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PRIMARY SCHOOL & CHILDREN'S CENTRE

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Dear Parents, Governors and Friends,

I had hoped to be able to share the OFSTED inspection outcome with you, however until this has been officially published we have to wait another week.

Thank you to the parents who sensitively alerted us about the graffiti outside our school on Brook Path on Wednesday morning. It was investigated immediately and we informed both the police and Enfield council by 9.15am. Our children were upset to read the messages as they understood they were wrong. Despite the implications in the local and national press we pride ourselves on being a culturally diverse and inclusive school. It was clear that multiple messages were written along a quarter of a mile of pavement with our school happening to be along this route. It was a pity that some reported comments appeared to sensationalise this event. We are grateful to the many parents who have responded in a pragmatic and supportive way, understanding that this was *not* a reflection of our school.

Next week will be another first for our school when Cirque Normandie sets up their tent on our school field. On Thursday and Friday children from the Children's Centre and school will have the opportunity to practice circus skills.

Jan Bless - Headteacher

Values-based Education at Prince of Wales

Our new 'Value of the Month' for June is *Interdependence*. This links into our celebration of diversity and cultures (23rd June – 4th July). Through this value the children and staff are exploring how people, places, economies and environments are all linked. This will be discussed in relation to the world and also the school and local community. Our intention with this value is to develop the pupils' appreciation of the links between the lives of people and children all around the world. Through the global use of the internet and social media the children will learn how technology links cultures through 'globalisation'. We all hope to learn that "the only real nation is humanity" (*Dr.Farmer*).

Mrs Stylli – P4C Co-ordinator

Value of this Month: INTERDEPENDENCE

These children received a certificate and baton for demonstrating interdependence at Prince of Wales this week, well done: Meliz 1M, Toni 1N, Karlie 1S, Jenna 2G, Aleyna 2R, Kennedy 3D, Arda 3G, Mariam 4F, Shaloma 4H, Nia 4S, Bertan 5H, Mevsim 5S, Rio 5T, Leon 6A and Chloe 6B.

We are currently experiencing a high level of debt from parents who owe dinner money. Over 50% of parents who pay for meals are in debt and the money owed would be enough to purchase pencils for every child in the school for 16 years! Please help the school by ensuring your account is in credit for each day you wish your child to have a meal. If you are currently in debt please send your child in with a packed lunch every day, until you have paid the money you owe.

Thank you, Miss Homer



Let's do our best to come to school every day and achieve our 95.5% target!







5S Maths

This term 5S have been learning about the properties of 3D shapes. Using their knowledge of vertices, edges and faces they created 3D shapes using spaghetti and marshmallows. The children loved the activity and it helped them to learn the properties of the different shapes.

Ms Paddon – AHT and 5S maths teacher

Cruz Lawrence, from class 4F, won the book this week for reading 4 books in one week and achieving 97%. Once again 3G won a book for their classroom as they had read 47 books between them. Well done.



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School library opens after school

Why not choose a library book with your child after school at our school library? K\$1 library is open every Tuesday 3.15 – 4.00 pm K\$2 library is open every Wednesday 3.15 – 4.00 pm

Do come along and enjoy choosing a book with your child.



Dates for your Calendar

12.06-15.06 Circus Normandie at POW 14.06 **Summer Fayre Celebrating Fatherhood** 15.06 23.06-04.07 POW Cultural Fortnight 24.06 Sports Day & School Picnic Y6 residential visit 30.06-04.07 11.07 School reports going home 14.07 Parents evening 23.07 Last day of term Summer Holidays 24.07 04.09 & 05.09 Inset Days 08.09 Start Autumn Term 27.10-31.10 Autumn Half Term Break

Inset Day

CIRQUE NORMANDIE is coming to Prince of Wales on Saturday

14th June & Sunday 15th June - shows @ 11am and 3pm

All seats are £9 and can be purchased at the Children's Centre, online at www.princeofwalesfundays.co.uk or phone 07508282582

Also on the **Saturday 14th: Summer Fayre** 10am – 5.30pm
Also on **Sunday 15th: "<u>Let's Celebrate Fatherhood</u>"** 12 – 6pm
Both events are FREE to enter
BBQ, Stalls, Bouncy castles, Raffle, Go-Karts and lots more

Please tell vour friends and families!!!