The Pinner Park Post



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An Attitude of Gratitude

We've been speaking to the children this week about Harvest. Harvest is all about being thankful for what we have and, from our thankfulness, to be generous to others. For people of faith, it is also an opportunity to be thankful for God's generosity to us.

We don't think anyone in our community should have to face going hungry. That's why we want to support the work of the Foodbank as our harvest offering this year. You can read more about the

foodbank here: https://harrow.foodbank.org.uk/about/



On Monday we will be holding harvest assemblies during which we will invite children to bring in items from home to support the work of the foodbank. The Foodbank has provided a specific list of 10 items they would like us to collect:

Tomato Ketchup (small)

- Packet Puddings (steamed)
- Packet meat soups
- Washing up liquid (small bottles) •

Toothbrushes (single – adults and children)

- Honey
- Bags for Life
- **Tinned Chicken Meals**
- All toiletries (male and female)
- Juice and Squash

Please help us by donating an item or two from the shopping list above and sending the items into school on Monday.

Can you help to take our collection to the foodbank? We are looking for some kind parents who can help us to transport our collection to the Harrow Foodbank. The Foodbank is based at the Phoenix Business Centre in Harrow (a 10 minute drive from School). If you can help, please let us know. The items will be available for collection from 10am on Monday morning (the Foodbank can receive the donations between 10.30am and 2pm on Monday).

Thank you for your generous support!

Nick Waldron

Best wishes,

Headteacher

Parent and Teacher Consultations

Our Parents' Evenings will take place on Wednesday 30 October and Monday 4 November. Appointments will be made between 4pm and 7pm.

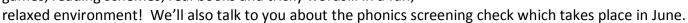
This will be the opportunity for you to speak to your child's class teacher. Parents will need to book a 10-minute appointment using our online system. Details of how to book an appointment will be sent soon.

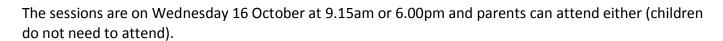


All About Reading and Phonics – Year 1 Parents

We have two briefing events coming up for parents of children in Year 1. These briefings will be an opportunity to focus on phonics and reading. Come and hear all about how we will be helping your child to become a great reader and how you can help at home!

You can learn all about phonemes, graphemes, blending and segmenting, sound buttons, reading levels, phonics games, reading schemes, real books and tricky words... in a fun,





Please book online: http://pinnerpark.harrow.sch.uk/news-blog/reception-and-year-1-parent-briefings-reading-and-phonics

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NO PARKING, NO STOPPING, NO EXCUSES

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Dates for the Diary

Fri 11 October

6.00pm - PTA AGM

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7.00pm - PTA Quiz Night

Mon 14 October

Harvest Collection for Foodbank

Wed 16 October

9.15am and 6.00pm Parent Briefing – Year 1 Parents

Wed 16 and Thurs 17 October

Year 5 Viking Days

Mon 21 – Fri 25 Oct

Half Term

Wed 30 October

4.00pm – 7.00pm Parents Evening

Thurs 31 October

9.30am - Admissions Presentation

Mon 4 November

4.00pm – 7.00pm Parents Evening

Wed 6 and Thurs 7 November

Year 4 Egyptian Days

Tues 12 November

9.30am - Admissions Presentation

Wed 13 November

Year 6 Natural History Museum

Thurs 14 November

Road Safety Talks

Tues 19 November

Y3 visit to RAF Museum

Thurs 21 November

9.30am - Admissions Presentation

Fri 22 November

Year 2 Dental Hygiene Talk

Thurs 28 November

5.30pm - Pinner Panto (Year 2 Choir Performance)

Tues 3 December

Wizard of Oz – Lower School

Wed 4 December

Wizard of Oz – Upper School

Fri 6 December

Year 6 Cluster Carols

Mon 9 December

2pm - Year 1 Christmas Performance

Tues 10 December

9.15am - Year 1 Christmas Performance 2.15pm - Years 3 and 4 Christmas Performance

Wed 11 December

9.15am - Years 3 and 4 Christmas Performance 2.30pm – Year 2 Christmas Singing

Fri 13 December

PTA Christmas Fair

Mon 16 December

2.30pm – Reception Christmas Singing

Tues 17 December

2.30pm – Reception Christmas Singing

Wed 18 December

2.30pm – Year 2 Christmas Singing **Thurs 19 December**

Term ends at 2.00pm

Fri 20 Dec – Wed 3 Jan

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Christmas Holiday

Mon 6 January

School term starts

Thurs 9 January

9.30am - Admissions Presentation

Tues 14 January

6pm – Year 6 Parents Briefing on Assessment

Tues 21 January

2.30pm – Year 2 Parents Briefing on Assessment

Friday 14 February

Staff Training Day – School closed to pupils

Half Term

Wed 26 February

4.00pm – 7.00pm Parents Evening

Tues 3 March

4.00pm – 7.00pm Parents Evening

Wed 1 April

9.15am and 7.00pm Year 5 Performances

Fri 3 April

Term ends at 2.00pm

Mon 6 Apr – Fri 17 Apr

Easter Holiday

Monday 20 April

Term Starts

Tues 5 May

Year 6 Parent Briefing – Residential Visit

Fri 8 May

Bank Holiday – School Closed

Mon 11 - Thurs 14 May

Year 6 Assessment Week

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Mon 25 – Fri 29 May

Half Term

Mon 8 - Fri 12 June

Year 1 Phonics Screening Check Week

Mon 8 - Fri 12 June

Year 6 Residential Visit

Mon 8 – Fri 26 June

Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check

Tues 30 June

KS2 Sports Days

Wed 1 July

High School Transition Day

Thurs 2 July

Reception and KS1 Sports Days

Fri 3 July

Nursery Sports Days

Fri 17 July

Term ends at 2.00pm

These dates are accurate at the point of publication but may be subject to change due to circumstances beyond our control. Further dates will be added to our calendar as the year progresses.