



Alexandra Primary School Newsletter

News, information and events
Friday 10th June 2022
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OUTDOOR CLASSROOM DAY

At Alexandra, we recently celebrated Outdoor Classroom Day.

Children are spending less time outdoors than ever before, which is negatively affecting their health, wellbeing and overall development.

Outdoor Classroom Day was an important day to encourage spending time outdoors as this will make children happier, healthier and help equip them with skills they need in the future. Years 3, 4 and 6 took their Destination Reader lesson outside. Year 5 did some creative writing in the playground and nursery took their maths outside.

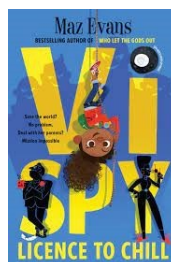
The children thoroughly enjoyed the day and luckily the weather was kind too.



BOOK AWARDS

Year 5 have been taking part in a Book Awards competition where they have read 6 different books, written reviews and voted for their top 3 choices. This week, some of the Year 5 children discussed the books with Year 4, recommending their favourite. Year 4 will have the opportunity to participate in the competition next year.

Marcus - I really enjoyed **VI:Spy by Maz Evans** as it was full of twists and turns. Every time I would go to bed I was left with a cliff-hanger!



Nabiha - I liked **The Boy Who Met a Whale by Nizrana Farook**. It was an astonishing adventure with a mysterious character.



HARINGEY IN BLOOM

Haringey are running a competition which is open to all. It will be chance to show how you make Haringey bloom. Please see the link to the leaflet which is on the school website. The competition closes on **Sunday 31st July**.

<https://www.alexandraprimaryschool.co.uk/haringey-in-bloom/>

TOTTENHAM COACHES

As part of the Spring Stride and our drive to be a healthy school, our children recently had the opportunity to work with Tottenham Hotspur Coaches. The coaches came in and worked with each class on the daily mile. They discussed strategies to completing the mile successfully and encouraged the children to do this daily.



BUILDING WORKS

You will recall in our last newsletter we informed you of scheduled building works. I am sure this week you will have noticed the scaffolding, which has begun to be erected around the school site in preparation for the works.

We are expecting a newsletter from Mullaley to be sent to families regularly, to inform you of the progress of the work throughout the next 6 months or so of the scheduled works.

Our value of the month is honesty

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HEALTH, FUN & FITNESS WEEK

HFF Week is wc **27th June**. During this week children will participate in a range of different activities around being healthy including exercise and diet. This work will be cross curricular, linking different subjects including writing, maths and history.

Children will need their PE kit for the whole week.

During HFF week we will have Sports Day. The dates are:-

- **Tuesday 28th June**; nursery & reception; 9:00 - 10:30, playground
- **Friday 1st July**; years 1 - 6; 9:30 - 11:30, Wood Green Common

CLASS ASSEMBLY

We recently had a class assembly from Bolivia and Puerto Rico who confidently shared their work and recent learning. In the table on the right you can see the scheduled upcoming assemblies.

Please note the **change of date** for **Colombia class** whose assembly will now be on **Thursday 30th June**.

Date	Class
June 10 th	Nicaragua 4
June 17 th	Argentina 3
June 24 th	Chile 2
June 30 th	Colombia 2

CLASS PHOTOGRAPHS

The annual class photographs will be taken on **Friday 24th June**.

Once the photographs have been taken you will be notified about the different purchasing options.

MUSICAL SHOWCASES

We are delighted that soon we will be able to invite families in for the musical showcase, a celebration of the music taught this year by Ken.



Dates for these events are:-

- Thursday 23rd June, nursery and reception at 9:00
- Thursday 23rd June, years 1 & 2 at 2:15
- Friday 24th June, years 3, 4 & 5 at 2:00

We will also be having our end of year celebration assemblies towards the end of term; details will follow nearer to the time.

YEAR 6 PRODUCTION

Year 6 children have begun their rehearsing for the end of year production of Aladdin. The performances are scheduled for:-

- Thursday 14th July at 1:30
- Thursday 14th July at 5:30

Families of children in year 6 will shortly be receiving a form from the office for you to let us know which performance you will be attending and how many family members will be in attendance.

END OF TERM

Please note the end of the summer term is on **Thursday 21st July** and that the children will finish at **1:30** on that day.

Manjit Dulay & John Coggin
Leadership Team

KEY DATES

Summer Term 2022

WC 20th June
Refugee Week

Thursday 23rd & Friday 24th June

Musical Showcases:
EYFS, Years 1 & 2 and
Years 3, 4 & 5

Friday 24th June
Class photographs

WC 27th June
Health, Fun & Fitness
Week

Tuesday 28th June
EYFS Sports Day

Friday 1st July
KS1 & 2 Sports Day

WC 4th July
Art Week

WC 4th July
Bikeability Week; Year 5

Tuesday 12th July
Oral Health Workshops

Thursday 14th July
Year 6 production of
Aladdin

Friday 15th July
End of year reports
shared with parents

Thursday 21st July
End of Term
Children finish at 1:30

**Friday 22nd July -
Wednesday 31st
August**
School closed

Autumn Term 2022

Thursday 1st & Friday 2nd September
INSET
School closed

Monday 5th September
Children return to school

WC 10th October
Year 6 residential trip

Friday 21st October
End of term

**Monday 24th October -
Friday 28th October**
School closed

