



Glebe Parent Newsletter

Friday 24th June 2022



It was lovely to be able to welcome back for our sports days this week. It was clear that many of you had been in training ready for the parent races! Well done to all the winners and those who had the courage to take part ☺

Curriculum Review

As it has been 4 years since our last Ofsted inspection and the Ofsted framework has changed since that visit, I invited an Education Consultant into school to assess the quality of our curriculum.

Over the past 3 years we have worked really hard to develop a curriculum that not only excites and engages the children but also provides them with vital skills and knowledge.

The review took place yesterday and was a very stringent assessment which included visiting every lesson during the morning, interviews with all foundation subject leaders, i.e. subjects other than maths and English, interviews with some of the children about their learning and how much they have remembered about their learning in previous years as well as interviews with the members of the Curriculum and Policy committee of our Governing Body.

I have yet to receive the final report but feedback on the day was extremely positive with the assessor saying that our provision is very strong and our subject leaders are knowledgeable and supportive and that the children were delightful – behaviour was exemplary across the school and the children he spoke to had a thirst for learning and were able to answer all of his questions confidently and in a good deal of depth.

Online Safety

The National Cyber Security Centre have released a new set of activities and interactive stories:

<https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/collection/cybersprinters>

You can now access puzzles that you can solve with your child and read interactive stories together.

These activities are available here:

<https://www.ncsc.gov.uk/collection/cybersprinters/home-activities>

Thank you

Mr Perkins and Ms Arshad

Sports Days

Firstly, I would just like to thank PSD for everything they have done this week over the 4 sports days. I'm sure you'll agree they were very efficient and professional. Thanks also to the students and teachers at Vyners, Ruislip High and Haydon for their help on certain days. Thanks also to Mr Dwyer for liaising with PSD to put on such successful events.

Well done to all the children who performed so well on the days themselves. It was so lovely to see the children encouraging each other and trying their best.

PSD have shared the total House points scored over all 4 days and the results are:

1st – Tavistock: 2407 points

2nd – Swakeleys: 2284 points

3rd – Burnham: 2131 points

4th – Sussex: 2072 points

Well done to Tavistock!

Spelling Shed & Doodlemaths Weekly Winners

Spelling Shed

3P

4A

Doodlemaths

RB

5G

1A Class Assembly

Congratulations to 1A for such a professional class assembly yesterday.

We were treated to beautiful art work, amazing facts about space, handmade rockets, a moon landing and some amazing songs about space too! You would never have known that it was the children's very first assembly as they were so confident and smiley the whole way through which resulted in very proud parents and staff!

Thank you to all of the staff involved; it was a wonderful way to start the day!

Miss Rhodes

Key Dates This Term

Monday 27th June – Friday 1st July: Year 6 School Journey week

Thursday 30th June: FOG Meeting at 7pm – all welcome

Tuesday 5th July: Year 6 Transition Day – pupils visiting new schools

Tuesday 12th July: Meet the Teacher (children only)

Open Evening – 4.30 – 6.30 (parents welcome)

Wednesday 13th, Thursday 14th & Friday 15th July: Year 6 production

Monday 18th July: Annual Progress Reports to Parents

Friday 22nd July: 9.30am Year 6 Leavers' Assembly (parents welcome)

Break for summer holidays (1 hour earlier than usual)

Mrs Penney's Proud Cloud

This week's recipients of the Proud Cloud are 7Star Club, Anabella, Paridhi and Anoushka for their lemonade and cookie sale for the children in Ukraine that took place after school today. It was such a thoughtful idea and a fantastic way to raise money. Well done girls; everyone at Glebe is very proud of you.

Curd Corner

It was lovely to see so many of you lining the streets on Saturday for the Ickenham Festival parade. I was joined by Thomas, James, Sofia, Luke and Jonathan as we walked our wheelbarrow through the village.

The winners of the Year 3 and 4 geography competition were announced on Monday. They were Georgie in 3P who won a copy of "Garden Projects" and Kaylan in 4R who won "Wildlife in your garden". Well done to them!

Many Thanks

Mr Curd



I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Penney ☺



HAPPY DAYS
PRE-SCHOOL

For more information contact 07809 195932
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Happy days are enrolling for September

We Provide early childhood education and care for children and help them develop skills that prepare them for school.

Happy days are enrolling for September | Under new management | Spaces available 2.5-4 years
Funding available for 3-4 year olds | Monday - Friday 9.15-12.15 | Located in the URC church Ickenham

Nursery

Sports Day



Nursery



We all had lots of fun



This week we have become Sunflower experts!



Sunflower counting



We investigated where seeds come from



We made sunflowers with play dough



We learnt about the life cycle of a sunflower



We drew lots of sunflowers



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Reception



We had sports day!

We revisited number bonds within 10

This week Reception have been looking at traditional tales.

Year 1



TASTING FRENCH FOOD



IPADS AND BEE-BOTS



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We scanned
QR codes to
research
world habitats
online.

Year
2



We acted out
parts of the
story of The
Clockwork
Dragon.



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Year 3



Year 4



Year 4 Sports Day Fun!



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Year 5



Year 5 thoroughly enjoyed sports day!



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Year 6



Sports Day

