

Park Street Press



Dates for your diary

- 6/7:** Parent Prayer Group (8:55-9:30am in the library)
- 7/7:** 9:15am iRock summer concert
- 8/7:** UKS2 Lea Valley Water Sports Adventure Day
- 9/7:** Transition Day
Forest School: Y1
- 10/7:** 9:05am EYFS sharing assembly
Colour Run Summer Fair Event at 3pm
- 15/7:** 5pm Y6 Production
- 16/7:** Forest School: Reception
- 17/7:** Y6 Seaside trip
- 20/7:** 9:30am Whole School 'Let your light shine!' Church Service
- 21/7:** 2pm Whole school picnic
- 22/7:** 9:15am Y6 Graduation
1:30pm school finishes (end of term)
- 1/9:** INSET DAY (school closed to pupils)
- 2/9:** First day back to school for all pupils

Love
Joy
Courage
Truth



Flourish
LET YOUR
LIGHT SHINE!

Friday 3rd July 2026

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a wonderfully busy and inspiring week it has been at school! Our Art Week has been a real highlight, with children across the school exploring their creativity and working collaboratively, inspired by the vibrant works of Kandinsky. It has been a joy to see such enthusiasm, imagination and pride in their creations. A huge thank you to Mrs Harbert for planning and leading such an engaging week. Thank you also to those parents who were able to pop in after school today to visit our showcase – I'm sure you'll agree the quality of work on display was fantastic.

Today we also enjoyed a brilliant Sports Day. The children showed great determination and teamwork throughout the events, and it was lovely to see so many families there supporting and encouraging them. Many thanks to Mr Morgan for organising such a successful event.

We are looking forward to Transition Day on Thursday, when children will spend time in their new classes. This is always a positive and reassuring experience, giving them the chance to begin building relationships with their new teachers and classmates ahead of September.

Finally, we are very much looking forward to the PTA Colour Run next Friday-always a fun and memorable event for the whole community. We hope to see lots of you there!

Have a wonderful weekend.

Monique Gregory
Headteacher

Our Curriculum in Action

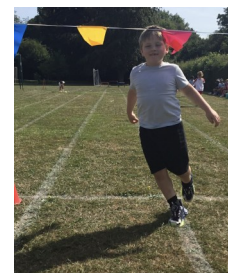
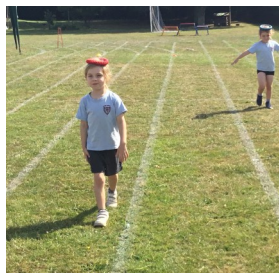
Nursery

We have had an absolutely fantastic Art week this week. The children have listened to information about the artist Kandinsky and taken inspiration from his famous artwork called 'Squares with concentric circles'. They have made salt dough tiles with concentric circles pressed in, a large-scale fabric weaving; they have cut, arranged and glued circles, as well as making tissue *papier mache* lanterns and they have all painted a square with concentric circles as part of a whole school collaborative display.

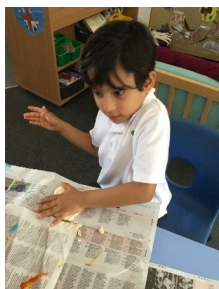


Reception

Our EYFS Sports Day was a fantastic success! The children were all absolutely brilliant, showing wonderful enthusiasm, determination and big smiles throughout the morning. It was fantastic to see everyone joining in, cheering each other on and most importantly, having lots of fun. A huge well done to all of our Reception children for their amazing effort and positive attitudes. We would also like to say a big thank you and well done to all the grown-ups who took part in their races and to our youngest participants, the toddlers, who brought plenty of smiles too! It was a wonderful event filled with laughter, encouragement and memorable moments for everyone. Well done Reception!



Year 1



Willow Class have had a fantastic time during art week experimenting with Kandinsky's colours and circles. We made a circle curtain, used salt dough to make overlapping circle patterns, used pastels colour drawings responding to music, a material weaving hoop and more. It was wonderful to see the children's creative shine through.



