



Learning Together
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Head of School: Lisa Bub

27th February 2017

Dear Families,

We ended last term with a wonderful assembly by Year 6, teaching us about Christian Service and prompting us to think about how we can demonstrate this in our daily lives.



A big thank you to Year 6 for this entertaining yet thought-provoking assembly.

We have had a super start back to the second half of the Spring Term. It was a great pleasure to be able to finally share the OFSTED report with our whole community. It was definitely worth the wait!

Last week we experienced the winds and rain of Storm Doris. Whilst this has now passed, the weather is set to remain changeable with both wind and rain at times. Please ensure that your child comes to school each day with an appropriate rain coat.

This Friday we will be holding our fourth School Class Council meeting. In our last meetings, the children thought about the kinds of behaviour they do and do not like in the playground. In this meeting we will be asking the children to consider how we can encourage the behaviours that they DO like. I am looking forward to hearing their ideas – please do speak with your child and encourage them to share their thoughts.

This half term promises to be packed full of learning and fun, starting with World Book Day next week. To celebrate, each class will have the opportunity to take part in a workshop based on 'The Missing Painting Mystery'. Later in the term the school will be taking part in a



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special art project that will result in a beautiful installation within the school – more details to follow! There will also be the School Association event ‘St Paul’s Got Talent’ on 18th March as well as music assemblies and, of course, the Year 3 and Year 4 Spring Production. I am sure you will agree that there will be a lot to celebrate throughout the term!

Finally, I would like to remind you that the Spring Term Parent Consultation meetings will take place in the school hall on Tuesday 7th March and Thursday 9th March. If you have not already returned your form, please speak to Mrs Crawley or Mrs Barrie in the school office.

Regards

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Head of School



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Prayer Meetings

The next school parents' prayer meeting will meet this term on Friday March 17th at 9.15 am in the Wilberforce Centre Chapel.

Look forward to seeing you then if not before!

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Online Safety Tip

Keeping legal.

Children (and adults) enjoy music and videos – particularly when they are free! It can be hard to know whether sites are legal. If you're downloading tracks using the internet that you keep forever, and aren't paying for them, chances are it's against the law. If you've downloaded tracks from sites which are backed by the music industry, including HMV, iTunes, Napster, Amazon or OD2, then you haven't broken the law. You can check if the sites you've been using are legal on www.pro-music.org.

Time to Talk sessions

At lunchtimes we are running "Time to Talk" sessions. This is a drop in access to a qualified counsellor called Judy Bould. Should you wish to have further information regarding "Time to Talk" sessions or if parents/carers feel that they would not like this support to be available to their child please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Bub or Mrs Whittick.

UNICEF Rights Respecting School - Thought for the Week

All children should be protected from violence, abuse and neglect, and governments should protect them. (Article 19)

Picture News



This week, Picture News looks at individual liberty. It encourages the children to make choices to make sure they remain safe when cycling. They use their knowledge and experience of our roads to decide when and where it is safe to cycle.

Dates

Below are key dates for this term.

March

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| 2 nd | Thursday | World Book Day activities |
| 3 rd | Friday | Fourth School Class Council Meeting |
| 7 th | Tuesday | Parent Consultations (15:00 – 18:00) |
| 8 th | Wednesday | Y4 Opera Block – Barnet Music Festival 11.00am |
| 9 th | Thursday | Parent Consultations (17:00 – 20:00) |
| 13 th | Monday | Special Art Project |
| 14 th | Tuesday | Special Art Project |
| 15 th | Wednesday | Special Art Project installation |
| 17 th | Friday | Parents/carers prayer meeting 9.15am Wilberforce Chapel |
| 18 th | Saturday | St. Paul's Got Talent – Hartley Hall |
| 20 th | Monday | Year 5 ESB assessments |
| 21 st | Tuesday | Year 5 Prom Praise @ Royal Albert Hall |
| 21 st | Tuesday | Full Governing Body meeting |
| 22 nd | Wednesday | Brass Assembly 9.15am |
| 23 rd | Thursday | Year 5 ESB assessments |
| 24 th | Friday | Red Nose Day |
| 24 th | Friday | School Association Hotdog sale |
| 28 th | Tuesday | Year 3 and Year 4 production |
| 29 th | Wednesday | Year 3 and Year 4 production |
| 30 th | Thursday | Year 5 & Year 6 visit to Science Museum |
| 31 st | Friday | Easter Service in St. Paul's Church |
| 31 st | Friday | Last day of term |

Summer Term

April

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| 18 th | Tuesday | INSET day |
| 19 th | Wednesday | School reopens |



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Term Dates 2016 -2017

Spring Term 2017 (57 days)

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| First Half | Thursday 5 th January – Friday 10 th February | 27 days |
| <i>Half Term</i> | <i>Monday 13th February – Friday 17th February</i> | |
| Second Half | Tuesday 21 st February – Friday 31 st March | 29 days |
| <i>Inset Day</i> | <i>Monday 20th February</i> | 1 days |

Summer Term 2017 (63 days)

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| First Half | Wednesday 19 th April – Friday 26 th May | 27 days |
| <i>Half Term</i> | <i>Monday 29th May – Friday 2nd June</i> | |
| Second Half | Tuesday 6 th June – Friday 21 st July | 34 days |
| <i>Inset Days</i> | <i>Tuesday 18th April & Monday 5th June</i> | 2 days |

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Good Friday 14th April
Easter Monday 17th April
May bank holiday Monday 1st May
Spring bank holiday Monday 29th May

Term Dates 2017 -2018

Autumn Term 2017 (70 days)

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| First Half | Wednesday 6 th September – Friday 20 th October |
| <i>Half Term Holiday</i> | <i>Monday 23rd October – Monday 30th October</i> |
| Second Half | Tuesday 31 st October – Wednesday 20 th December |
| <i>School Holiday</i> | <i>Thursday 21st December – Tuesday 2nd January</i> |

Spring Term 2018 (57 days)

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| First Half | Wednesday 3 rd January – Friday 9 th February |
| <i>Half Term Holiday</i> | <i>Monday 12th February – Friday 16th February</i> |
| Second Half | Monday 19 th February – Thursday 29 th March |
| <i>School Holiday</i> | <i>Friday 30th March – Friday 13th April</i> |

Summer Term 2018 (63 days)

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| First Half | Monday 16 th April – Friday 25 th May |
| <i>Half Term</i> | <i>Monday 28th May – Monday 4th June</i> |
| Second Half | Tuesday 5 th June – Friday 20 th July |
| NB | May bank holiday Monday 7th May <i>Spring bank holiday Monday 28th May</i> |

Inset Days are staff training days and children should not attend school, these have already been included in the dates above.

Monday 4th September
Tuesday 5th September
Monday 30th October
Tuesday 2nd January
Monday 4th June



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