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Friday 29th September 2023

A Message from the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

What a fantastic week it's been in school, with excellent behaviour for learning, attendance and punctuality (98.3%). We are also very excited to have received so many applications to join the Parent and Family Teacher Association (PFTA), which will be launched well in time for the Winter Fair. Please keep an eye on your emails and texts for further details on our next PFTA meeting.

As you may know, each Friday we run a tour for prospective parent and carers, primarily for those who wish to send their children to the school, in reception. We have decided to offer this out to existing parents also, which will replace our termly open mornings. If you would like to join any of the Friday sessions, which are led by me and/or a member of the senior leadership team, please email admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk

Have a great weekend.

Mr Reynolds



Parent Teacher and Friends Association (PTFA)

We would like to give notice of the **Annual General Meeting (AGM)** for the *Princess May Parent Teacher and Friends Association (PTFA)*, to be held on **Thursday 12th October**. The evening will start at 3:30pm with the PTFA AGM, followed by Cakes, Cheese and Refreshments in the school middle hall. The PTFA plays a vital part in the school community, and all parents, as members of the PTFA, are invited to support the AGM. This is your chance to hear and see how the funds you have helped to raise have been used for the benefit of the children at our school. The AGM is also an opportunity for you to elect the PTFA Committee, who represent the association throughout the forthcoming year. Nominations should be sent in advance of the AGM (by Tuesday 10th October) for anyone wishing to stand as an Officer or Ordinary Committee Member. If you would like any further information about being a Committee Member, please speak to *Ms Archer (Assistant Headteacher)* or the school office, who can provide you with a job description for each role. If you become a committee member, your child will automatically become a part of the Mini PTFA! We look forward to seeing you all on **Thursday 12th October 2023 at 3:30pm-**

Identifying Your Child's Uniform



As the weather has started to change this week, we can see that our pupils have started to wear their very smart jumpers and cardigans. Can you please ensure that you write your child's name inside all of their uniform pieces so that they can be returned, if lost. Our lost property is available to view afterschool if you have any items missing. Please contact the office for more information.

Class Dojo Winners



This week's Dojo Winner is Eray (6HA) with 154 points! The class winners are:

1st	6HA: 3931 points
2nd	5EY: 3521 points
3rd	3ML: 2407 points

Gold Certificates

Well done to our children who achieved Gold Certificates this week. Please congratulate them on their exceptional achievement!!

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Kianna	Arthur	Ezekiel	Chasia	Yasu	Enqi	Jamal
Aria		Evin	Precious	David	Narle	Zak
					Emily	Eray



Star Writer

Congratulations to Elanaz (1AD) who is this week's star writer!

Notable School dates

Tuesday 3rd October, 3:30pm-4pm	Y6 Residential—Parent Briefing
Wednesday 4th October, 3:30pm-4pm	Phonics Parent Workshop (Y1 - Y6)
Thursday 12th October, 10:55-11:15am	5EY Class assembly
Thursday 12th October, 3:30pm-4.15pm	Parents, Teacher & Friends Association (PTFA) Annual General Meeting

Please see full term dates for 2023/24 on the [school website](#).

Secret Agent Awards

We use the 'Agents' to reflect on our learning behaviours and develop a Growth Mindset. Well done to this week's award winners. Please congratulate them on their exceptional achievement!

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Florence	Juan Carlos	Akkshith	Peighton	Myuzdhe	Bahar Betul



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