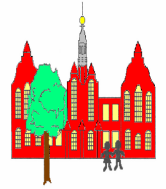


The Stepney Star

Stepney Primary School



A Small School With Great Expectations

Weekly Newsletter
Week: 23rd — 27th Sept 2013
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Parents' Consultations!

You will shortly be receiving a letter to make an appointment to see your child's teacher. There has been a slight alteration to dates. Miss Hatfield (Nursery) and Miss Laybourne (2/3a) will be holding their consultation on Tuesday 1st October now. Please return your reply slip to us as soon as possible.

Medical Appointments!

We have already had a successful start with our new school nurse sessions on Tuesday mornings. She has been able to support a number of families this week whose children had been absent through medical issues this term. One of the issues that has been raised was around medical appointments. If your child needs to attend a doctors, dentist, opticians, hospital or similar during the school week, please :-1) make every effort to do this out of school hours, 2) bring your child into school before hand if possible to get their attendance mark and 3) return your child to school after this appointment, unless s/he is ill. Just because your child may have to attend a medical professional in the morning this is no reason for keeping them off for the rest of the day. If this is the case, we will not authorise the afternoon absence. If your child is absent through medical issues, it will be likely that you are contacted by phone or home visit by our school nurse.

Medical Conditions Information Required !

It is vital that we keep all records for your child up-to-date, particularly in the case of medical conditions that they may suffer from. We would

therefore be grateful if you will advise us if your child has any special medical needs e.g. asthma, allergies, epilepsy etc. Please also let us know if you would like to see Jakki Metcalfe, our school nurse, to discuss any medical issues relating to your child. We have a number of replies from parents who have expressed that they wish to see the nurse. These have been passed onto her to arrange a meeting.

Ennerdale Leisure Centre Petition !

We have a petition that we would be grateful for people to sign if they wish. The petition is to keep Ennerdale Leisure Centre Open. Ennerdale Leisure Centre's swimming pool is the only swimming facility serving the entire Hull area that is recognised by the Amateur Swimming Association as being of competition standard. Hull City Council is considering proposals to close Ennerdale's swimming pool, due to the unfair level of local authority funding cuts that Hull is receiving from the Coalition Government, when compared to far less severe cuts being made to councils in wealthier areas of the country. The Petitioners are requesting that the House of Commons urge the Government to request Hull councillors to work with service users to find ways of saving Ennerdale swimming pool and provide Hull with a fairer deal on funding that will enable Ennerdale swimming pool to remain open, alongside other valued sports and leisure facilities in Hull.

At Stepney, we have a number of pupils who undertake swimming lessons at Ennerdale and compete in swimming galas there. Many of the users

of the pool live in the East Riding but it is important that the petition has Hull postcode address on it. The petition is at our school office, if you would be willing to sign it.

Asthma & Inhalers

In the case of asthma, we have a number of children listed with this condition who do not have an inhaler in school with them. If circumstances have changed and they no longer suffer from this, please advise us of this. Otherwise, please bring a spare inhaler into school for their teacher, clearly marked with their name.

Year 6 Assembly Alteration!

Please note that the year 6 assembly will now be on Thursday 24th October, and not the 17th, as previously advertised.

Autumn Class Assembly Dates

September 2013

- Phase 4/5 Assembly—Thurs 26th

October 2013

- EYFS/Yr 1 Harvest Assembly—Thurs 3rd

- Phase 2/3 Assembly—Thurs 10th

- Year 6 Assembly - Thurs 24th

Autumn Parents'/Carers' Consultation Dates

October 2013

- EYFS, Years 1, 2 & 3

- Tues 1st—Nursery (Miss Hatfield) & 2/3a (Miss Laybourne)

- Wed 2nd—Reception (Mrs Warcup), Year 1 (Mr Cameron) and 2/3b (Miss Baitson & Mr Ingram)

- Years 4, 5 & 6 - Thurs 3rd October.

Visit our website for more on these items

What the children need next week

Foundation Stage PE Kits Friday.

Year 1 PE Kits Mondays.

Year 2/3A PE Kits Tuesday

Year 2/3B PE Kits Tuesday

Year 4/5A PE kits Wednesday

Year 4/5B PE kits Wednesday

Year 6 PE kits Thursday

Rainbow Writing Winners

Our weekly winners are:

Year 1 Marie & Gracie

Class 2/3a Maleeka & Michal

Class 2/3b Piotr & Madiha

Class 4/5a Luke & Shakira

Class 4/5b Sinead & Sakila

Class 6a Cailey & Robert

Class 6b Chief & Therese

Mighty Maths Winners

Our weekly winners are:

Year 1 Jackson & Blake

Class 2/3a Helin & Ellie

Class 2/3b Ellis & Taylor

Class 4/5a Lee & Honya

Class 4/5b Dominik & Bartek

Class 6a Georgijs & Thevmini

Class 6b Rifa & Ellie

Stars of the Week!

Foundation Stage: Bartek

Year 1: Mohammed

Year 2/3A: Wiktor

Year 2/3B: Madiha

Year 4/5A: Finley

Year 4/5B: Jacob

Year 6A: Cole

Year 6B: Alishia



Distinction Awards!

Year 1: Riwan & Maria

Year 2/3B: Al-Horr & Richard

Year 4/5B: Taran & Connor

Year 6B: Patryk

MENU 2—Week Commencing 23rd September 2013

Monday

3-15pm-4.15pm Multi skills, KS 1

Today's Menu: Pork Meat Balls in Tomato Sauce, Noodles, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Cheese Pasta Bake

Dessert: Chocolate Treacle Sponge & Custard.

Tuesday

3.15pm –4.15pm School Choir Y1 –Y6

3.15pm– 4.15pm Bench Ball KS2

Today's Menu: Chicken Curry, Rice, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Jacket Potato with Baked Beans **Dessert:**

Ginger Biscuit.

Wednesday

3.15pm –4.15pm Football Club KS2

Today's Menu: Beef Burger in a Bun, Potato Wedges, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Spaghetti Napoliteine **Des-**

sert: Ice Cream & Fruit

Thursday

3.15pm-4.15pm Basketball KS2

Today's Menu Roast Beef & Gravy, Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Curried Vegetables **Dessert:**

Shortcake & Custard.

Friday

3.15pm-4.15pm Football KS2

Today's Menu: Battered Fish, Chips, Seasonal Vegetables. **Vegetarian Option:** Mediterranean Flan **Dessert:** Chocolate Fruit

Crispy.