

Dear Parent/Carer,

Anti-Bullying Week is from **14th – 18th November** this year. The theme is 'Power for Good' with the aim being to support children to use their Power for Good by understanding the ways in which they are powerful and to encourage individual and collective action to stop bullying.



Children in Need Non uniform day - **Friday 18th November**

Wear something spotty and have fun. We will be raising money for Children in Need charity throughout the week. Children will be bringing sponsorship forms home to complete various activities to raise money. Please be generous and gain as many sponsors for your child as you can.



There will be a parents sweepstake competition as well, where for £2 you can enter and guess the number of spots on the cake. This will be open from Monday after school, watch out in the playground. (Will be available during the parents evening as well). The winner will receive a cash prize, half the money raised in the sweepstake.

On Friday we are going to have a cake sale during the day, any cake donations would be much appreciated. Children can bring money in to purchase the cakes (25p) and there will be a limited number of wristbands that they can buy for £1.

Mr Chetty

Film Night—Friday 25th November

If your child would like to join us for the Film Night can you please pay and choose the film they want to see on our **School Shop online**.

If they would like to see Percy Jackson & the Lightning Thief, please remember to give your consent as this film is PG and your child can only watch it if we have your permission. No money will be taken on the night, so please book early to guarantee your space.

All the money raised will go towards the whole school trip later in the year.

Hope you have a good time.

Mobile phones and watches

If your child wears a watch to school can you please ensure that it doesn't have the technology to make recordings or take pictures. These are not permitted at school.

Please remind your child that all phones need to be left in the school office during the day. Thank you.



Breakfast Club

Mon – Thu

Cereals or Toast

Friday

Cooked breakfast, eggs, bacon, sausages and baked beans

£1 per child

£1 per adult

No need to pre book 7:30 - 8:30

Children can also enjoy various activities in the sports hall



Congratulation to our Bravo, Achievements and Golden Awards winners this week!

Class	BRAVO CARDS	ACHIEVEMENT CARDS	GOLDEN AWARDS
Jamaica	Haajra, Kleanthi	Diego, Abdullah, Abdullaahi, Asad	Hassan
India	Tywrell, Aishah	Ifrah, Veronika Vlad-Mihai	Shuraim
Morocco	Muhammed, Viktorija		Vrunda
Kosovo	Yara	Jayden	
Brazil	Hope		Ibrahim
Gibraltar	Aayan		
Ireland	Alishba	Ahad	
Norway		Sara Mihaela, Adam, Iqra	
UAE	Resul	Tuba, Abi Maryama	Resul
Pakistan	Safa	Adam	
France	Jia Jun	Dillon	Priscilla
Malaysia	Matilde, Haris	Michelle, Kelly	Aneesha
Egypt	Lashaun	Oluwatosin	
America	Berk, Jacob		Shayann
China	Zahir	Isa, Jacob, Vikki Nisha, Olaitan	Jennifer
South Africa	Hawalul	Ethan	Patrick
Spain	Ralitza	Ye Htet	Safeena, Hurana, Dalontae, Kenneth

Class Jamaica – History Lesson

As part of their History unit on **'Toys: Victorian children at play'**, children from class Jamaica brought their special toy into school to talk about how their toy is different to the toys that children played with in the Victorian times. The children learnt lots of interesting facts!



We commemorated the Remembrance Day in whole school assembly today. Children learnt about the importance of this day and why we commemorate it every year.

Thank you for all the donations to the Poppy Appeal.

Attendance

The Best attendance winners for last week are:

Upper KS2 – Spain & Egypt – 100 %
 Lower KS2 – Gibraltar & Norway – 97%
 KS1– India – Morocco—99%
 Early years – Italy - 99%

The most improved classes are:

Egypt (100%)
 Ireland (98%)
 and Italy (97%)

Congratulation to **Norway** class. They have received 5 certificates for the best or most improved attendance and as a reward they chose to have a pizza party. Instead of the school dinner today they were treated to delicious pizza and they all had an amazing time at school.

Dates for the diary:

Antibullying Week
 14th – 18th Nov

Parents Consultations
 Mon 14th & Tue 15th Nov

Flu vaccination Mon 14th Nov

EYFS Stay & Play Tue 15th
 & Thu 17th Nov 9 am

Book Fair 10th – 16th Nov
 3:30-4:15 pm

ESOL course Thu 17th Nov
 1:30 pm

Non uniform day Fri 18th Nov

PODS AGM Fri 18th Nov
 9 – 10 am

Bingo Night Fri 18th Nov
 3:30—5:40 pm

Film Night 25th Nov 3:30 pm

Pantomime:
 Y1 & Y6 Mon 5th Dec
 Y2 & Y4 Thu 8th Dec
 Y3 & Y5 Fri 9th Dec

Pantomime in School:
 Reception & Nursery
 5th & 12th Dec

Christmas Dinner
 Tue 13th Dec

... and more to come



Reminder – Parents Consultations

14th & 15th Nov

We would like to encourage all parents/carers to come a bit earlier than your appointment time so you can look at your child's work/books. When you meet the teacher, they will also share with you your child's targets and discuss ways to help them to move forward.

During your appointment, please stick to your time limit, if you need more time, please make alternative arrangements to see the teacher.

There are no clubs on Monday and Tuesday

PODS Annual General Meeting

School Hall

18th November 9 am – 10 am

We would like to invite you to the PODS Annual General Meeting. All parents/carers are welcome.

Agenda: Ratification of the PODS account, Election of a new chair, secretary and treasurer.

Refreshments will be served.

PODS Bingo Night

18th Nov 3:30—5:40

Colder weather

We have noticed that many children are coming to school without coats or jackets. Children get cold when they go outside during play and lunch time. Could you please make sure that your child/children always have jackets or coats when they come to school in the morning. Thank you.

Sports news

16th Nov – Football at Drapers Field

Indoor Athletics competition at Peter May Sport Centre for:

Year 5 & 6 - 17th Nov

Year 1 & 2 – 25th Nov

Golden Awards go to Malakai (Scotland), Kashish (Norway) and Tudor (South Africa)

Bouncy castle competition winners:

Congratulations to : **Vithusika – France**
Wiktorja – France



Their designs will be on the background of the bouncy castle and they will also have the first bounce!

Well done to all the children who took part in the competition. We received lots of amazing entries.

The bouncy castle will be used for rewards and treats to promote good behaviour, attendance and so on.

Reception places for September 2017

If your child was born between **1st September 2012** and **31st August 2013** you will need to apply for a Reception place for them for September 2017.

If you live in Waltham Forest you need to apply to Waltham Forest School Admission

If you have any questions, please contact the Service on:

www.walthamforest.gov.uk

admissions@walthamforest.gov.uk

020 8496 3000

If you live outside Waltham Forest, you will need to apply to the local authority in which you live.

Even if your child currently attends a nursery attached to a school you must apply for a Reception place for them by 15th January 2017.