

The Stepney Star

Stepney Primary School



A Small School With Great Expectations

Weekly Newsletter
22nd—26th June 2015

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School Closed This Friday

Please note that we are closed tomorrow (Friday, 19th June) for a staff training day. This is one of the five training days that are allocated to each school each year by the government. They are sometimes still referred to as Baker days as they were first introduced by Kenneth Baker, the Secretary of State for Education back in 1988, when the National Curriculum was started.

Bikeability in Year 6

As keen cyclists at Stepney (Mr Browning, Mr Cameron and Mr Ingram usually choose this mode of transport to work!) we are always delighted to see so many of our pupils enjoying riding to school on their bicycles or scooters. This week, our year 6 pupils have been taking part in the 'Bikeability' course. For those parents who may have taken their 'cycling proficiency course' when they were at school, this is a similar scheme. With trained coaches, the pupils have road safety lessons to prepare them for safe and happy cycling!

Links with Fenchurch

We have very good relations with Fenchurch Children's Centre and always look to start increasing our contact with them at this time of the school year, in order to help those pupils in the Fenchurch nursery who may be coming to Stepney in September. Over the last couple of weeks, we have had a series of 'stay and play sessions' with their children.

These are a great way of helping our very youngest new pupils to begin getting used to "big school". Many thanks to Mrs Hatfield and colleagues at Fenchurch for arranging these.

Singing Days at the Hull City Hall

Mrs Rice, Mrs Brodie and our school choir spent an enjoyable day at Hull City Hall on Monday, as part of this year's 'singing day' events. They sang a variety of songs, old and new and also took advantage of the lovely weather to enjoy their packed lunches in the city centre.

Stepney's Got Talent

This annual event, which started in 2011, during the school's 125 year old celebrations, reached the semi-final stage this week. It's always a difficult job choosing those who go through to our final on Friday 26th June, that has now been done so we're ready for the 'show time' next week!

Tigers Football Summer School

We have received details of the football summer school programme, being run by Ollie Ezard and his team at Hull City. We've put a link on our website to see the flyer and application form that they have sent out or please contact Ollie at the following address...

Ollie Ezard
Football Development Officer
Hull City Tigers Sport and Education Trust, KC Stadium, Walton Street, Hull. HU3 6HU
01482 358371
www.tigerstrust.co.uk

Rounders Rules!

Last Friday afternoon, we welcomed rounders teams from Pearson and Clifton primary schools for a year 6 tournament. The year 6 classes were

divided into Red, Amber and Green teams and then played a series of matches. The final result was Pearson came first, Stepney second and Clifton third. Many thanks to all who joined us. It was a great afternoon's sport.

Summer Second Half Term

Please note that we close on Friday, 17th July at 3.15pm.

Summer Phase Exhibitions

These exhibitions begin at 9am Foundation Stage - Thurs 16th July

Phase 5/6 Summer Production & Leaver's Assembly

Tuesday 7th July 2015 at 6pm
Wednesday 8th July 2015 at 10am, which is immediately followed by our leavers' assembly and the presentation of special awards.

Dates for 2015-16 on the School Website

We now have the dates for the next academic year on our school website. In addition to the timetable that is produced for schools by the local authority we have also allocated the five extra training days, that are given to schools by the government. These are:

Monday 7th September 2015;
Friday 4th December 2015:
Friday 11th March 2016;
Monday 25th July 2016:
Tuesday 26th July 2016\

This summer, we have 7 weeks holiday and school starts for pupils on Tuesday 8th September 2015.

PLEASE NOTE. All afterschool Sports clubs are back on unless you are told otherwise.

Child Protection: Please remember to report Child Protection concerns to Miss J. Atkinson

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**Please bring your
PE Kit
to school on
Monday mornings!**

Rainbow Writers

This week's winners are:
Phase 1-2 Jack, Jaylen, Nahim & Sarkar
Phase 3-4 Ayaan, Junior & Michal
Phase 5-6 Adam, Bartek & Saimah

Mighty Maths Winners

This week's winners are:
Phase 1-2 Kamil
Phase 3-4 Amelia, Cara & Muna
Phase 5-6 Josh, Patryck

Stars of the Week

Owing to the school being closed for a training day on Friday, we are not having our usual awards assembly this week.



MENU 1

Monday

Today's Menu: Beef Burger served in warm Roll with Tomato Salsa, Seasonal Vegetables or Salad.
Vegetarian Option: Bean Burger.
Dessert: Marble sponge with/without Custard.

Tuesday

Today's Menu: Savoury Mince and Homemade Yorkshire pudding or Dumplings. Boiled Potato's, Seasonal Vegetables.
Vegetarian Option: Cheesy Pasta Bake,
Dessert : Tutti Fruiti Sponge with/without Custard.

Wednesday

Today's Menu: All Day Breakfast. Pork Sausages. Bacon, egg, toast, Tomatoes & Baked Beans.
Vegetarian Option: All Day Breakfast with Vegetable Sausage.
Dessert: Carrot Cake with a portion of fruit.

Thursday

Today's Menu: Roast Turkey and Stuffing served with Gravy, Oven Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables.
Vegetable Option: Vegetable and Lentil Roast.
Dessert: Chocolate Crunch with/without Custard.

Friday

Today's Menu: Fish Cakes, Chips. Peas/Baked Beans served served with Tomato Sauce.
Vegetarian option: Cheese & Onion Pasty.
Dessert: Icecream Tub with a Shortcake Biscuit.

Extra-Curricular Clubs

Monday

3.15pm-4.15pm ALLSTARathletics!
ICT This is now cancelled permanently
Ipad Now cancelled permanently

Tuesday

3.15-4.15 WHACKit!
3.15-4.15 **Choir** Years 2,3,4,5 & 6
3.15-4.15 Maths cancelled until further notice.
12.30 Phonics Years 1&2 Mr Cameron

Wednesday

8.15-8.45 am ACTIVEstart Mr Darwood All years
3.15-4.15 WHACKit
3.15-4.15 OUTDOORadventurous!

Thursday

3.15-4-15 CATCHitKICKitTHROWit!
3.15-4.15 ACTIVEgym
3.15-4.15 **Cookery** Years Rec, Y1 &Y2 (Limited to 6 Children)

Friday

3.15 -4.15 EPICfootie!
3.15-4.15 FABfootie Y4,5&6

Always Available, Jacket Potato with various fillings, Sandwiches/Wraps, Fresh Fruit & Salad