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### PRIMARY SCHOOL & CHILDREN'S CENTRE

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## NEWSLETTER 25th April 2014

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Dear Parents, Governors and Friends,

Welcome back to our final term. We finished the Spring Term celebrating many great achievements by our pupils and enjoyed a very colourful Easter Bonnet Parade – many thanks to all who participated and paraded!

This term we continue to work hard to ensure all children are making good progress in their learning. Our Year 6 pupils are leading the way with their excellent attitude prior to the SATs week starting on 12<sup>th</sup> May. Many arrive at 8.10am to benefit from the learning opportunities their teachers offer.

We are looking forward to two great family events in June. First we have Cirque Normandie setting up their tent on our field and coinciding with our Summer Fete on 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> June. On 23<sup>rd</sup> June we are organising a Cultural Fortnight to celebrate the wonderful mix of backgrounds that makes up our school community. Our sports day and picnic will take place in that time as well.

Jan Bless

Headteacher

### Values-based Education at Prince of Wales

Before Easter the children were invited to think about our new Value of the Month for April, Gratitude. We have started to explore in Assembly the question; what am I grateful for at school and at home? We are also exploring how we can all cultivate gratefulness in our everyday lives. We are learning together how to appreciate the diversity of people, cultures and languages in our school. We are all learning to say 'Thank you' in different languages too. In P4C the following quote can be used to help children begin to reflect upon gratitude. "The deepest craving of human nature is the need to be appreciated." (William James). Mrs Stylli – P4C Co-ordinator

Congratulations to Yasangi in Class 5S for gaining a merit in her Grade 1 piano examination. A good result like that is the result of commitment which means lots of practice. Well done.

Do let us know when you have been successful in an exam and we can publish your results in our newsletter

## Value of this Month: GRATITUDE

This week

These children received a certificate and baton for demonstrating enthusiasm at Prince of Wales this week, well done: Fatima 1M, Liasa 1N, Efo 1S, Lavette 2C, Kaiser 2R, Ethan 3D, Ayse 3G, Lendris 4H, Noha 4S, Joshua 5H, Tamera 5S, Stephen 5T, Dorcus 6A and Zareenah 6B.

## Attendance this week

## Years 1,2,3 Family

## Years 4,5,6 Families

1M 88.33%2C 95.83%3D 96.67%\*4F 94.40%5H 95.54%6A 95.09%1N 95.69%2G 95.69%3G 92.08%4H 91.96%5S 96.12%6B 97.18%\*1S 90.42%2R 95.83%4S 96.15%5T 94.64%

Well done to 3D & 6B for best attendance this week.

School Target: 95.5%

Overall attendance since September: 95.05%



## Collecting children at the end of the school day

We would like to ask all adults who collect a child from the playground at the end of the day to walk up to the waiting class and staff rather than waving from a distance. We have some new staff as well as changes in adults who pick up and we are keen to ensure that all children are handed over to the right adults. Thank you for your support.

## Scooter Training for Year 2 & Year 3 on Wednesday 30th April

There are still some places left. If your child has a scooter and you would like them to have safety training on their scooter then please send in the slip on the letter from before the holidays by Tuesday 29th April to confirm your place. If you need a new letter then please speak to Miss Neyland, Ms Adams or your child's class teacher to get a new letter. This is **free** training provided by the council and is a fantastic opportunity for your child. They must bring their own scooter to school with a padlock on the 30th April to be able to take part.

Miss Neyland - School Travel Champion

#### **Turkish Headlines**

14 ve15 Haziran tarihlerinde bir Normandie bir Sirk şirketi okulumuza siyaret edecek ve öğrencilere Sirk yetenekleri öğrenmelerine fırsat olacak.

23 Harizan'dan 4 Temmuz tarih arası, okulumuzda kültürel haftalar olacak.

Günün içinde, medikal odasına sirayet eden öğrencilerimize, basında olan herhangi bir darbe için sarı mektup alacaklar. Boyundan aşağa olan görünen izler için yeşil mektup alacaklar. Bunu sizi bilgilendirmek için belirtiyoruz.

KS2 çocuklarınızı okuldan sonra alacağınız zaman lütfen öğretmenlerine kadar çocuklarınızı almanız terci edilir.

### **Child of Spring Term Awards**

Teachers have thought carefully about children who they felt deserved special awards. They chose children for excellent achievement, improved attitude and behaviour, using the LEARNERS Values and being good role models to others. The following children achieved the awards:

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Reading	Toni-Rainbow, Devantay-Purple, Dejahney-Yellow, Esther-1M, Marwar-1N, Chloe-1S, Archie-2C, Marysa-2G, Dhenu-2R, Joel-3D, Sara-3G, Shanti-4F, Mirabelle-4H, Kemal-4S, Nina-5H, Cleo-5S, Selay-5T, Aaron-6A and Ercan-6B.
Writing	Sky-Rainbow, Jamie-Orange, Demi-Purple, Jayden-Yellow, Elifsu-1M, Annajoni-1N, Mary-1S, Yuksel 2C, Olivia-2G, Harley-2R, Senay-3D, Elijah-3G, Shandel-4F, Alex-4H, Fharida-4S, Guney-5H, Gelcira-5S, Ilham-5T, Leon-6A and Chloe-6B.
Number	Hadi-Rainbow, Jia-Mi-Orange, Kaden-Purple, Myra-Yellow, Ali-1M, Renae-1N, Ilyada-1S, Gavin-2C, Arda-2G, Nathara-2R, Kennedy-3D, Rhys-3G, Abdullahi-4F, Elif-Naz-4H, Zak-4S, Jayden-5H, Ilyas-5S, Lleyton-5T, Rodi-6A and Lucus-6B.
Creativity	Amaechi-Rainbow, Luca-Orange, Shernae-Purple, Ella-Yellow, Gullu-1M, Ashlee-1N, Viany-1S, Louisette-2C, Amber-2G, Nepthali-2R, Azel-3D, Ayse-3G, Mariam-4F, Suzie-4H, Ahmed-4S, Bersan-5H, Young-5S, Chloe-5T, Ellie-6A and Denvir 6B.
Courtesy and Kindness	Leah-Rainbow, Karim-Orange, Anthony-Purple, Raed-Yellow, Shekina-1M, Hannah-1N, Remi-1S, Kaira-2C, Keira-2G, Christian-2R, Shania-3D, Sude-3G, Lana-4F, Sanaa-4H, Sarah-4S, Louisa-5H, Yasangi-5S, Miami-5T, Shaayini-6A and Delal-6B.

Dates for your Calendar		
30.04	Y2&Y3 scooter training (chn bring own)	
05.05	May Bank Holiday – school closed	
12.05	Y6 SATs Week	
22.05	Polling Day – school closed	
	Family visit to Thorpe Park	
26.05-30.05	Half Term break – school closed	
02.06	Staff Training Day – school closed	
12.05-15.05	Circus Normandie at POW	
23.06-04.07	POW Cultural Fortnight	
25.06	Sports Day & School Picnic	
11.07	School reports going home	
14.07	Parents evening	
23.07	Last day of term	





### **New medical letter**

We have reviewed how we communicate with parents when children have received attention at the medical room. For <u>visible</u> injuries below the neck children will be given a green note. The yellow note continues to be given for injuries above the neck.