

Dear Parents

Stars of the Week

N(am)- Rahil
RM - Sufiyaan
1B - Nisanur
2A – James
3H – Aisha
4B – Zakariya
5D – Kulsoom
6D – Jean Oscar
PLM – Chenella

w/c 23.4.18

N(pm) – Ayan
RW – Nusaiba
1DM – Alex
2F – Jaden
3Y – Laura
4SH – Zareyab
5M – Adam
6M – Luhya

Attendance & Punctuality

w/c 16.4.18

Attendance Target for every child = 97+%

Best Attendance ☺

2F 99.3%

Best Punctuality ☺

PLM, 2F & 5M

Class that needs to improve their attendance

1B 93.1%

Class that needs to improve their punctuality

3H & 6D



Rights Respecting School – Whole School Assembly

On Friday the Rights Respecting Schools Council introduced the ShoeShare drive that we will be holding in school soon in association with Unicef and Clarks.

SHOE SHARE



Around the world, more than 59 million children of primary school age are still not in education. This is just under the population of the UK. Clarks are helping Unicef to provide basic resources such as pens and pencils so that children have the right tools to learn, and also support training teachers and work with governments to ensure the quality and standard of education remains high and children are leaving school able to read and write.

One of the Rights of the Child that we have been working on is that every child has the right to education. Because of this, South Grove Primary will be hosting a Shoe Share. ShoeShare helps children around the world access their right to education.

ShoeShare is a campaign in partnership with the Rights Respecting Schools Award and Clarks Shoes. This partnership began in May 2017 and so far over 300 schools have taken part. The ShoeShare campaign collects old or unwanted shoes. These old or unwanted shoes are then sent for re-use. For every tonne of shoes collected, a donation is made to Unicef which goes towards education programmes around the world. The more shoes we collect the more children we can help.

The aim of ShoeShare is to reach even more children and improve their access to an education. Last Year alone, £155,000 was raised. Our date for the ShoeShare will be coming soon. We are waiting to hear back from Unicef. Watch this space, start going through your old shoes, make sure there are no holes or cracks in the sole in and put an elastic band around the pair.

We will let you know the date to bring them in.

To find out more about the partnership, please go to Unicef.uk/shoeshare to watch a short video.



Convention on the Rights of the Child

Article 28: (Right to education): All children have the right to a primary education, which should be free. Wealthy countries should help poorer countries achieve this right.



If your child has been offered a place in our Reception class for September from the borough's Admissions department, you will soon be also receiving a letter from us.

If you did not get the school that you were hoping for, ensure that the Admissions department know that you wish to stay on the waiting lists which are held until 31st August 2018. **After this time you must reapply to Admissions if you want to continue to stay on the waiting list for South Grove.**

CLUBS & ACTIVITIES

Clubs start this week

Make sure you've signed up for the many great after school clubs on offer. Some clubs are already full but there may be an alternative. Check at the office.

Remember that places are limited and not guaranteed until payment has been made on ParentPay (we no longer take cash in the office). You will only be informed if you do **NOT** get a place.

Unfortunately if there are not enough children to make up a club it may have to be cancelled.

Music clubs and choir start this week too.

All clubs end week commencing 2nd July. Please make a note of this on your calendar.



Trips

1 st May	Reception to Garden Centre
4 th May	Year 2 to Gurdwara
5 th June	Y4 to Brightsparks Concert
6 th June	Y6 to Chessington World of Adventure
6 th June	Y1 to Discover Centre
18 th June	Y5 to Museum of London
25 th June	Y5 to The Ragged School
29 th June	Y2 to Southend

WORKSHOPS ETC

25 TH APRIL	TRIAD TO YEAR 4
26 TH APRIL	COUNTRY TRUST TO YEAR 5
10 TH MAY	COUNTRY TRUST TO YEAR 5
22 ND MAY	YEAR 5 WILDLIFE WORKSHOP
7 TH JUNE	QUANTUM THEATRE – WHOLE SCHOOL
7 TH JUNE	COUNTRY TRUST TO YEAR 5

Events

27 th April	8.45am FoSG Coffee Morning
10 th May	12.00pm School Nurse Drop-in
14 th May	Year 6 SATs week
22 nd May	8.45am Inclusion Coffee Morning Year 3 WWII Day
23 rd May	Year 4 Fashion Day
23 rd May	3.15pm Year 5 Playground Market
12 th June	Class Photos
26 th June	KS1 Sports Day
27 th June	KS2 Sports Day
29 th June	8.45am FoSG Coffee Morning
4 th July	Year 6 Transition Day
12 th July	3.30 – 8.30pm Parents Evening
17 th July	8.45am Inclusion Coffee Morning

TERM DATES & SCHOOL CLOSURES

Bank Holiday - Monday 7 th May
Half Term –Thursday 24 th May - break up 3.15pm
Staff INSET - Friday 25 th May
School starts – Monday 4 th June - 8.45am
Summer Holiday – Thursday 19 th July – break up 2.30pm
School starts – Tuesday 4 th September 8.45am



Gardening club starts again this week and we would be very grateful for any tools, seeds or plants that you may be able to donate.

This year we are one of a 100 schools who are taking part in a **Grow a Giant Pumpkin** competition so if you have any growing tips let

Ms Montgomery in the office know!



Please note that the school closes on Thursday 19th July at 2.30pm and it is the expectation that children will attend school until this day. Parents do need to note that the Governors do try to ensure that the holiday dates suit our families and this day is earlier than many schools will break up for the Summer break.

Children return to school on Tuesday 4th September 2018.

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Bus Bay

There are new markings on Ringwood Road for the mini buses which bring some of our children with additional needs to school. Please do not park or hover within these markings as the mini buses really do need them.

Thank you

With my best wishes

J. Maltwood.

Julie Maltwood
Headteacher

Please
remember -

ALL
PE kits

should
be

in school
by NOW!!!