



Dear Families.

Last week's Year 1 assembly to parents was a triumph. Thank you to everyone who attended and to the Year 1 team for organising. This week on Friday at 2:30pm, Year 3 will be performing their assembly to parents. We look forward to seeing you there. On Wednesday and Friday, we will be welcoming staff from St Johns and St Clements School as they are keen to see what a Platinum Opal playtime looks like. Further to the letter sent earlier today, Ofsted will be on site tomorrow and Wednesday.

Assembly

Thank you to Mr Evans and Mrs Peters for today's play assembly. We launched a lunchtime dressing up and dens competition and revisited our risk assessments for the golden garden and the slope areas. We always welcome donations for play and currently we are asking for large cardboard boxes. We will store these in the blue shed in the bottom playground. We hope to share some photos of how these boxes have been used in play.

Reading for Pleasure Quality Mark

We are very pleased to announce that we are one of the 21 UK schools that have been selected by the Open University and the UK Literacy Association to work towards achieving the Reading for Pleasure Quality Mark. We were able to show that we have been working on this initiative for 2 years, with evidence of reading for pleasure development in relation to knowledge, provision and practice having a tangible impact on children's enjoyment of reading. Mr Evans and Miss Rees will be attending the launch this Wednesday.

Federation Update

This week the teachers from Haseltine and Fairlawn will be meeting to discuss the subjects that they lead, write joint action plans and to work on developing engaging end of term assessment tasks for the children to try next year.

RAFT Eco - Workshop

These workshops were a great success last week. The children found working with the heat sensor camera particularly fascinating. Their learning will be on display on Open Evening and then in our local COOP shop, Eco Reps will also be leading a whole school assembly.

Have a great week, The Fairlawn Team

Learning Heroes of the Week

Congratulations to all our independent learning heroes for showing the following characteristics!

- Ownership
- Managing Distractions
- Problem Solving
- Selecting Resources.



This week's class heroes are:						
1P	Harry	Fintan	Goldie			
1W	Ethan	Mylo	Paco			
2K	Kai	Jason	Aliya			
2L	lvygold	Ottilie	Bobby			
3B	Kazhen	lvor	Arthur			
3E	Alfie	Noa	Aoife			
4P	Maya	Joe-Anne	Cordelia			
4R	Tamara	Mason	Jesse			
5E	Sophie	Maya B	Eloise			
5T	Tait	Lois	Maude			
6A	Noah	Nina	Sadie			
6BD	Bradley	William N	Alec			

weekly Attendance							
1P	95.54%	3B	100%	5E	96.15%		
1W	99.11%	3E	100%	5T	97.6%		
2K	93.06%	4P	96.67%	6A	94.4%		
2L	97.32%	4R	96.15%	6BD	91.94%		

Congratulations to 3E and 3B who both had 100% attendance last week for KS2.

Congratulations to 1W with the highest attendance for KS1. They will be caring for our Attendance Axolotls. Congratulations 2L, 4R, 4P, and 6A who all had the best punctuality.

School starts at 8:45am

Diary Dates

WB 17th June - ARTS WEEK

Tues and Weds 18th and 19th June - Class photos

Friday 21st June 2:30pm - Year 5 Assembly to parents

Friday 21st June - Windrush Day

Weds 3rd July 2:30pm - Reception Assembly to parents

Friday 5th July - Sports Day

Friday 12th July - Reports Home

Saturday 13th July - PTA Summer Fair

Thursday 18th July 4-6pm - Open Evening

Tuesday 23rd July 6:30pm - Year 6 production

Wednesday 24th July - Play Day

Thursday 25th July 2pm - Year 6 leavers assembly

Holiday Dates link:

https://www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/Holiday-Dates-2024-2025.pdf

Reminders

School Lunches and Dinner Money

If you would like to change your child's lunch option for next term please email Francesca,

f.marbaix@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk.

For Nursery children, the cost of a lunch per day is £2.50. Please pay via ParentPay. Please be aware that packed lunches should not contain nuts, sweets, chocolate bars, fizzy drinks, or peanut butter sandwiches.

Late pick up

If you are running late to collect your child please inform the office. If you have not arrived to collect your child by **3.45pm** you will be charged £4 per child. If you have not arrived by **4pm** your child will go into After School Club as an emergency place, where you will be charged £12.

Music Lessons

e.fellows@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk

Brass lessons or to join Brass Band: Christine Norsworthy (trumpet, cornet, French horn, tenor horn, trombone, baritone & euphonium)

norsworthy.christine@gmail.com

Piano lessons: Matt Ridley; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list mattridleybass@gmail.com

Flute lessons, please email ndeaconflute@googlemail.com

Drumming lessons; Murray Anderson; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list murray.anderson@lewishammusic.org

Guitar lessons; Martin Budd; Spaces are available. Please email; martinbuddguitar@hotmail.com for further info.

