for donations of sweets and chocolate for the tombola summer fair Ice lollies being sold after school |
| Fri 18th June | Children can wear their own clothes for donations of new toys for the tombola (no second-hand toys please) |
| Friday 25th June | Children can wear their own clothes for donations of bottles for serving on the day, Alcoholic & Non-Alcoholic Ice lollies being sold after school |
| Thurs 1st July | New welcome for new Reception parents at 5pm |
| Thurs 1st July | Children meet their new teacher |
| Friday 2nd July | Children can wear their own clothes for donations of Raffle Prizes for the summer fair |
| Thur 8th July | Children can wear their own clothes for donations of fresh Strawberry's and Cream |
| Friday 9th July | Summer fair from 3:30—5:30 |
| Week beginning 12/7 | Year Six activity week |
| Friday 16th July | Sports Day |
| Wed 21st July | Winning house party |
| Fri 23/7 | Last day of school—finish at 1:30 |

Mental Maths at Park

The following children have excelled in their mental maths home learning this week as they recorded the most improved time from last week:

Numbots winners:

Y1 –1st Lora, 2nd, Nina, 3rd Bhipasha
Y2 - 1st Yaqoob H, 2nd Isla S, 3rd Djan

TT Rock Stars winners:

Y3 - 1st Miles, 2nd Ava, 3rd Hermela
Y4 - 1st Chetin, 2nd Sienna' Rae 3rd Borys
Y5 - 1st Sebastian, 2nd Sophie S, 3rd Isaac
Y6 - 1st Ryan, 2nd Tamari, 3rd Tallulah

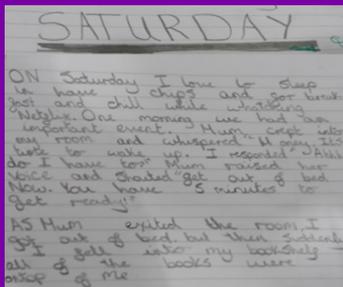
Star of the Week

Reception: Rafferty and Merryn
Year 1: Eejae and Bhipasha
Year 2: Sophie and Alex
Year 3: Oliwia and Logan
Year 4: Hannah and Pantelis
Year 5: Jake and Maria
Year 6: Victoria and Ayah

PE awards: Y6 Victoria & Dylan, Y5 Max, Y4 Pantelis, Y3 Hugo & Sienna, Y2 Thea

Pen License: Hermela, Adomas, Theodora, Sofia

Beep test high scores- Y6 Dylan, Y5 Max
Y4 Pantelis, Y3 Sienna



Year 4

Year Four pupils successfully completed a unit on Performance Poetry. After exploring the features of different types of poems, pupils had the opportunity to edit and create their own versions of 'The Register' by Michael Rosen. After several practices, pupils had the opportunity to perform their performance poems to the class. Through rhyme, beats, drama and various props, pupils transformed into 'lyrical geniuses' as they got into character and oozed confidence in their final performances. Congratulations

to all pupils, for working exceptionally in their groups and for performing to such a high standard!

Year Four children think "We have enjoyed doing performance poetry as it helps to build our own confidence when we watch other friends performing and you get a feeling of being happy with yourself because you've done well." "Having the class judge you with good comments gives you a confidence boost."



Please email the school office to place an order.

office@park-academy.org

Boys trousers €2, Shorts €2, Girls trousers €2, Skirt €2, Pinafore Dress €2, Summer Dress €2, White shirt 50p

DO YOU HAVE ANY ITEMS OF SCHOOL UNIFORM THAT YOU NO LONGER NEED?

Please donate any preloved items of Park Academy uniform (in a clean and good condition) to the school office and help to turn your old uniform into new funds for the school.

Office Reminders

Please make any outstanding payments on Parentmail for your child.

Stay and play closes at 6:00pm, if you are late to collect your child you will be charged £20 .

Stay and play and Breakfast club must be booked at least a day in advance on Parentmail; this is in line with STEP policy.

If you are concerned about the welfare of a child or children, you can contact Miss Street, the Designated Safeguarding Lead on 0208 542 3365 or you can email office@park-academy.org and she will call you back. It is important that you share any concerns you have in order to safeguard all children. Alternatively call the police or the NSPCC.

Please complete and return to the school office the GDPR form that was sent out on parentmail