

Park Gate Primary School News

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Dear Parents and Carers

We are looking forward to welcoming the parents of Year 3 and 4 children into school next week for our Year 3/4 Show Peter Pan. The performances will be ticket only and this will be limited to 2 tickets per child. We will therefore limit audience numbers to 60 (bringing a younger child will count as 1 ticket). We will distance seats in pairs. We have taken this approach to keep parents, children and staff as safe as possible. The performance lasts approximately 1hr 30 minutes. If you are collecting siblings after attending an afternoon performance we will ensure teachers keep siblings until the show has ended and you are able to collect them.

Thank you to all the children who attended the Tag Rugby Tournament this week with Mrs Greenfield. The children were fantastic role models for our school.

On Thursday 31st March 3pm—3.30pm some of our Year 6 children will be holding a children's clothes sale on the playground. Thank you for all your lovely donations. The clothes range from toddlers to 11 years and are of a lovely quality. Items will be priced at 50p and £1 and all money raised will be donated to Cancer Research UK. I hope that you will come and take a look and support the children with their venture.

I hope that everyone enjoys their doughnuts!

Kind regards

Lindsay McCarthy Headteacher

Rock2theBeat

We will be holding a concert in school on Thursday 31st March and will send the recordings home to parents as we did in the Autumn Term. We hope to be able to return to a live parent audience for our summer term concert .

Easter Raffle

Just a reminder that Easter Raffle tickets need to be returned to school in envelopes by Monday 4th April. The draw will be live through the Friends Facebook page at 4pm on Wednesday 6th April.



Day Closures 2022/2023

Thursday 1st September 2022
Friday 2nd September 2022
Tuesday 3rd January 2023
Friday 31st March 2023
Friday 21st July 2023

Help for Ukraine

Non-Uniform Day – Wednesday 30th March 2022

Thank you to everyone who has already donated through our Just Giving Page

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/park-gate-primary-school3>

We have already raised £200. We will have an online assembly on Tuesday to explain the charity work of the DEC charities, including some of the help they are giving to the people of Ukraine, to give the children the context for wearing non-uniform. We won't however be sharing details or showing images of the conflict.



Congratulations to our Values Ambassadors of the Week!

It gives me great pleasure to announce our Values Ambassadors...

Willow Class – **Ivy...Partnership...**being an excellent role model to the naughty dinosaurs this week!

Chestnut Class – **Binyamin...Achievement and Resilience...**working incredibly hard in phonics to learn his sounds.

Apple Class – **Henry...Excellence...**showing brilliant reasoning and problem solving skills in maths.

Cherry Class – **Freddie...Growth...**applying knowledge of number to different contexts.

Lime Class – **Aliyah...Excellence...**showing great concentration when completing maths challenges.

Holly Class – **Isabelle...Partnership...**working hard and joining in enthusiastically with all lessons.

Cedar Class – **Lillie...Excellence...**being a superstar in all areas of the curriculum, particularly English and science.

Silver Birch Class – **Faye...Resilience...**working so hard with push passing and close control during hockey lessons.

Hazel Class – **Harry...Excellence...**being such a convincing pirate—superb acting!

Yew Class – **Samuel...Aspiration...**thoughtful contributions in RE lessons.

Sycamore Class – **Zach...Excellence...**writing an amazing letter set in WWII using relative clauses and conjunctions.

Juniper Class – **Grace...Growth...**acting on feedback when writing her 'letter home', with great success.

Maple Class – **Maisie...Resilience...**for having a 'stick with it' and 'don't give up attitude' to learning algebra.

Oak Class – **Oliver...Excellence...**writing a brilliant letter to the humans from the viewpoint of an animal.



Diary Dates Spring Term 2022

Dates	Events
Friday 25th March 3.00pm—3.30pm	Krispy Kreme Doughnut collections in the playground
Monday 28th March	Year 6 River Visit
Tuesday 29th March 9.30am	Year 3/4 Show Cedar Class Audience
Tuesday 29th March 1.30pm	Year 3/4 Show Silver Birch Class Audience
Wednesday 30th March	Non-Uniform Day for The Disasters Emergency Committee Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal
Thursday 31st March 3.00pm	Second Hand Children's Clothes Sale
Friday 1st April 9.30am	Year 3/4 Show Hazel Class Audience
Friday 1st April 1.30pm	Year 3/4 Show Yew Class Audience
Sunday 3rd April	Year 6 Residential Leaves
Wednesday 6th April	Year 6 Residential Returns
Wednesday 6th April 4pm	Easter Raffle Live Draw (Friends Facebook page)
Thursday 7th April (Before & After School)	Collect Raffle Prizes
Thursday 7th April	Year 3 Visit to Selborne
Friday 8th April	Day Closure for Staff Training
11th—22nd April	Easter Holiday
Monday 25th April	Children return to school
Monday 25th April	Y1 Visit to Hilliers
Tuesday 26th April	Y4 Visit to Fareham

<p>Summer Term Day Closure</p>

<p>Thursday 21st July 2022</p>
