



# Newsletter

June 2018



## Welcome to the Last Half Term

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back - I hope that you all had a lovely half term with your children. I cannot believe that we are heading into the final term of this academic year – time has really flown and our early days at the Civic Centre seem like a lifetime ago now!

This really is the ‘fun’ half term and I know that the staff have planned so many exciting activities/ trips for the children – the school diary is jammed packed already! However, this is also a hard-working term and the teachers spent the break and yesterday writing your child’s end of year report. We will complete our assessments and finalise these in the next few weeks. They will be sent out next month. I know it is always good to see just how well your child has done and what they have achieved this year. Please remember that we do not have a Parents/Carers’ Evening this term but we are having an open evening on **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> July at 6 – 7.30 pm**. It will be great to see you. This will also be an opportunity to find out and meet your child’s teacher for next year.

Lastly, I need to apologise – I had hoped to walk in this morning to see the new play equipment on the field (as I am sure your children did.) Sadly, there was a mix up at the installation company and they cancelled on us at the last minute. Keith, Adam (Our Site Team) and The Friends are working hard to get this rectified ASAP – I have my fingers crossed that we can enjoy it soon!

Miss Sarah Marriott



## A Royal Celebration

Thank you to everyone who got involved and supported last month’s Royal Celebrations. We had a fantastic day and the children loved the whole school Royal Picnic.

Thanks to Adam for providing a disco at lunchtime – it was the highlight of the term for many!



## Good News Corner

- Congratulations to Miss Loake (Assistant Head) and her partner Dom who welcomed their baby boy – Nathaniel into the world on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.
- Congratulations to Emma Agnew (Reception Class Teacher) who married her partner James last week. She will be known as Mrs Joyce from September. The picture above is from her PW wedding rehearsal staged by the children and staff!
- Congratulations to Mrs Wallace and her husband who are expecting a baby boy in October.





# Newsletter

June 2018

## House Dodgeball



We had a great end to last term with the annual House Dodgeball Competition for Years 1 to 6. It really is such an exciting event with all children taking part in the class stages and some going onto represent their year group/house in the Grand Final. It is very competitive!

Well done to **Ruby House** our overall winners - a very deserving win.

Thanks to Mr Desoisa and Mr Ferriday for organising this event.

### Data Protection

Many of you will know that the law around Data Protection changed on the 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018. We have a very dedicated team of Leaders and Governors who have ensured that we are fully compliant. All information is now on our website. Our Data Officer is Miss Heather Richardson and can be contacted at: [dpo@pinnerwood.harrow.sch.uk](mailto:dpo@pinnerwood.harrow.sch.uk)

## Coffee Mornings

Thank you to all of you who attended our SRE (Sex and Relationship Education) coffee morning last month. It was good to see so many of you and I am glad that Mrs Adcock was able to reassure you on how important these lessons are. They are age appropriate and a crucial part of your child's education. All resources can be viewed on our website but please ask if you need any further information.

Our next Coffee event will be held on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 9am. The theme is rewards and behaviour at Pinner Wood. *\*Please note this is a change of date.*

## June Dates

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> – Friday 8<sup>th</sup>

HOAC Year 5

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday

13<sup>th</sup> - PGL Trip – Year 6

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> - 9.00am

Coffee Morning – Rewards systems and behavior

Friday 15<sup>th</sup> June – Reptile

Encounter Workshop

Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June – Year 2

Trip to Woburn Abbey

## News - Pupils

Great news – we are full for next year's reception and nursery intake. We are continuing to offer 13 funded 30 - hour places for those eligible. We look forward to welcoming our newest recruits and their families later this month.

## News- Staffing

We are fully staffed for September. A statement I am very proud to make in times of teacher shortage! This is not the case at PW. Due to maternity leave/ expansion we have a few spaces and have recruited some more outstanding teachers to join our exceptional team - I will introduce you to them next month.

