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Princess May News

Friday 19th April 2024



A Message from the Headteacher

Dear parents and carers,

I hope you all had a restful and enjoyable break. It's been great welcoming the children back this week and it's almost as if the holidays never happened. Children have settled back into their routine very well with excellent behaviour and attitudes as always.

It is great to see so many of you taking advantage of our free 10 minutes of maths work each morning. Our gates open at 8:45am, with about 80% of you arriving at this time. If you do arrive after this then please be aware that the gates close strictly at 8:55am. Anyone arriving after 8:55am will be marked as late in the register. Also, why not speak to your child's class teacher about attending our weekly booster session? These happen either before or after school in each year group.

Finally, our half-termly Dojo prize visit took place today, where our lucky winners took part in a crazy golf session. Well done to all our winners from last half-term.

Have a great weekend.

Mr Reynolds

Headteacher

Times Tables Rock Stars

Congratulations to **Waseem** (Year 4) and **Jaylen** (Year 3) who are this week's Times Tables Rock Stars!



SCHOOL CLOSED

Princess May will be closed for **all children** on the following days:

Thursday 2nd May: Polling Day
Monday 6th May: Bank Holiday

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
Ilyas	Jahkim	Nadejda	Adonai	Abderrahmane	Precious	Artiom
Elizabeth	Sarah	Beauty	Jason	Olivia	Maame	Vladimir
Hannah	Ashley	Evin		David		
	Ismail					

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!

Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Yunus	Arthur	Ayub	Muhammad	J'Mari	Ayaz	Bahar

Star Writer

Congratulations to **Elizabeth (Y6)** who is this week's star writer! Well done and keep up the good work!



Class Dojo Winners



This week's Dojo Winner is **Alivia (Y6)** with 94 points!

The class winners are:

1st	6HA 2128
2nd	5EY 1675
3rd	2CD 1123
4th	4HB 1034

School Streets

Please help us keep our children safe by keeping Princess May Road car free each morning and afternoon. We have noticed a large increase in parents and carers parking during drop-off and collection. Hackney Council regularly patrol the road so please don't put yourself at risk of a fine. Many of our children walk and cycle to school and driving during these times is putting them at risk.



School streets
Timed traffic restrictions

The **MORE** that you
READ, the more things
you will **KNOW**.
The **MORE** that you
Learn, the more places
you'll **GO**.



Building Reading

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READ
EVERY
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Travelling Book Fair!

Thank you to everyone who attended our Travelling Book Fair this week with Scholastic Publishers! It's such a great treat to be able to pick up a new book and get lost in a world of adventure reading it! We will share how much we've raised in next week's Newsletter!



Eid al-Fitr

Eid al-Fitr is the largest Muslim festival of the year and is celebrated by many Muslims around the world. To celebrate Eid, pupils, staff, parents and carers were treated to traditional foods and cakes, organised by our wonderful PTFA!



Cycle League!

Our cyclists took part in a big ride out at Hackney Marshes for this month's Cycle League. They cycled around the whole of Hackney Marshes on an orienteering quest to find clues and answer questions.



SUMMER IMPORTANT DATES

DATE	EVENT	DATE	EVENT
24/04/2024 at 9am	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check Parent Workshop	22/05/2024	Year 1 trip to Kew Gardens
24/04/2024 at 3:30pm	Year 6 SATs parent meeting	23/05/2024	Year 2 trip to Tower of London
25/04/2024	Year 3 Natural History Museum Trip	24/05/2024	EYFS Sports Day
26/04/2024	Team GB athlete visit to Princess May!	27/05/2024 - 31/05/2024	Half Term Holiday
01/05/2024 at 8:45am	EYFS Maths activity morning (parent workshop)	12/06/2024	Y4 & Y5 Multi-Sports festival trip
02/05/2024	SCHOOL CLOSED Polling Day	14/06/2024	KS1 & KS2 Sports Day - Hackney Downs
03/05/2024	Year 3 Lords Cricket Ground trip	24/06/2024 - 28/06/2024	Hispanic Week celebrations
06/05/2024	SCHOOL CLOSED Bank Holiday	27/06/2024	EYFS Art Exhibition & Graduation
07/05/2024	Year 4 trip to British Museum	01/07/2024 - 03/07/2024	Year 6 Residential trip to Kingswood
08/05/2024	EYFS trip to Dalston Curve Garden	05/07/2024	Summer Fair!
10/05/2024	Year 5 trip to William Morris Gallery	11/07/2024	Reception Trip to the seaside!
13/05/2024 - 16/05/2024	Year 6 SATs week	12/07/2024	Year 6 Prom
21/05/2024	Cultural Diversity Day	19/07/2024 at 1:45pm	School Finishes for Summer Holiday

Please look out for more dates that may be added for this term!

Coco's Corner!



Hello everyone! This week, Coco has been helping children choose books at our book fair! What a great reading buddy!

