



### Attendance Winners



**Week ending 30th June: 2W with 99.2% attendance!**

**Week ending 7th July: 2W with 99.2% attendance!**

**Week ending 14th July: 5B with 99.3% attendance!**

**Overall Class Winner since February:**

**1W with 6 weeks of highest attendance**

Congratulations to 1W, who earn extra playtime next week!



### Summer Fair July 2023



Last weekend, we enjoyed our Annual Summer Fair on the school field. The school values of *Love, Courage and Friendship* were there for all to see! The weather was slightly against us to begin with, however, it was so lovely to see parents, grandparents, children, staff, governors, ex-pupils and friends all supporting our school fair.

The members of the PTA have spent hours and hours of their own time organising raffle tickets and prizes, stalls, food, drinks and entertainment, as well selling raffle tickets and ice pops before and after school.

It truly has been a huge team effort, but steered by our new PTA Co-Chairs Selin and Esther, with advice and help from our out-going Co-Chairs, Suzy and Emma, we are so grateful to every single person who contributed to a wonderful afternoon. Thank you all so much for helping make our wonderful school even better.

### Year 6 performance of *Lights, Camera, Action!*

This week, our **Year 6** children took part in a dress rehearsal and two fantastic evening performances of '*Lights, Camera, Action!*' Based on school scenarios, the funny scenes were enjoyed by the audience and they all sang and performed brilliantly.

The final song was a reflective look at their time at primary school and how many memories these children will hold, as they move on. A huge thank you to the Year 6 team: Mrs Dempsey, Ms Corbett and Miss Chick, as well as Mrs Anderson, Mrs Bolton and Ms Ferguson for helping with lights and make up.





### What else has been happening?



As if things haven't been busy enough for our **Year 6** pupils, they have just finished designing and making their Leavers' Waistcoats for their D&T project. This was a very difficult unit, as the children had to learn how to use a template to mark and cut out a design. They then had to use running stitch to join the fabric and finally decorate with buttons or pockets. We would like to thank the following local companies, who kindly donated the fabric for us: **Dalston Mill Fabrics** in Dalston and **Saeed Fabrics** in Walthamstow.



Our **Reception** pupils visited Glen's Fruit & Veg stall in Enfield Market, as part of their learning about Keeping Healthy. They looked at the range of fruit and vegetables on sale and then chose some to take back to school to try out. A big thank you to Glen and George for being so welcoming and helpful everything tasted really yummy!

This week, our Year 2 classes invited parents to join them in some folk dancing on the field. Even though the rain came, our children danced beautifully. Thank you to the Y2 staff for their hard work in teaching the dances.



Parents were also invited to take part in our school Chess Tournament today. 7 willing parents took on 15 Chess Club members in a hour and a half of thrilling and very competitive short games. The score was very tight at each stage, but the Y6 players managed to sneak a win by one point! Congratulations to the Chess Club and a huge



Our **Year 1** classes have been designing and making moving vehicles, as part of their D&T unit. There was great excitement in the playground, as they tested them out. Not everyone had success, but as we all know when designing a product, it is about the testing and evaluating process, which is as important as the finished product.

Our **Junior Choir** took part in the Singing Festival at St. George's School this week, which brought together three local schools. The children sang well and were very enthusiastic throughout the performances.

## Information sent to parents

Over the past two weeks, a lot of information has been emailed to parents.

### Here is a list of the main letters and flyers:

- End of year reports
- Information about the Y6 residential visit in September 2024 (Y4 parents)
- Reminders about choosing meals on ParentPay
- Transition information
- Year 6 End of Year information including SATs results
- Information about whole school trips, events and workshops over the year

### To follow next week:

- Y6 end of term arrangements
- Total raised from the Summer Fair
- Information about our planned playground renovations
- Letter and link about Free School Meals for ALL children in September
- End of term newsletter

## A polite request

A huge thank you to the number of parents who have emailed the office or spoken to staff with positive messages of appreciation over the last few weeks. Staff work so hard in this school, often going above and beyond their role to support children and families. We understand that it is not always easy to see the bigger picture of how a school functions on a day to day basis, however, as a school, we politely ask that teachers are given the professional respect and trust to do the job they are qualified to do. Thank you.

## And finally...

Mrs Andrews, our wonderful Office Assistant, will be going on maternity leave at the end of this term. We wish her and her husband lots of love and look forward to hearing some baby news in August.

## Dates for the diary

<b>Tuesday 18th July</b>	Sports Day R and KS1 from 9:15 a.m and KS2 from 1:15 p.m.
<b>Wed 19th July</b>	Y6 Leavers' Service at the Church 10:00 a.m.
<b>Thurs 20th July</b>	Y6 Fun Afternoon on the field
<b>Fri 21st July</b>	Term ends at 2:00 p. m.

## AUTUMN TERM

**Monday 4th September** First day back - gates open at 8:45 a.m. school starts at 8:55 a.m.