

# Friday 9th June 2017



#### Message from the head

It was good to welcome you all back to school this week after the half term. With all the terrible events of the last few weeks both in our city and beyond it was good to have a bit or normality. The children were straight back into the learning and making the most of our great city. This week we had year 2 having an amazing time at the Aquarium while some of the year 6 children visited City Hall later in the week to work with some astronomers on a 'Discovery Day' arranged by the Mayor's Fund. I'd like to thank you all for your support as you try to give the children the message that we celebrate and embrace our differences not see them as barriers. For those who would have us cower in fear in our own city, we won't let them win. As a parent I know its not easy at such times to feel fully comfortable when your children go out of school into the centre of London on trips and on public transport but I thank you all for having supported us this week and before. Together we can ensure that we don't let misguided hatred cause our children to live in fear or miss out on the fabulous things our brilliant city has to offer. Have a great weekend.



# **Fleet Disco** Fri 6-8pm

Next Friday is the disco. Please look out for the year 6 parents who will be selling tickets after school next week. Tickets are £3 each or for a family ticket (4 people). The price includes a



DJ and food. Drinks will be available to buy. We hope you will be able to come along. Huge thanks to the year 6 parents for organising this event.

### Thank vou Bike Doctor!

We'd like to say a big thank you to Richard Riddle from the Camden Cycle Team and his team of mechanics for the bike doctor session on Thursday. They serviced 42 bikes—only 1 couldn't be fixed!

#### **Share Aware**

Share Aware, from NSPCC and O2, gives parents all the tools they need to have regular and informed conversations with their child about staying safe online. Under 20% of parents discuss online safety regularly with their children but we want to get every family talking about their child's life online, just as they would their day at school.

Parents can sign up to the Icebreaker email series and become an expert in their child's online world in 6 weeks, follow our four simple steps to keeping kids safe online, watch our film 'Safety advice from a 10 year old' or visit Net Aware – our guide to your child's social networks apps and games. The internet is a great place for kids to be, being Share Aware makes it safer.

#### **Home Learning Projects**

Home learning projects are due in this Monday. We will display them in the hall for you to come and see after school on Monday. We're looking forward to seeing your creativity!

#### Attendance Award

The award for this week goes to Year 4 with 99%. Well done to them-fabulous!



## Camden Health Kick

Camden Health Kick is an Intergenerational Healthy Living Project aimed to empower you and your family to live happier and healthier lives. Through their various free and enjoyable healthy living activities we will support you to improve your health and wellbeing as well as improve access to healthy living opportunities within Camden. Engaging with Camden Health Kick will be a real life changing experience providing you with the opportunity to socialize with other members of the community and learn new skills that will positively enhance wellbeing. Visit www.camdenhealthkick.org.uk or contact Charmaine Browne on 02072676635 Ext 227 or email Charmaine@qcca.org.uk for more information.



When: Thursdays 10am-5pm (starting July 16th) Where: Queens Crescent Community Association

Health Awareness Workshops Where: Queens Crescent Community Association

What free activities will be ere: Astroturf, Castlehaven Community Asso offered for your enjoyment?

When: Saturdays 3-4pm

Hullaballo (Farm Crafting) Where: Kentish Town City Farm

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When: Wednesdays 3:30-5pm Where: Castlehaven Community Association

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Money Skills Course



# **Diary Dates**

School Disco: Fri 16th June Sports Day: Tues 11th Jul Y3 Class Tea: Thurs 15th June Y3 Assembly: Fri 16th June Y2 Class Tea: Thurs 22nd June Y2 Assembly: Fri 23rd June Y1 Class Tea: Thurs 29th June Y1 Class Assembly: Fri 30th June Rec Class Tea: Thurs 6th July Rec Class Assembly: Fri 7th July

Nur Class Tea: Thurs 13th July Music Assembly: Fri 14th July Summer Fair: Sat 15th Jul Y6 Leavers Assembly (2pm): 19th July Y6 Leavers BBQ (6pm): 19 July Last day of term (2pm finish): Fri 21st July



Well done to our 'Stars of the Week' for their hard work and effort in class.

Rec—Amber, Y1—Sami, Yr2—Nommi, Y3—Kea, Y4—Uliks, Y5—Macey, Y6—Svea



A massive thank you to Alem, Sofie and Aster for working so hard to produce the most delicious Ethiopian lunch with Reception children just before half term. All the dishes the children cooked were vegetarian and vegan. The food was served with traditional Ethiopian bread called injera. Some of them learnt to eat the tasty food using the injera bread as a scoop with their fingers. One of the dishes was very spicy and Adil in particular loved that one. Mr McGibbon loves Ethiopian food and managed to sample some before he headed off to Gower. There was so much food that all the staff were treated to some foe lunch as well.

# Ethiopian Feast

Mr M<sup>c</sup>Gibbon and Karen took some year 6 children to City Hall this week for an 'Astronomy Discovery Day' run by the mayors

Chef Jamie from Caterlink came in this week and did a brilliant assembly about food. The children enjoyed it and learnt some fun facts—did you know the potato was the first vegetable to go into space? Some of our year 6s impressed astronomers on a trip later in the week with that fact - the astronomers

didn't know! After the assembly the year 6 children had a go at preparing and making bread.





Reception have been creating some fantastic large-scale lion and one of The amazing modelled frog lifeon his own, his idea, using what he wonderful artworks this week. Here are Ivana's the Masai paintings they have been working on. cycle by Kai blew us away—he did this entirely had learnt about frogs in class. Fantastic!

Fund. They had the opportunity to work with real astronomers using software and photos from telescopes around the world. Among the activities they did they searched for 'variable stars'. The actually found 4! These were stars that no-one had ever realised until they spotted and proved it, were variable. The stars will be now named after the children who discovered them—how cool is that?! Well done Fleet!!!

















The vegetable beds are looking amazing! They are definitely agreeing with the warmer weather and rain. A huge thanks to Ms. Cliene, Mr Dourado and Caroline (Grace and Annie's nan) who all came in and watered the beds over the half term holiday. This week nursery have started sampling some of the wares with some rocket tasting. We hope that some classes will be cokking next week to use the coriander which is ready for harvest. As you can see in the pictures here we had some help filling bed number 5 with gravel to get it ready for the soil.