



Newsletter

End of Spring 2018



A Spring Term Round Up!

Dear Parent/Carers,

I cannot believe we have reached the end of the second term, this year is going so fast. It is amazing to think that we have now been 'home' for a whole term (and dare I say it) everyone is so settled that it almost feels like we were never away!

It has been a very busy and hard-working term all round. It was lovely to see so many of you last week at our parents/carers evening. We heard so many positive comments about how your children are doing, I am immensely proud of them all. We have seen them make so much progress over this term.

Well done to our year three and four pupils on a fantastic performance of the Pied Piper. I have now seen it twice and it is brilliant. There are so many stars – I am hoping we will see some of them on the West End stage in the future. I know some of you will be coming to our performance tonight (6.30pm) – you are in for a treat! Thank you to all the staff and pupils for their hard work in making this possible.

Thank you if you have already filled in our parent questionnaire. If you haven't please take a moment to do it now before it closes tomorrow (29th March 2018) <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/V28QCFP>

Thank you for your continued support and I wish you all a very happy holiday with your children.

Miss Sarah Marriott



Mix Up Day

We had a fabulous Mix Up Day on Friday. It was great to see so many 'new teachers' in the school. Thank you to the staff for getting into the spirit too – every single staff member dressed up as a 'pupil!' They were very well behaved, but I have to say, I am glad to see the real pupils back this week! Well done to our Head Boys and Girls for taking the Friday Assembly – I may be looking for a new job – you were fantastic!



Pinner Wood Visitors

It has been lovely to welcome so many visitors to Pinner Wood this month, many of whom have wanted to see how we have settled back in. In March we had a visit from Michael Lockwood (Former Harrow Chief Executive) and Nick Hurd (MP). Both commented on how impressive the school was and the standard of learning here. We have also welcomed many new families this term and are now nearly back to full capacity.





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Music at Pinner Wood



On March 8th, 60 children from Year 4 took part in Voice in a Million at Wembley Arena. We joined with over 6,000 other children from various schools in and around London, to form one very large massed choir. The children attended a rehearsal in the day and then performed in a spectacular concert in the evening. There was singing, dancing, flashing lights and glow sticks to light up the arena! Well done to everyone who took part.

On Monday 26th March, Sayuri and Rhawan from Year 5 took part in this year's String Festival at Harrow Arts Centre. The children joined over 100 other string players from various schools around Harrow. After a long day of rehearsing, they came back in the evening to perform in a fabulous concert. Well done for all of your hard

work. By Mrs Wallace
Music Leader

**Year Two Celebrated
the festival of Holi
this Month**



Absence/ Holiday Requests

Our Attendance figure for this term is 96%.

This is good especially as there has been a lot of illness across the school this term, but we are still aiming for 97%. Please note the school mobiles are now no longer in use. If your child is sick please call the school on 0208 868 2468 to report it.

I have received a lot of requests for holiday in the school term. Please remember I cannot authorise any term-time holidays.

April Dates

Tuesday 17th April -

- Children return for the Summer Term

• Wednesday 18th April

- 6 p.m. Year 1 Phonics Meeting
- 6.45 p.m. Year 2 KS1 SATS
- Meeting

• **Clubs start the week beginning Monday 30th April**

Wednesday 25th April

Rescheduled Fir class Parents Evening. Times to be advised.

• Thursday 26th April – 9am

Rescheduled Numicon workshop for Holly class

- 2pm Coffee Afternoon

Parking

We have received a lot of e-mails from residents about inconsiderate parking around the school.

Please respect everyone when dropping/off picking up from school and do not park over driveways, junctions etc. Dangerous parking could cause a serious accident.

News- Assistant Head

Miss Loake will be going on maternity leave in April. Mr Hynes will be covering this role. However, he will be staying in the classroom until SATs and then part time in class after that.

Mrs Seviwright returned from maternity leave today and will be teaching in Year 6 with Mr Hynes until July.

