

Betty Layward School

WEEKLY COMMUNITY NEWSLETTER

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Our Week

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Dear Parents and Carers,

I have been in to visit all classes this week and as always, am very impressed with their learning. The children approach their learning with confidence and positivity. It is a pleasure to watch. This is down to the efforts of the staff. It is lovely to chat with the children about their learning. They are keen to do their best. We couldn't ask for more.

I hope you have all signed up for Parents and Carers week. We are really looking forward to seeing you there. Fingers crossed the weather remains nice as there are some fun outdoor activities planned. We hope you enjoy it. Thank you for supporting us with it.

The children are telling me how well they are doing with the 20ps. We will be collecting them on Tuesday 26th June. Thank you for supporting us with this too.

I was incredibly impressed with Marcus in Reception this week. He came to see me on Wednesday to tell me he had grown his own plants, but not only had he done that; he had sold them to his neighbours and raised £45 for the school. I was so impressed and we are very grateful. Well done Marcus. I think we have an entrepreneur in the making.

Year 5 have been doing really well with their cycle training this week. They seem to be really enjoying it. Please can I remind you that children cannot cycle or ride their scooters inside the school grounds. Please could they get off their scooters and bikes before they enter the gate and vice versa. Thank you.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Jessica
Headteacher



Jessica drawn by Doogie in Year 5 Saffron

News

We will be having our annual Sports Days in Clissold Park on Friday 29th June:

Sports Day 1 – Reception, Year 1 and 2 will be on Friday 29th June at 10.00am-11.30am

Sports Day will be followed by lunch, a Picnic in the park 11.30-12.15pm

Sports Day 2- Year 3-6 will be on Friday 29th June at 1pm-2.30pm

Sports Day will begin with lunch, a Picnic in the park 12.30-1pm

Awards

The winners of the best punctuality trophy for this week are Year 5 Saffron and Year 2 Peach with no late marks.

The winner of the best attendance trophy for this week is Year 4 Fuchsia.

Whole school attendance from 4 September until 15th June 2018 is 96.7%.



Picture of our Star of the Week Children

SPORTS NEWS



On Monday 11th June the girls Monday football club competed in the Clissold Cup tournament. We lost our first match 1-0 to De Beauvoir but won the other 2 matches. We won 3-0 against Grasmere and 2-0 against Parkwood. Sadly, De Beauvoir didn't lose a single match so they qualified for the final against Jubilee. De Beauvoir won 3-1 and took the trophy home. Well done to all the girls in the Monday football club. **By Martina Abels (6 Chillli)**

On Wednesday 13th June 2018, some children in Cerise and Fuchsia class went to Clissold Leisure Centre for a year 4 swimming competition. When we got there we done activities such as racing in the water which Osas won a gold medal in, swimming with a noodle, diving and picking up the glowing sticks. We had lots of fun.

Well done to Kirill, Osas, Sarah, Amirah, Jenny, Cicely, Harshal and Constantino. **By Kirill Allen (4 Fuchia)**

Curious- Aqua and Ocean children during Family Friday.

Creative – Year 6 children rehearsing for their end of year show.

Ambitious – England winning the world cup!

Respectful – Year 5 and 6 children taking part in the London Youth Games Tennis Tournament.

Happy- Year 5 children on cycle training.

Next Week's Menu

Monday

Macaroni and cheese with minced beef and thyme (Su, Mk, G, E)

Macaroni and cheese with a cruncy topping (Su, Mk, G, E)

Crispy garlic croutons (Mk, G), Buttered sweetcorn (Mk), steamed courgettes

Summer fruit crumble (G)

Tuesday

BBQ chicken pizza (Mk, G)

Margherita pizza with mozzarella cheese (Mk, G)

Garlic bread (Mk, G), Coleslaw (E, Mk, Mu), Oven roasted tomatoes

Sugar free orange and poppy seed drizzle cake (Mk, E, G)