Year 2

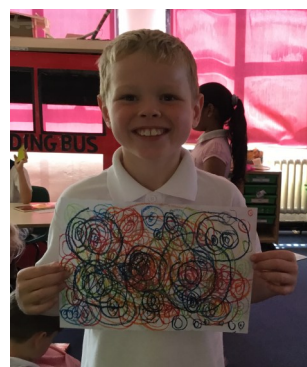
This week, Year 2 have enjoyed a fantastic Art Week inspired by the work of Wassily Kandinsky. Throughout the week, the children explored a range of artistic techniques and materials, including chalk, watercolours, coloured paper collages and acrylic paints. They also took part in a special Art Festival Day, where



they created concentric circles in many different and creative ways. Our Forest School session was a particular highlight, with the children taking part in exciting activities such as 'Kicking Kandinsky' and 'Rolling Kandinsky', bringing art and outdoor learning together in a fun and memorable way. To finish the week, the children proudly tied their own concentric fabric wheels. It has been a wonderful week filled with creativity, enthusiasm and artistic exploration!

Year 3

This week has been lots of fun for Year 3 because it has been Art Week! We have enjoyed creating lots of amazing artwork inspired by Wassily Kandinsky. We made colourful foam and wire flowers and explored Synaesthesia, where we listened to music and created artwork based on the sounds and feelings the music inspired. It has been a fantastic week full of creativity and imagination!



Year 4

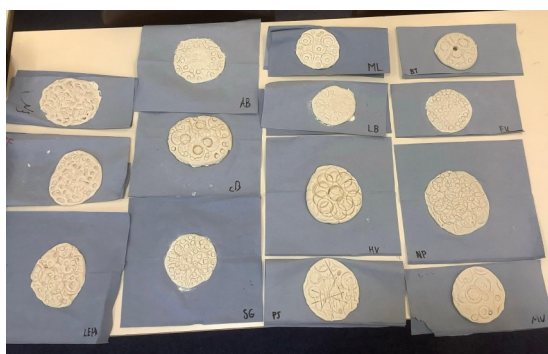
In a recent maths lesson, Y4 had to follow the clues to make different quadrilaterals using rubber bands and geo boards. They then had to describe the properties of different quadrilaterals for a friend to make.



Can you name what they have made from the pictures?

Year 5

Year 5 children have loved celebrating Art Week, taking inspiration from Wassily Kandinsky to create their own colourful abstract masterpieces using different mediums, including clay and salt dough! They explored what 'abstract art' means and discovered how music can inspire creativity, just as it did for Kandinsky.



Year 6

As part of Art Week, Year 6 used clay and salt dough to create decorative plates inspired by different shapes and patterns. They carefully moulded and arranged their designs, showing fantastic creativity and attention to detail. Each piece was unique, and the children produced some truly magnificent works of art. We are very proud of their enthusiasm and artistic skills!



Toys from Home

A quick reminder that children should not bring toys or personal items into school unless requested by teachers as part of a learning activity. While we understand that children may wish to share special items with their friends, these can easily become lost or damaged, which can be upsetting. Please be reassured that we have a wide range of high-quality resources in school to support children's learning and play.



