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NEXT SCHOOL HOLIDAY: **MONDAY 18TH FEBRUARY 2019 - FRIDAY 22ND FEBRUARY 2019**

CHILDREN RETURN TO SCHOOL ON MONDAY 25TH FEBRUARY

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT HOLIDAYS SHOULD NOT BE BOOKED IN TERM TIME

Events happening next week

Mon 11 th Feb	
Tues 12 th Feb	Parent Workshop on stress led by Anna Lose from CAMHS 9.00am
Wed 13 th Feb	Dance workshops for Year 1 and Year 2 classes led by Don Rae. Parent performance for parents of children in Y1 and Y2 at 2.30pm. All are welcome! Key Stage 2 Reading Reward for the class with the most reward points in KS2- a trip to Bramleys! Zoo Lab – an animal workshop for Reception Classes Forest School for groups of Reception children
Thurs 14 th Feb	Forest School for Nursery children – Elm Class am and Oak class pm Nick's Y4 Class Assembly: 2.55pm. Parents of children in his class are warmly invited
Fri 15 th Feb	Y6 classes out to the Science Museum Key Stage 1 Reading Reward for the class with the most reward points in KS1- a trip to Bramleys! Y2 scooter training Finish for Half Term (Return to school on Monday 25th February)

News and Reminders

SCHOOL DISCO

We are looking forward to our school disco tonight for children in Y1-Y6. Remember that it is for children currently at our school and everyone will need a ticket. There will be food available to buy as well as games to play AND lots of dancing! The annexe gate will be open for School Councillors at 5.15pm but no one else will be able to come in before 5.30pm at the gates in Gorham Place. The event will finish at 7.00pm and all children will need to be collected by an adult.

MONEY RAISED FOR GREAT ORMOND STREET HOSPITAL

We have received a letter from GOSH to thank us for the money raised before Christmas from the sale of the concert tickets and our Christmas raffle. The grand total was £860. Thank you everyone!

READING FORTNIGHT

After Half Term, as part of our Reading Fortnight, children will be reading and studying a class book, receiving visits from poets and authors and possibly dressing up as a book character! This year, we are inviting parents in to come and read with their child for 30 minutes in our **'#Reading Together'** Campaign. The dates for each year group are as follows
 Tues 26 Feb 9.00-9.30am: **N and Y2**
 Weds 27 Feb 9.00-9.30am: **R and Y4**
 Thurs 28 Feb 9.00-9.30am: **Y3 and Y6**
 Fri 1st March 9.00-9.30am: **Y1 and Y5**

CONGRATULATIONS

We enjoyed another wonderful assembly from Year 1 -this week performed by Niamh's Class. The children spoke confidently about their learning- especially about their project, 'See the Light'; and we loved their singing! Congratulations and well done everyone!

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

28/01/2019 –01/02/2019

The overall figure for the school for last week was **92.8%**, which was below our target of **96%**.

The classes in each Key Stage with the best attendance were:

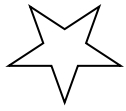
Niamh's Year 1 – 97.2%

Russell's Year 6 – 98.3%

Well done to these 2 classes

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR HALF TERM PLAYCENTRE

P3 are running a play centre at this school during February Half Term. If you did not manage to register last Friday here, there is another opportunity to do so tomorrow, **Saturday 9th February at the Rugby Portobello Club between 1.30pm to 4.30pm**. A reminder that the play centre will cost £11.00 per day 9.00-5.00pm. Breakfast club from 8am to 9am is £1.50 per child per day and extended day 5pm to 6pm £1.00 per child per day



Stars of Week



A huge well done to you all!

Nursery children	ELM CLASS Well done on your wonderful Forest School learning! We love that you are becoming more independent and that your climbing skills are improving so much. Well done for your constant resilience; keep up all of the hard work.
Stephanie's Reception	DANYIL – For a huge improvement in his English. ☺
Kripali's Reception	SALAH EDDINE – For showing a positive attitude towards your learning! You are also a thoughtful and kind member of our class- thank you!
Alexa's Year 1	MALEK – For super speaking in our class assembly. We are all so proud of you!
Niamh's Year 1	JING YAO – For your confidence growing so much and becoming so enthusiastic about your learning. You have brought some really good ideas to our carpet sessions this week.
Katie's Year 2	LEART – For amazing story ideas during our narrative writing this week. You are being really creative and challenging yourself. Well done!
Laura's Year 2	ISMAEEL – For showing such a fabulous attitude this week. We love how you have a go at everything.
Emma's Year 3	AMINA – For her amazing and impressive home learning task. Your Japanese room is so detailed and shows you put a lot of thought into it! We want to live there!
Connor's Year 3	RUQIYAH – For her enthusiasm, focus and attitude to her learning this week and for making such excellent progress in her handwriting.
Nick's Year 4	SAMIRA – For some simply fantastic learning in Maths all week!
Daisy's Year 4	RIAD – For working really hard to learn all his multiplication tables to 12 x 12 and for asking to be tested by Kay at playtimes.
Julia's Year 5	AYAT – For being a bubbly and energetic member of our class and performed as Count Olaf very realistically during our hot seating drama activity!
Francesca's Year 5	OMAR – For demonstrating a consistent 'can do' attitude. You are such a pivotal member of our class and set a great example for others. Well done.
Tim/Mary's Year 6	ZEYNEP – For great understanding of challenging scientific terms during our 'mixing materials' experiment.
Russell's Year 6	YASSER - For producing some very high quality writing in your version of the Jungle Book.

"IN IT TO WIN IT" ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY AWARD

THE WINNER FOR LAST WEEK

Yahya Grada – Julia's Year 5