Violin lessons with professional violinist, Shelley Deacon, contact email - shelleyhector@hotmail.com





Mr Aldridge's Sports News

www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/enrichment/sports/

Fairlawn Sports Day – Friday 5th July

A reminder that our school sports day will be taking place in Peckham Rye Park on Friday 5th July. Further information will be sent out nearer the time. Plans for the day are already beginning to take shape. Here is a list of the KS2 captains and the Olympic country that each captain will be representing:

Australia - Isabella Brazil - Aljaye Egypt - Eiden Germany - Anna India - Noah Jamaica - Abby New Zealand - Axel Ukraine - Ayse Bahamas – Aurelie Canada – Bea France – Oisin Great Britain – Beau Japan – Thomas Kenya – Ada South Africa – Aiden USA - Grace

Fairlawn School PE Kit

Last half-term, it was mentioned in an email to parents about the possibility of us introducing a school PE kit for our children to wear. The expectation would be that the children wear the kit in PE lessons, at Sports Day and for any external competitions that they are selected to play in.

This week, we will be sending home a short survey for parents to complete as we are keen to gather the views of as many people as possible. Please spare a few minutes of your time to complete the survey.

Old Colfeians Rugby Club

Old Colfeians Rugby Club offer <u>free</u> touch-rugby sessions to boys and girls of all ages every Sunday at 2pm in Horn Park, Catford (SE12). The only cost for each player is a £6 training bib.

Summer Term Intra School Competition

This term's intra school competition will be **standing long jump**. The children will be given three attempts to jump as far as they can from a standing position.

Spring Term Sports Clubs

Mon - Years 5/6 athletics

Wed – Years 2/3/4 girls football

Thurs – Years 5/6 girls football team (am)

Thurs – Years 1/2 football

Fri – Years 3/4 football

Please note that it is necessary for us to charge for clubs that are led by outside specialists.

Sporting Achievements

At Fairlawn, we love to hear about the children's sporting achievements. Please send any sports news my way and it will get a mention here in our weekly newsletter.

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Fairlawn Festival of Fun Update

The Festival is fast approaching and will take place on **Saturday 13th July from 1PM to 4pm**. Everyone is welcome and we very much hope to see you and your family there!

HARIBO NEEDED

Mr Aldridge will be running his legendary Haribo Tombola once again this year, and donations of Haribo are very much needed. The class that contributes the most Haribo in weight will receive a pizza party prize from the PTA.

RAFFLE PRIZES

We are hoping to confirm the **TOP THREE PRIZES** for the raffle this week. Do you know or run a business that can donate a prize for the raffle? Ideas include:

- A stay in holiday accommodation
- Spa treatments or massages
- A meal or cooking class
- Leisure or other activity vouchers

Please email any potential or confirmed donations ASAP to fairlawnsummerfair@gmail.com.

CLASS STALLS

The following class stalls have been confirmed:

NURSERY CAFÉ RF **GLAM TENT** RGW SPRITZ BAR 1P **BOUNCY CASTLE** 1W **BBQ COCONUT SHY** 2K 2L ICE LOLLIES AND POPCORN 3B STRAWBERRIES AND CREAM 3E HOOK A DUCK

4P LEGO LOTTERY
4R PIZZA OVEN
5E MAIN BAR
5T SPIN ART

6A PLANT STALL

6BD HUMAN FRUIT MACHINE

To run smoothly, these stalls will require donations from Fairlawn families. Your class rep will have more details soon. Thank you in advance for all your support!



Who is the Summer Rair team.
2004:
We are Year 5 parents/carers:
Lackie Janelle Susanna Rea

We are Year 5 parents/carers: Jackie, Janelle, Susanna, Bea, Claudia and our PTA treasurer, Pollyanna. Come and join usl

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Not everything at the Festival of Fun will be run by classes, however. We are still looking for help with the following activities below:

- Musicians to busk on the bandstand in the Golden Garden. All styles are welcome as long as they are acoustic. Play one song or a whole set!
- Readers/ performers who can offer to fill a slot in the Story Corner, which is a calm zone we'd like to create for the younger children.
- Craft enthusiasts to run an activity in the Craft Zone. We're hoping to be able to present a rotating programme of craft activities.

If you can volunteer to do any of these things or have other ideas, please email fairlawnsummerfair@gmail.com

Easy Fundraising and Amazon Smile

Please remember to use Easyfundraising when doing your weekly grocery shopping, booking holidays, or paying utilities. Log into Easyfundraising, set up your account benefiting Fairlawn and access your favourite online shopping sites from there. You will raise funds with each purchase at no extra cost to you. Please encourage friends and relatives to do the same. https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fairlawn pta/

Sign up to **Amazon Smile** and link your account to Fairlawn PTA. It costs nothing, can be set up in less than a minute, and raises money direct to PTA.

Sign up to Your School Lottery and Lottery Gift Vouchers Congratulations to, Cecilia Blowers, our School Lottery winners. Do sign up to help us raise funds by joining Your School Lottery for as little as £1 per week.

https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/fairlawn-primary_and search for Fairlawn.

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