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Year 4 Go Digging!

As part of their IPC topic 'Saving the World' all of Year 4 went to the local park to collect soil for their science investigation.

This is what Elvin in 4G said about his experience:

"We went to the local park to collect soil. We worked in groups and collected lots of soil. We then used the soil to plant mustard seeds in class. We are going to investigate how plants grow in different environments."

It will be interesting to hear the results of their investigation.

Here are some pictures of the children at the park.



Key information

Lettings- Children's parties

More information re hires and prices are available from the School Business Manager - Sheila McCabe. Please email smccabe3.307@lqflmail.org



Year 6 become Inspectors!

Year 6 are learning about electricity and as part of their entry point for the topic the children became electrical safety inspectors this week. The children had to identify hazards that had been placed on the top floor. The children worked together to make the top floor safe and are looking forward to learning a lot more.

Here are some photos showing them at work!



Ready for Learning Goals

This week's *Ready for Learning* Goal is:

I am believing in myself.

The EYFS *Ready for Learning* Goal is:

Good listening



Attendance

Thank you to everyone for coming to school every day in the week.

Well done to RG (94.1%), 2G (98.8%) and 6R (97.6%). All three classes win the attendance cups this week.



Tesco - every little shop will help Southfield!

We sent a letter out at the end of last term about how you can help the school by buying from Tesco.



Community Police Officer visits Year 5

Year 5 had a visit from a Community Police Officer this week. Here is what the children had to say about it:

"Carolyn, a police woman spoke to us about keeping safe this week. She gave us advice about keeping safe online and what to do if we get rude messages on our phone. I learnt a lot from the visit." Molly 5G

" We had an assembly and were taught about mobile and internet safety. The police woman also spoke to us about working for the police. We even got to try some of the uniform and try the hand cuffs." Daniel 5G.

Here is a photograph showing some of the children in uniform.



School Council

Here are two more school councillors.

Hello. My name is Noa and I am in 6G. As a member of school council I want everyone in school to follow the Ready for Learning Goals and for them to achieve their very best.



Hi. My name is Nicole and I am in 5R. I am very thankful for being a member of School Council. I am happy to help everyone at Southfield and will try to make this the best school.

Astronaut Training in Year 5

As part of their entry point for the topic 'Mission to Mars' children in Year 5 took part in some astronaut training. The training involved completing a number of physical and mental challenges which were designed to test different skills and parts of the body. The children enjoyed the experience and some are even thinking of becoming an astronaut when they are older.



Dates and events

Spring Term

Key Dates

2nd February 2018 - SPSA Quiz

Week of 5th February 9- 9.30 - PGL November 2018 meeting for Year 5 Parents / Carers

20th February and 22nd February 3.30 - 6 - Parents / carers evenings

Week of 26th February - Book Week

23rd March - Sports Relief

When any new information is added it will be highlighted in red.

IPC Exit Points - All parents and carers invited

Have a look at the dates of the exit points this term for IPC. Note these in your diary and please come and join us.

Year 1- Friday 5th February from 2pm-3pm

Year 2- 26th Thursday 8th February from 11am-12pm

2R Friday 9th February from 2pm-3pm

Year 3- Tuesday 27th March from 2.30pm-3pm

Year 4 Wednesday 7th February from 2.15pm- 3pm

Year 5 Friday 9th February from 11am-12pm

Free School Meals

If you are receiving benefits such as Income Support, JSA or ESA, your child may be entitled to Free School Meals. You can apply online in your council's website or speak to Miss Rodriguez

If your child is in the school's Free School Meals, she/he will receive free school milk. The club providers are offering some Free Places for the FSM children. You will need to speak to Miss Rodriguez

This also applies to children in Reception, Y1 & Y2, as this is different from the Universal Free School Meals.

E safety tips

How SMART are you?

Can you think of a helpful E-Safety tip to put in the newsletter? Write it out and hand it in to your teacher.

House Points

Here are the house point totals for this week:



Gunnersbury: 628
Chiswick: 708
Kew: 673
Hogarth: 634

Well done to Chiswick for being the first house to be in the lead in 2018.

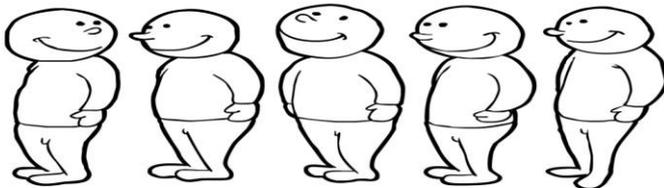
Sunflowers

Well done to the following children who received Sunflower certificates this week:

RG: Martin, Mateo, Molly. **RR:** Amelia, William, Rio. **1G:** Emory, Fatima, Emily.
1R: Charlotte, Zac, Mia. **2G:** Dylan, Jake, Abdulrahman, Emilian. **2R:** Mia, Muhammad, Jennah.
3G: Hamda, Alex, Henry. **3R:** Christian, Mya, Elina. **4G:** Ivan, Melis, Duarte.
4R: Noah, Ava G.
5G: Adam, Sage, Daniel. **5R:** Nicole, Charlie, Andrzej. **5S:** Jasin, Bailey, Anoushka.
6G: Thomas, Millie. **6S:** Charley, Mohamed, Zuhur. **6R:** Maslah, Asma.

Ready for Learning

Well done to 2R and 5R for winning the Ready for Learning rewards. They are rewarded with an extra 10 minutes playtime for lining up at the end of playtimes and lunchtimes and getting their brains quickly into learning mode.



Clubs corner

- New Drama Club for Y2 to Y6 starting Friday 12 Jan run by The Brit Youth Theatre. Registration forms in the school office.
- Spanish Club will start next week. Letters on the way.
- Football Y1/2 and Football Y3/4 still has spaces available. Please contact Miss Green.

- New Tennis Club for Y1 & Y2 & Y3 by Zekel Tennis starts next Friday 19 Jan. A great introduction to tennis, classes cover the 5 basic tennis shots needed to play the game. We develop hand-eye coordination, balance and ball perception skills which are essential to play any sport. Our use of specialised equipment for children aged 5 - 8 (smaller nets, rackets and softer balls) aids development and makes rallying and scoring more achievable. The road to Wimbledon starts here! Price: £8 per session

If you are receiving certain benefits and claim Free School Meals, your child may be able to get a place in the above clubs. Please speak to Miss Rodriguez

British Red Cross- Grenfell Tower

We would like to thank everyone that donated money towards the London Fire Relief Fund to help people from Grenfell Tower, we raised £704.07. This money will provide the vital support and assistance to all the people affected.



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