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Primary and Nursery School
Branch Road, Park Street, AL2 2LX

Headteacher: Wendy-May Foster

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Rainbow Awards

We are so proud of the children who earned Rainbow Bricks and Rainbow Certificates.

Keep up the great work!

Congratulations go to :

15th February: Teagan, Freddie, Alicia (Y2), Olivia, Callum (Y3), Charlie, Chloe (Y4), Rohan, Jack, Arran (Y5) and Sam, Anna (Y6)

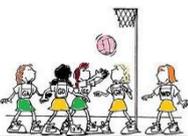


Y5/Y6 Indoor Sports Hall Athletics Competition Final

On Monday 25th February, all the girls from Year 6 headed off to the University of Hertfordshire to participate in the final of the indoor sports hall athletics tournament. The competition was hard with lots of fantastic athletics taking part. The girls did a great job in their division and came 5th place overall. It was a great morning with lots of smiling and cheering! These girls definitely can!

Netball Update

The netball season has been going fantastically well with two more wins in the bag for the Year 6 team! We have played Wheatfields away and managed to win a fantastic, 9- 5. The following week was against Fleetville and was a little tougher with the final result being 6-5 to us. Everyone on the team worked so well together and it has been such fun!



Feel Good Day

What a wonderful Feel Good Day the children are having today! With lots of fun activities taking place across all year groups. The highlight of the day has been cooking yummy sausages in our Wellbeing Woods with Tim from TWIGS.



Attendance

Congratulations to Year 1 who had the highest attendance during February with

96.7%

Well done!!



TWIGS - NURSERY/RECEPTION

The Nursery and Reception classes have recently enjoyed brilliant learning experiences with TWIGS in the 'Wellbeing Woods'.

All the children had a great time mixing and shaping lard and birdseed to create a birdfeeder. It was a bit tricky getting the fat balls to stay on the branch holder but we persevered. You might be able to spot them hanging in the EYFS garden! The children also had super fun making popcorn over the campfire and certainly enjoyed eating this treat after a very busy morning learning outdoors!



Forthcoming Easter Events at Holy Trinity, Frogmore

10.30 am on Sunday 31 March 2019

All Age Mothering Sunday Service

7.30 pm on Saturday 6 April 2019

Hebron Concert

Gospel music with a distinctly Jewish flavour featuring

Simon Elman, Chrissy Rodgers and Helen Shapiro
(Free Event)

10.30 am Friday 19 April 2019

Good Friday Open Air Service
(outside the How Wood Shops)

10.30 am Sunday 21 April

All Age Easter Celebration

Wheelie Wednesday



On Wednesday 13th February, our pupils took to the playground on wheels for their first ever Wheelie Wednesday.

As part of the school's ongoing initiative to encourage an active, healthy lifestyle, all children were invited to bring their bike, scooter, roller skates or skateboard to school to use during their playtime and lunchbreak.

All safety precautions were adhered to, with helmets compulsory, a set route in place, and plenty of staff on hand to manage congestion!

The introduction of Wheelie Wednesday follows the already hugely successful Daily Mile which was launched by England Rugby player Richard Wigglesworth back in 2017. Every child is given the opportunity to run a mile everyday around the playground. The school has applied for funding to enable them to complete a Daily Mile track, to ensure children can run their mile in all weather conditions.

With the first Wheelie Wednesday proving to be very popular with the children and staff it is set to become a weekly initiative as successful as The Daily Mile. Headteacher Mrs Wendy-May Foster said "It was lovely to see all the children enjoying being active and engaged in this way. We want to continue to promote a long term healthy and active lifestyle for Park Street children and wheelie Wednesday will certainly help us achieve this".



Don't forget to follow us on Twitter at twitter.com/ParkStSchool





E-Safety Alert

You may be aware of something in the press regarding 'MOMO'. It is a character prompting children to hurt themselves or others by doing unsafe acts, usually by "popping up" during YouTube streaming.

We would like to reiterate to parents/carers that you do need to be aware of what your children are doing when they are online.

You should also remind your children in general about on-line safety and age appropriate apps and online games.

For more information please go to this link from the National Online Safety:
<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/resources/platform-guides/momo-online-safety-guide-for-parents/>

DIARY DATES

Spring 2019

1 st March	Feel Good Day/Non-Uniform Day
5 th March	Nursery and Reception parents - Stay and Read 9 to 9.30am Y4 Rapid Fire Cricket Festival @ Beaumont School PSSA meeting @7.30pm
6 th March	Football Match – Park Street v St Peters (away)
7 th March	World Book Day
14 th March	Cross Country at Garden Fields
15 th March	Red Nose Day
18 th March	Y6 Crucial Crew
19 th March	Y5 Life Expo
22 nd March	Y6 Life Expo
26 th March	Y3 last swimming lesson
27 th March	Nursery and Reception parents – Stay and Play 9am to 10am
2 nd April	Y5 play dress rehearsal
3 rd April	Football Interleague Match at Wheatfields Y5 Play
5 th April	Easter Service at Holy Trinity Church at 9.30am PSSA cake sale at 1.15pm School finishes at 1.15pm

Compliments, Suggestions and Concerns

With every newsletter we will be sending out a sheet for you to send your compliments, suggestions and concerns in to the school as part of our school commitment to improve communication. These may be returned to the school office. Any slips that are signed will be acknowledged and all slips shared with the Governing Body. It is particularly helpful, though not essential, that you supply your name in order that we can respond to you.

Compliments

Signed:

Suggestions

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Concerns

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