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Princess May News

Friday 24th November 2023



A Message from the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

As usual, it's been a very busy but productive week at school. Year 1, 3 and 5 all visited the cinema as part of the IntoFilm Festival, which has been fantastic for the children, who are enjoying watching a film with their friends. Ms Archer also held a parent workshop for our new homework tool, Emile. It was again a great turnout so thank you as always for your support.

We are now busily preparing now for the Winter Fair, carol singing and the nativity performance. If you are interested in coming in to help and/or join our new PTFA then please do get in touch or speak to us on the gate or after school. We would love to work together to make the fair the best yet!

Please do send your child to school with a coat as it is forecast to be very cold next week. A reminder also that we open at 8:45am with 10 minutes of maths provided for every child.

Mr Reynolds

Headteacher

Times Tables Rock Stars

Congratulations to **Ezekiel 2CD and Alivia 6HA** who are this week's Times Tables Rock Stars!



Star Writer

Congratulations to Libin (Y1) who is this week's Star Writer!



Fundraising

You may remember we started a Just Giving page some time ago to develop our playground provision/build an outdoor gym, however there was a financial technicality which meant we had to refund all donations. I am pleased to announce that we now have a new Gofundme page which has just gone live, so please do donate if you can and spread the word!

<https://gofund.me/09509453>

Or scan the QR code below:



gofundme

Thank you
FOR YOUR SUPPORT

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
Yunus, Georgie	Amel, Raina, Ismail, Sami	Kuzey, Juan, Carlos	Rioko, Enes	Ishaq, Yusra Bayode	Narle, Emily, Karlo	Rosa, Jay, Miski, Jamal, Rayan, Khalid H, Emmanuel, Alivia

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
Y1: Ismail	Y2: Evin	Y3: Joseline	Y4: Royce	Y5: Maame	Y6: Betul, Khalid G

Class Dojo Winners



This week's Dojo Winner is **(Y4) Ishaq with 329 points!** The class winners are:

1st	5EY- 5353 points
2nd	6HA- 5323 points
3rd	4CJ- 5301 points

Parent Workshops and Support

In order to support our parents and community, we would like to hear your views. Please complete this short 2 minute survey. Feedback provided will help us to evaluate our current provision and provide more workshops and opportunities for adult learning. Your views are important in helping us understand what we are doing well and how we can do even better to support our pupils, families and wider community.

Please scan the QR code below and complete our short 2 minute survey:



The information provided will help us improve our provision for you and your child.
Thank you for your support.



Homework Parent workshop

Thank you to all of our parents who attended our Homework workshop for our new homework platform, Emile. It was again a great turnout so thank you as always for your support.



Key Dates

Please check our wonderful new Parent Board at the school gate for our key dates!



VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

THE PRINCESS MAY PTFA ARE CALLING ON PARENTS TO HELP WITH THE WINTER FAIR

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR THE DAY

FOOD DONATIONS WELCOME - ESPECIALLY BAKED CAKES AND TREATS/BAKED SAVOURY TREATS

FROM YOUR PTFA

If you would like to volunteer, please contact a member of the PTFA or email: admin@princessmay.hackney.sch.uk



RAFFLE TICKETS

1 FOR £3
5 FOR \$14
10 FOR £20

WIN THE GRAND PRIZE!

Want a chance to win some amazing prizes? Enter our Raffle Contest today! Our Raffle Contest is your chance to win big while supporting a great cause.

Philips Air Fryer!
Scooter!
Wireless Bluetooth Headphones!
£100 cash prize!
Hamper!
Bike!
Bluetooth Smart watch!
Portable Games Console!

And much more!

Purchase your raffle tickets today!
The raffle will be drawn at our Winter Fair!

Winter Fair

FRIDAY 8TH DECEMBER

2PM-5:30PM

AT PRINCESS MAY
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Winter Fair—Friday 8th December

During the Winter Fair, there will be a Tombola and Raffle. If you have any items that you would like to donate, please bring them to the main office by **Friday 1st December**.

If you would like to support our PTFA and school by volunteering in preparation and during the Winter Fair, please let a member of our PTFA or staff know. We would appreciate as much support as possible to make this the best Winter fair yet!

Parent/carer Stalls: If you would like to have a stall on the day to sell your own items, the cost will be £25 and you will be able to keep all your proceedings or you can donate all or part to the school. Please contact the office for more information.