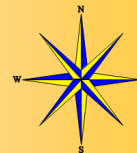


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Southern Road Primary School Newsletter

17th January 2020

A great start to 2020!

I have to say the children have settled back into school fantastically well and are already undertaking some fantastic learning. Myself and Ms Crozier attended Lister School on Wednesday to share some of the work our children in KS2 have produced and the response was amazing, so much so that we will be welcoming a number of the Lister English teachers to Southern Road very soon see the work in action! Enjoy the weekend.

Mr MacGregor
Head Teacher

A special event!

On Monday, some pupils in year 5 attended an event to launch Languages Week at Lister.

The event was led by students from Goldsmiths University. They were performing traditional Chinese arts for Lister pupils on their Mandarin Excellence programme (linked with the British Council) as well as our lucky year 5s!



VE Day Bank Holiday

The school calendar has slightly changed as the Early May Bank Holiday has been moved to **Friday 8th May from Monday 4th May** to coincide with Victory in Europe Day, or VE Day, which marks the 75th anniversary of the formal end of World War II.

It will be the first day of a long weekend featuring numerous commemorative events across the country and in our school community.

In related news our Poppy appeal raised £170.44. Thank you to all those that donated late last year.



Parent Workshop

Unfortunately knife and gang crime is a growing problem across Newham and London. The Metropolitan Police are working with schools and will be delivering a workshop for our parents. The event will explore how young people can sometimes be drawn into gang involvement. It will also highlight potential warning signs. Parents of all year groups are welcome to attend however we are particularly keen to target those parents with children in Years 4 and 5.

This workshop will take place on **Friday 24th January at 9.10am**. A letter was sent out last week please ask for a new one or complete it if you wish to attend.

Times-Tables Rock Stars

5LV have held onto their top spot and 4LT have joined them with 100% for the first time this year,

It's fantastic to see all the children playing on studio mode as well - congratulations to those children from years 4 and 5 who are shaking things up with their incredible speed!

SRPS Fastest Five:

Imrane 6AS and Jayden 5VP 0.49s

Yousuf 4LT 0.45s

Muhammad Hannan 5VP 0.5s

Enrico 6TB 0.51s

Isaiah 6DL 0.55s



Behaviour cups



The classes that showed outstanding behaviour this week were:
Purple, 2RC, 3KB and 5LV



Class attendance awards



4LP had 100% attendance this week.
Two other classes had 99%
Well done to them



Next week's Key events

Tuesday 21st January

- Kiddy Tots
- Rainbow class at Plaistow library
- 5LV at Maritime Museum

Thursday 23rd January

- Kiddy Tots
- Baby Massage - Lanthea Early Start Team (Kiddy Tots)

Friday 24th January

- 4LT Swimming
- Being a Parent Course
- Gangs Workshop for Parents.



Being a Parent Courses

Empowering Parents, Empowering Communities (EPEC)

Delivered for Parents by Parents: The course helps parents learn practical communication skills for everyday life & bring up confident, happy and co-operative children.

You will leave this course feeling better able to:

- Help others by sharing your experience as a parent
- Support your children as they move from primary to secondary school
- Create a calm and peaceful family life



Where	When	Session Time
Rokey School Barking Road, E16 4DD	Tuesdays 21 st January – 24 th March	09:30 – 11:30am
Little Ilford Youth Zone Church Road, Manor Park, E12 6JT	Tuesdays 21 st January – 24 th March	10:00 – 12:00pm
Dersingham Primary School Manor Park, E12 5QJ	Wednesdays 15 th January – 18 th March	09:00 – 11:00 am
The Gate Library 2-6 Woodgrange Road, E7 0QH	Wednesdays 29 th January – 1 st April	10:30 -12:30 <i>Free crèche provided</i>
Britannia Village Community Centre 65 Evelyn Road, West Silvertown, E16 1TU	Thursdays 23 rd January – 26 th March	10:00 – 12:00am
Southern Road Primary School Plaistow, E13 9JH	Fridays 24 th January – 27 th March	09:15 – 11:15pm <i>Free crèche provided</i>

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