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School Values

Responsible Excellence Share Polite Encourage Communicate Truth

Newsletter – 3rd November 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the second half of the Autumn term and the busy lead up to the Christmas break.

We have had lots going on in the school this week with new topic launches (hooks) and Year 3 & 4 Bikeability. In addition, this weekend we will see some of our families celebrating Guru Nanak's birthday. I do hope that you have a great time with your family and friends during this exciting time.

Over the next few weeks we will be fundraising as part of national initiatives such as: Children in Need 'Spotacular' and Save the Children 'Wear a Christmas Jumper Day'. We will let you know how you can contribute and, as always, we appreciate your continued support in these and all the other activities in the school.

Diane Barrick
Headteacher

Celebration Newsletters

Along with the weekly newsletter, you will receive a copy of your child's class newsletter which will celebrate some of the work undertaken in the first half of the Autumn term. Please ensure you take the opportunity to read this and if you have any ideas of how we can improve the information we provide to you, we would appreciate your comments.

Educational Psychologist Drop-in Sessions

This term, we are able to offer parent drop-in sessions with the Educational Psychologist for any parent or carer who would like to have some time to discuss any concern with an Educational Psychologist. Examples of issues you may wish to discuss include: your child's emotional well-being, challenging behaviours, learning progress, your relationship with your child or any of your own worries. The sessions aim to be supportive, confidential and informal. Each session is 40 minutes.

To book a session, please either speak to Miss Turner (SENCo) or contact the EP Service directly on 0203 3732711 or philipstock@newham.gov.uk.

Venue: Kaizen Primary School

Date: Wednesday 6th December 2017

Book a 40 minute session between 9.30am-12pm

New menu & Food Tasting

It is that time of the year again when our school menus change. This week you will have received a copy of the new updated menu for school lunches and we will be publishing this on the school website.

Many of you ask questions about the food on offer, particularly for the younger children who find it difficult to make different choices. Next week, we will be hosting a 'Food Tasting' event for all of our families. This is an opportunity for you to taste some of the dishes on offer to the children. In order to widen our children's choices, the focus of the tasting will be on new vegetarian and fish dishes.

Food Tasting Event
Carpenters Dining Hall
Wednesday 8th November 2017
3.15pm – 4pm
Everybody welcome!

Dates for your diary

6 th Nov	Year 3 Swimming for 1 more week
8 th Nov	New school Menu Taster Session for Parents/Carers
8 th Nov	Last day for money to be handed in for school photos
10 th Nov	e-Safety Parent/Carer Workshops
16 th Nov	Parent/Carer Meetings - 3.30pm - 8pm
17 th Nov	Children in Need - Wear spots to school - £1 donation per child
w/c 20 th Nov	Anti-bullying Week & Bring a Parent/Carer Week
27 th Nov	Year 5 Swimming for 2 weeks
1 st Dec	Flu jabs for children in years 1-4 - details to follow
4 th Dec	Carpenters Company Christmas Party - Year 6
12 th Dec	Nativity Concert - EYFS (Nursery & Reception)
13 th Dec	Christmas Concert - Years 1-6
TBC	End of term disco
15 th Dec	Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day
15 th Dec	SCHOOL CLOSED - CHRISTMAS BREAK

Whole School Attendance - w/e 3rd November 2017

EYFS & KS1:

Sunflower - 93.7%	Snowdrop - 96.7%
Bluebell - 97.1%	Marigold - 97.2%
Daisy - 95.5%	Poppy - 98.7%

KS2:

Rose - 95.0%	Fern - 92.4%
Willow - 97.6%	Pine - 98.7%
Chestnut - 100%	Oak - 99.3%
Tulip - 100%	Holly - 93.1%

Whole School Attendance this week (w/e 3rd November 2017) 96.8%
 Whole School Attendance so far - 5th September to 3rd November 2017 - 96.5%

****New Whole School Target - 96.6%****

Well done to Poppy, Chestnut and Tulip for best attendance this week!

Keep working hard to ensure your child attends school every day and on time (8.55am)!

Achievement Awards

** Star of the Week - Truth **

Ameera Chowdhury, Yusuf Khan, Zayne Hinds, Dwils Deus Domingos Clanca, Darryl Addae-Kodua, Kaja Gibas, Dhru Koriya, Leonard Nakamura-Laska, Kevin Appiah-Sarpong, Nabeel Chowdhury, Umar Islam, Ohona Somon, Mariyam Rahman, Yayha Omar, Christain Worrell and Hamzah Rahman.

** Reader of the Week **

Tanishka Fadnis, Alesha Islam, Faith Onibudo, Yonael Elias, Mymuna Jannat, Amerie Mbula, Rohaana Abdi, Zanita Osedebamen, Rayhan Ahmed, Hurley Bravo, Kennesia Watkin, David Botchway, Faiza Hassan-Bien and Keyla Brandao.

** Presentation Award **

Daniel Elombah, rec2, Minhaz Uddin, Oliwia Herman, Victoria Mozolewska, Sara-Maria Paun, Samantha Okoth, Dhvani Patel, Adelina Vint, Samiah Hoque, Daniel Hanyov, Laila Ansa, Hanaan Galayr and Francis Oruche.

** Gold Award **

Bilal Islam, Alishba Khanam, Eli-Denzel Amoah, Sahara Sattar, Tasniah Ahmed, Tobias Zaidi, Alishba Khanom, Saksham Verma, Debotro Biswas, Bailey Feltham, Eliza Shujon, Shriya Maricharia, Sky Ward, James Oruche, Siphosami Balogun, Nabeel Chowdhury, Tyrell Hall-Carr, Brannon Carvalho, Sumaiya Akhter, Zaeem Hussain, Zaeem Khondokar, Riman Akyl, Ray Elombah, Maya Uysal, Miyaz Rahman, Rayhan Hussain, Shanjida Choudhury, Yayha Omar, Deshaune Harris, Riyahnae Plummer, Christain Worrell and Elin Eyyupoglu.

** Lunchtime Award **

Christopher Barnard, Emory Charles, Tyler Withers, Romy Sinclair, Kelvin Gomes Correia, Dhvani Patel, Gabrieliuz Zareckas, Lara Cabral Monteiro Neves, Elaine Anku, Laila Ansa, Awo-Looroon Adan and Nadia Alom.