

DEPTFORD PARK PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER



Tuesday 22nd May 2018

The children have really done us all proud these past few weeks in the way they have applied themselves in both their learning and assessments. A special well done to all the year 6 children who tackled their SATS tests with maturity, commitment, resilience and zeal last week. They were a credit to us all. Have an enjoyable and restful half term and lets hope the sun keeps on shining! Many thanks for your continued support.

Dates for your diary: Summer 2018

Friday 25th May ~ Last day of half-term

Monday 4th June~ Children return to school

Saturday 16th June~ School Fair

Thursday 21st June~ EYFS Sports Day

Friday 29th June ~KS1 and KS2 Sports Day

Monday 2 July ~Reserve KS1 and KS2 Sports Day

Friday 20th July~ Last day of term/year

PARENTAL CONDUCT

A small minority of parents have not been behaving appropriately on the school site:

If you have an issue or concern please speak with a member of staff. It is not appropriate to approach another parent nor is it acceptable to approach another child. It is our expectation that all visitors on the school site behave in line with the school's behaviour expectations.

We have high expectations of our children's behaviour, and as the adults we are their role models.

The Governors of Deptford Park and Lewisham Council will not tolerate poor conduct and such behaviour will result in being banned from the school premises.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Can we please remind you that **ALL** children are expected to wear school uniform, which consists of:

- ◆ Black/navy trousers / navy skirt or pinafore
- ◆ Navy blue gingham summer dress
- ◆ White or navy polo shirt /shirt (not light blue)
- ◆ Navy jumper / cardigan or sweat shirt (preferably with school logo)
- ◆ Black closed foot wear (shoes or trainers)
- ◆ Closed in sandals of either black/navy or white.
- ◆ Children should be wearing either **plain** black/navy or white tights or socks.

We will be monitoring this very closely after half term.

**SCHOOL FAIR: KEEP THE DATE
FREE!**



Saturday 16th June

12-2pm

Please let Sue in the office know if you are able to
VOLUNTEER on the day.



Class Assemblies:

Class assemblies take place on Wednesdays at 9.15 am in the Infant Hall. This is a great opportunity to see what your children have been learning in class.

6th June

13th June

20th June

27th June

Red Class

Rose Class (new)

Purple Class

Yellow Class

CURRICULUM NEWS THIS TERM:

LEADERSHIP

In assemblies this half term we have been talking with the children about Leadership and what makes a good leader. Here are what two of our children said this week:

I believe I have been a good leader this week. I have been helping others with their school work. I have been helping others to improve.

Zain, Y2

Yellow class

I believe a good leader is someone who puts hard work into school work. They lead by example and they are respectful and

Corey, Y2 Yellow Class

A leader is one who knows the way, goes the way, and shows the way.

John C. Maxwell

BrainyQuote

Attendance

The Best Attendance this half term:

We are working hard to improve our attendance and punctuality. Please help us by ensuring that your child attends school regularly and on time. School starts at 8.55a.m. If your child is unwell please call the school on the first day of absence. Thank you.

Best attendance so far this term:

Jasper ~ 98.86% Rose ~ 98.28%

Amber ~ 97.97%

Well done!



School Dinners:

The school meals for the next half term will be £78.75p

£2.25 a day

£11.25p a week



Health and Safety Reminders:

Sun protection

As the weather is warming up please remember to put sun cream on your children before they come to school. The children may also bring in an appropriate hat to protect their heads from the sun. Please do also remind your children to drink plenty of water during the course of the day.

The main gate

When you are coming in or leaving through the main gate please ensure that you do not let anyone in, even if they are a fellow parent. All visitors must press the intercom. It's important that the office are able to monitor who is on site at all times.

Packed lunches

If your child has a packed lunch please ensure that it is a healthy lunch. Water is provided in school so juices are not required.



Half term Dr Bike Dates:

During half term, Lewisham Council are running "Dr Bike" sessions offering free bicycle checks and adjustments on the dates, times and locations below:

Tuesday 29th May

8 -10am Eddystone Bridge

11am – 1pm Hilly Field, outside café

1.30 – 3.30pm Ladywell Fields, outside café

4.30 – 6.30pm Folkstone Gardens (Surrey Canal Rd end)



Wednesday 30th May

1.30 – 4pm Manor House Park (outside café)

4.30 – 6.30pm Eddystone Bridge

CALLING ALL CHILDREN...

Got something to say or a piece of work you are proud of?
Why not publicise it in the school's newsletter?