



PRINCE OF WALES PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER 9th October 2015

Listening Excellence Attitude Respect Negotiate Enjoy Responsible Support



Hello, my name is Abigail and I am in 6B. I have just been appointed the position of Head Girl after going through a series of stages. I had to write an application and then convince SLT to choose me.

I think that in my final year at Prince of Wales I will be able to change some things and help others, such as to stop littering. I am really proud to say that I am Head girl and I will represent the school as best as I can.

Abigail, Head Girl

On Tuesday some children from the Netball club were chosen to represent the school in a match against Oasis Hadley. We started the match well and in the first half scored 2 goals. We changed positions in the break so everybody got a chance to play. The final score was 5-0 to us. Destiny and Bawan were our fantastic shooters.

Our players included: Nia, Yagmur, Mariam, Sapphire, Abigail, Sanaa and Cruz. We are looking forward to our next match against Chesterfield on Tuesday 20th October. Thank you to all the staff who took us to the match. We had fun but were very exhausted at the end! *Sapphire 6T*



New drive way planting

Our gardeners have yet again proven their worth with their superb planting arrangements to replace the removed trees and bushes along the path to the school entrance.

Dear Parents

We, the School Council, have noticed that many students and adults have been littering near the school gate and playground. Please can you make sure you put your litter in the bins to keep our school clean or take it home.

We are also concerned that there is dog fouling around the school gates. If you have a dog please clean up after them as we like having a healthy environment at POW.

Finally there is another concern about inappropriate language in front of young POW students. This makes children pick up bad habits at a young age, so please be careful what you are saying around the playground when you are picking up your children.

Thank You

Mariam and Sanaa, Y6 School Council Reps



Public Speaking Training

Last week Fiona came to our class. Fiona taught us how not to be shy and not to be nervous. First we played a game, we had to stand up in a circle and when it was our go we had to say what we liked doing. After we found a partner and told our partner what our name means, what we like and dislike and where we would want to be. Last of all we played a game called Copy, we had to copy Fiona's actions.

Ellie, 5L

E-Safety Talk We would like to invite you to an e-safety talk on **Friday 16th October at 2.30pm** in our new Community Room. Find out ways you can make using the internet safer for your children. *Mrs Fletcher, Mr Sin and Ms Paddon.*

Our new 'British Value' for October will be TOLERANCE

The children will learn about the British Value 'Tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs', through Religious Education. Members of different faiths and religions are encouraged to share their knowledge, to enhance learning within classes and the school. The children visit places of worship that are important to different faiths. We also have themed assemblies and weeks, where we celebrate and learn about different cultures and beliefs.

Mrs Stvili. PSHE and Values Co-ordinator

Attendance this week

1A 92.86%	2A 97.67%	3F 89.64%	4F 98.28%	5L 97.59%	6B 98.57%
1K 98.28%	2Ri 94.49%	3G 97.59%	4H 92.14%	5S 97.11%	6H 94.29%
1T 95.54%	2Ru 99.33%	3N 98.62%	4L 93.67%		6T 93.79%

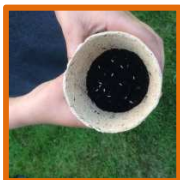
Well done to **2Ru** & **6B** for best attendance this week.

School Target: 95.5%

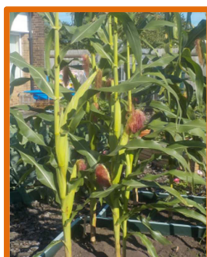
Overall attendance since September: **95.17%**



Well done to the following pupils for demonstrating the value of mutual respect this week: Aliyah 1K, Neriah 1A, Efe 1T, Aysem 2Ri, Chanel 2A, Kaan 2Ru, Mei Ling 3F, Rishika 3N, Viany 3G, Leila 4F, Nicole 4H, Yuksel 4L, Amara 5L, Azel 5S, George 6T, Laura 6H, Shamari 6B



From SEEDS to plate



P.O.W Food

Here in Prince of Wales, we are lucky enough to have a poly tunnel and our own allotment. We grow our own fresh produce to use in various places around the school especially in Cooking Club.



Harvest Festival

We celebrated a wonderful Harvest Festival yesterday. Our elderly friends from the Rose Taylor Day Centre joined us again after a meeting with our new Year 6 Prefects. Kerry from the Enfield Food Bank was our guest as well and she addressed our pupils in assembly. Afterwards she took your generous food donations to distribute to those in need. We were particularly impressed by the beautiful singing of our classes that made was described as the best harvest assembly yet.

When is harvest celebrated?

Fruits, vegetables and other food plants need time to grow.

The plants start to grow in spring, when the weather is a little warmer.



A farmer sows corn seeds. In spring they start to grow.



In summer the plants grow bigger and the fruits ripen.



When the seeds first grow they are green, as the sun had not yet ripened them.



When the fruits are ready to eat they are harvested.



When the corn turns golden, it is ready to be harvested.



Harvest festivals are usually held in Autumn, in September or October.



Prefects talking to our special guests.



Enfield Food Bank gratefully received the food donations.



Our youngest learners from Daycare and school celebrated together.



Our pupils learnt about the importance of the Enfield Food Bank.

Dates for your diary

Value for the Month of October: **Tolerance**

Friday 16 th October	E-Safety Talk for all parents – 2:30 – Community Room
Friday 23 rd October	Staff Training Day – School closed
26 th to 30 th October	Autumn Half Term Break
31 st October	Closing date Year 6 secondary transfer applications
Monday 2 nd Nov	Start Autumn 2 term
16 th – 20 th Nov	Anti-Bullying week
19 th Nov	Power of One, anti-bullying assemblies
November	Cinema visits

Conversation Classes

All parents are invited to join Conversation Classes that start on Monday 12th October at 2pm in the Community Room. This is an excellent opportunity for you to develop and improve your communication skills. Teachers will help you to improve your accuracy and fluency by carefully correcting mistakes and encouraging practice. Refreshments will be provided.