Wednesday

Roast beef (none) with gravy (G) and Yorkshire pudding (Mk, E)

Roasted Mediterranean vegetable filo pie (Mk, G)

Fluffy roast potatoes, Steamed broccoli, Sweet red cabbage with apple (G)

Strawberry fool (Mk)

Thursday

Mild Tandoori spiced chicken with yoghurt and cucumber (Su, Mk, Ce)

Cauliflower, Spinach, broccoli and cheddar bake (G, Mk)

Indian flat bread (So, Mk, G, Se)

Spicy coriander carrots, Mixed summer salad

Sugar free banana and date flapjacks (Mk, G)

Friday

Battered pollock fillet (F, G)

Warm pitta pockets with chickpeas and yoghurt (Mk, G)

Baked oven chips, Garden peas, Roasted butternut squash

Jam tart and creamy custard (Mk, E, G)

Packed Lunches

The school will encourage parents to provide healthy lunchboxes for children at Betty Layward, which will include a balance of protein, vegetables/fruit and some carbohydrate.

The following are not allowed in packed lunches:

- crisps, chocolate bars and sweets
- 'squash' or added-sugar and/or sweetened drinks
- fizzy drinks
- No nuts

Lovely Friday everyone,

Summer Fair - 30th June 12:30- 3

Only 2 weeks to go!! We are planning loads of fun and games, stalls, food and drink - and we are looking forward to seeing lots of you there, bring friends and family.

Your class reps will have been in touch, asking for volunteers to help make this a really fun day and another top fundraiser.

The board will be going up next week so if you've not already volunteered, please write your name down - your involvement really helps make it a success.

Raffle prizes

Local businesses generously support this, but anything else raffle-worthy is much appreciated - bottles of wine, spirits, vouchers, tickets to events, experiences. If you have any items please give them to Max on reception. If it's ticket's, emails of vouchers etc please let Annett Herzog know

(annettherzog@hotmail.com).

Tombola prizes

Please bring in any 'as new' prizes for our wonderful tombola. Collection Bags will be outside the school reception area soon.

Second hand books and Toys

We are after your good condition second hand books (sorry, no DVDs please) and toys for our stalls. Have a clear out this weekend and bags will be placed outside the school reception soon for you to start filling!

Photographer Wanted

If you are a bit of a dab hand at photography and have your own camera and tripod we need you! Please let Sam and Anne know if you'd be up for helping with the dressing up photo booth.

samanthasestili@gmail.com, anneharry@gmail.com

First Aiders

We need one more first aider to be on hand during the Fair.

Please let Sam and Anne know.

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Eid celebration - Wednesday 20th June (4:30-6)

Everybody is welcome to our Eid celebration and encouraged to join in - it's always really good fun. But we do need volunteers to make it a success! There are two ways you can help.

Firstly, we need volunteers to help set up - decorating Daniel House and setting up the food. Set up will start at 2.30pm so if anyone is able to lend a hand before pick up, or afterwards, that would be fantastic.

Secondly, we'd love lots of food donations. Dishes must not contain nuts and all meat must be Halal.

If you would like to help out, please email

sarah.bolton10@gmail.com <<mailto:sarah.bolton10@gmail.com>>

Cook Book

As many of you have asked for the recipes of the lovely food from the Fairs we had the idea of making a Betty Layward School Cook Book that we could sell on the BBQ/Fiesta day (13th July). We would love you to you send us a recipe that is special for you, it may be a family recipe or something typical from your birthplace, so we can create a book that contains a variety of our favourite dishes. All recipes, savoury or sweet, complex or simple, common or exotic are welcome! The plan is to exchange and unite celebrating the diversity of flavours in our community.

This would only be possible if we collect enough recipes, so please don't hesitate and just type the recipe that came to your mind when reading this stating where it is from; whether it's a place or a person. Send it to martaalonspola@gmail.com before the 30th June. Your contribution will be greatly appreciated and your dish enjoyed by many :)