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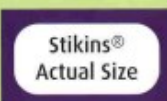
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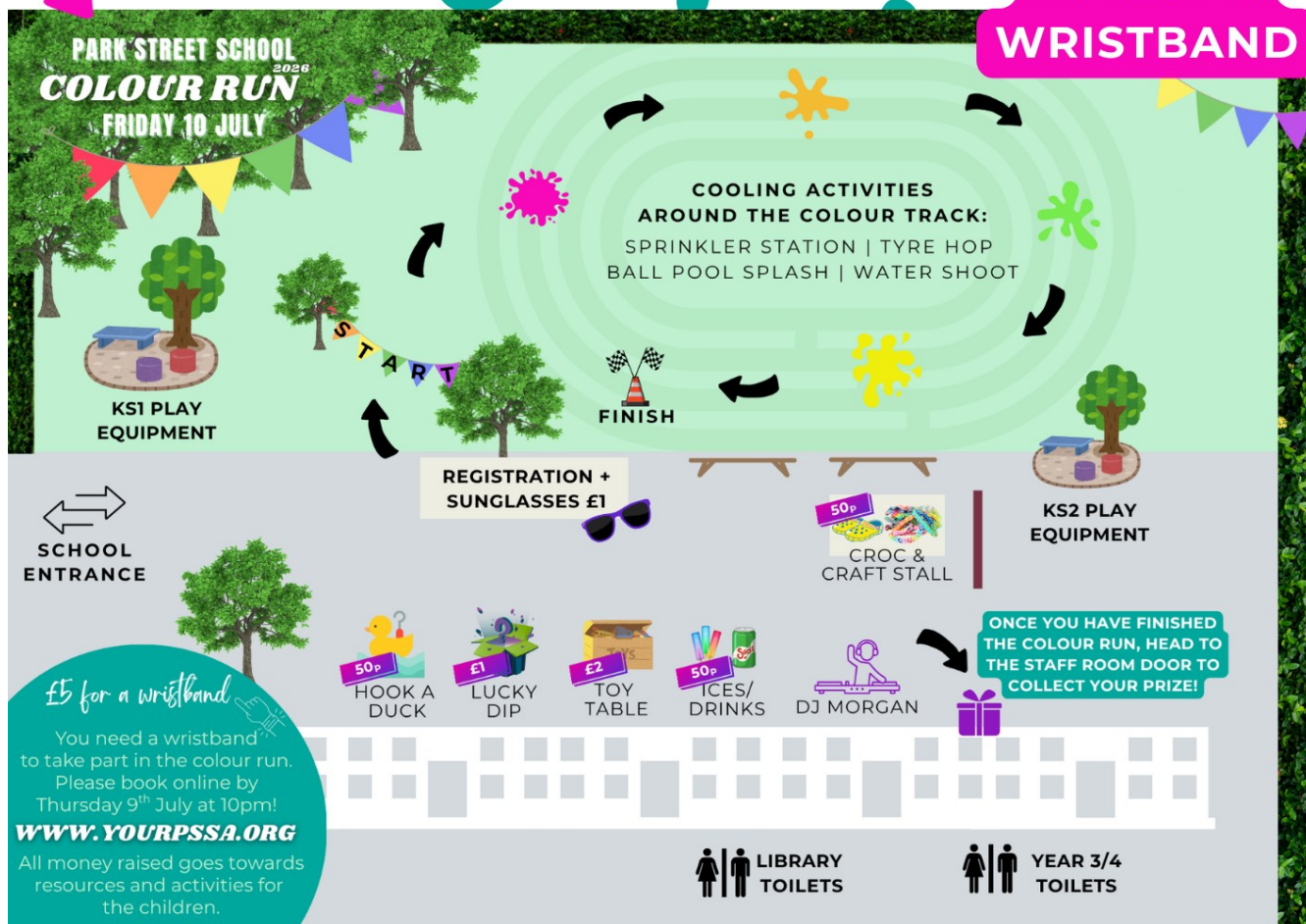


PARK STREET SCHOOL 2026 COLOUR RUN

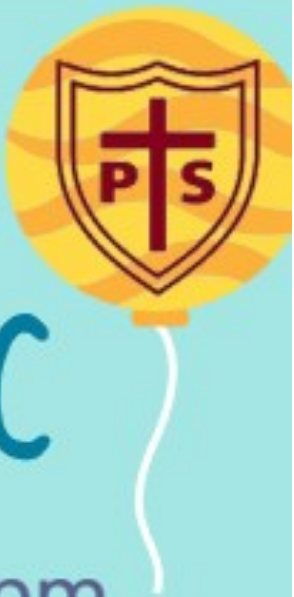
**FRIDAY, 10 JULY
3.20PM**

**CHECK OUT
THE EVENT
MAP**

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SUMMER FAMILY PICNIC

Tuesday 21st July at 2pm

All members of our school community
are welcome to join us for an afternoon
to remember!

Please bring along a picnic to enjoy, as well as any
blankets, chairs or shade umbrellas that you need.





JUNIOR SUMMER GOLF CAMPS 2026

Week 1 - Tue 21st July, Wed 22nd July, Thu 23rd July

Week 2 - Tue 28th July, Wed 29th July, Thu 30th July

Week 3 - Tue 4th August, Wed 5th August, Thu 6th August

Week 4 - Tue 11th August, Wed 12th August, Thu 13th August

Week 5 - Tue 18th August, Wed 19th August, Thu 20th August

Week 6 - Tue 25th August, Wed 26th Aug, Thu 27th August

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