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Newsletter Monday 8th May 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

I would like to begin by saying a huge thank you for your understanding during pick up time on Friday afternoon. As I am sure you are aware, we had to close the playground as we awaited the arrival of an ambulance. I was truly impressed with the way in which the children responded so calmly to the change in the end of day routine.

On Thursday we suffered a fairly lengthy power cut in different areas of the school, which in turn affected our fire alarm system. The children were incredibly sensible and well behaved when lights in some areas, computers and white boards went down and they responded brilliantly to the false fire alarms we then had. Thankfully all of the school meals had just been cooked before the power went out! Thank you to Mr Berhanu for coming in on Sunday to meet with the electrician while the fault was rectified.

A huge well done to Class 2 for all of their hard work last week during the End of Key Stage 1 SATs. It is lovely to see the progress the whole class has made since the start of the year.

Class 4 had an excellent time during their trip on Thursday. They visited the Tate Britain and enjoyed having the opportunity to work with Gael, one of the Tate's artist in residence.

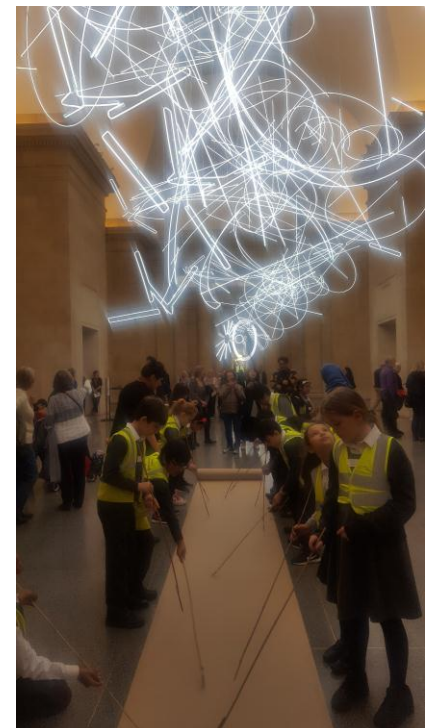
Year 6 SATs

Class 6 are sitting their End of Key Stage 2 SATs this week. Thank you in advance to all of the Year 6 parents for ensuring their children are here, on time and for encouraging early bed times this week. Year 6 have worked incredibly hard all year towards this week and I am confident that all of their hard work and effort will pay off. All of the tests are timetabled for the morning and the schedule is as follows:

Monday 8th May: English Reading test

Tuesday 9th May: English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling

Wednesday 10th May: Maths Paper 1: Arithmetic
Maths Paper 2: Reasoning.



Thursday 11th May: Maths Paper 3: Reasoning

Good luck Class 6!

Because of the timings of the SATs test this week, acts of worship will be in the classrooms and there will be no family assembly. Our theme this week is the Lord's Prayer and also our love, respect, inclusion and understanding for those who maybe different in some way to ourselves.

Uniform

It is great to see the effort that the children are making with their uniform. Please do keep it up! It would now be great to see this followed in our PE kits. Yellow polo shirts and black shorts please, no football shirts.

Attendance

Class 6 have all of their stars and were rewarded with a £50 cheque this week! Well done Class 6!

	21/04/2017	28/04/2017	05/05/17
Class 6	94.57	99.57	94.57
Class 5	90	92.33	95.83
Class 4	92.92	94	95
Class 3	97.84	95.86	96.12
Class 2	99.57	95.52	98.28
Class 1	94.17	96.67	95.42
Class R	96.59	96.36	92.05
Average	95.01	95.6	95.47



	Mentions Book	Courtesy Book
Reception	Ava P and Enkela	Skyler-Rose and Daniel
Class 1	Ena and Aishah	Betaniya and Zaara
Class 2	Aaliyah and Henry	Maryam and Malak
Class 3	Mahdi and Lulyana	Sofian and Amina
Class 4	Mujeeb and Rebecca	Rania and Mohammed
Class 5	Nafeesah and Angelina	Raya and Aimie
Class 6	Yosan and Jewell	Xiomara and Rayan

Other Awards:

Star of the week: Salma, Class 1

Music Award: Ali, Class 5

House with the most points: *this will be announced next week*

Top Table: Key Stage 1: Ena, Class 1

Key Stage 2: Luna, Class 4

Class of the Week: *this will be announced next week*

Dates for Your Diary.....

Please do refer to these regularly as dates may change and new events will be added.

Term/holiday Dates

Friday 26th May: Last day of term - School

Breaks up at 3.30pm

Monday 5th June: School starts

Monday 26th June: School closed for INSET

Friday 21st July: Last day of Summer term –
School breaks up at 2.30pm

Trips

Tuesday 16th May: Class 6 to the Abbey Centre

Thursday 18th May: Class 4 to the Library

Wednesday 7th June: Class 5 to library

Monday 12th June: Class 4 to Museum of London

Tuesday 20th June: Class 3 to library

Wednesday 21st June: Class 4 science Museum

Thursday 29th June: Class 6 St Margaret's Deanery Leavers Service

Monday 3rd July: Class 1 to The London Aquarium

Events for Parents

Every Wednesday: Mass – a different Junior class each week is in Mass held by either Father Owen or Father Lee. You are all warmly invited.

Every Thursday: Family Assembly

Monday 12th June: Parents evening

Wednesday 14th June: Parents evening (Class 4 will start at 2.30pm)

Wednesday 14th June: 7.00pm Year 4 taking part in the Pimlico Musical Foundation Concert

Friday 30th June: Reception Parents Meeting (for those parents of children starting reception in September 2017)

Sports Day: To be confirmed

Friday 14th July: Reports go home

Other Events:

Thursday 18th May: TfL coming to talk to Yr 6

Tuesday 23rd May: representative from Pimlico coming to talk to Yr 6 children going to Pimlico next Year

Tuesday 23rd May: Class photos

Thursday 25th May: Curriculum and Standards Governors' Meeting

Thursday 8th June: Governors' Staffing Committee and Premises Committee meetings

Friday 23rd June: Governors' Finance Meeting

Wednesday 5th July: Last Swimming

Week beginning 10th and 17th July: Bikeability for Years 5 and 6

Tuesday 18th July: Full Governing Body Meeting

Wednesday 19th July: Prize Day

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Prayer for the week:



'Our Father, Who art in heaven
Hallowed be Thy Name;
Thy kingdom come,
Thy will be done,
on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against
us;
and lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
This prayer you taught us speaks of love
for others.
Despite our differences, help us to show
love for all and to forgive those who may
say or do unkind things to us.
Amen.'

I hope you have a great week!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rebecca Anson'.

Rebecca Anson
Headteacher



I have read and noted the contents of this newsletter. Date: May 8th 2017

Signed: _____

Child's name: _____ Class: _____