



# Hollydale News

**Hollydale Newsletter 17.03.17**

Dear Parents and Carers,

### Lime Class assembly

We had a fabulous assembly from Lime Class yesterday. The children showcased their learning over the term. The voice projection from the children was excellent! There was a fantastic turn out of parents, which made all the difference to the performance from the children. Thank you for your continued support.

### Parents Evening

Thank you to all the parents and carers that turned up to Parents' Evening. However there are a number of parents who unfortunately did not make an appointment to see their child's class teacher. Please note that parents will receive a letter reminding them to make an appointment as soon as possible.

### Science Week

The children have enjoyed Science Week through investigations, outdoor learning and a visit from the Wild Life Science Education team. Each class has had a visit from an animal expert who shared valuable information about frogs, snakes and centipedes! Thank you to Ms Macdonald, our Science leader for organising this curriculum event. To share the learning that has taken place a Science Fair has been organised for pupils to showcase their learning to you next Tuesday.

### London Children's Flower Society Judgement Day

Thank you to all of the children who brought to school their wonderful, blooming spring flowers to be judged. There were lots of Gold certificates that were awarded for the brilliant effort that was made by all. Well done to all of the participants!

### Easter gardens and Easter Bonnets home learning activity

We are looking forward to seeing lots of creative Easter bonnets and gardens next week by pupils from all classes. Please check the diary dates for when they should be brought to school!

### St Patrick's Day

Today in our assembly, the children learned about who St Patrick was, the origin of the holiday and the meaning of the shamrock. We also listened to Irish music coming into the assembly hall and upon leaving. Please ask your children about what they learned about Saint Patrick! Happy St Patrick's Day to all of the families that celebrate.

Best wishes,  
Ms Reid Head teacher

★ Being the best that we can be! Achievement in Science	
Cherry class	Riovanni , Lara
Lime Class ★	Andreea, Jeremiah
Elm Class	Emmanuel, Anastasia
Oak Class	Hansi, Santiago
Cedar Class	Zakaria , Jessica
Chestnut Class	Avean, Kimona
Birch Class	Hawa, Samuel
Hazel Class	Ryan, Naffisa
Maple Class ★	Yahya, Sienna
Willow Class	Freddie, Kemi

<u>Attendance &amp; Punctuality WE: 13/03/17</u>		
If your child is absent, please call the school office to report the absence giving the reason why your child is not in school. Our overall school target for attendance is 96%.		
WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE FOR THIS WEEK:95.8%		
Class	Attendance %	Punctuality No. of Late's
Cherry	95.7	2
Lime	93.5	2
Elm	97.3	2
Oak	97.6	6
Chestnut	94.2	4
Cedar	96.0	7
Birch	94.8	1
Hazel	97.7	0
Maple	97.1	1
Willow	94.2	2

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## Dates for the Diary: W/C 20<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Dates	Events	Notes
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	ESOL English Classes from 1-3pm	All parents, carers welcome
Tuesday 21 <sup>st</sup> March	Working with parents in partnership Lime Class	Lunch time invitation, please come and put your name down at the school office if you would like to have lunch in the school
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Yr 2 Oak Class visiting the Victoria and Albert Museum of childhood	Children will leave after registration and be back for the end of the school day
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Easter Bonnet/ Gardens can be brought in as from today ready for Judging day on Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March AT 9.00am in the bottom playground	Please make sure your Easter Bonnets and Gardens are clearly marked with your child's name and class
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Cherry Reception Class assembly at 9.20am	EYFS pupils, parents, carers and staff
Thursday 23 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Cake fundraising sale/events at 3.40pm	EYFS pupils, parents, carers and staff
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	EYFS AND KS1 Parents reading together session from 9.00-9.20am	All pupils, parents, carers and staff
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> March	Red Nose Day	All children and staff to wear something red and bring in a £1.00 donation
Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Explore Learning Assembly at 10.30am Launching National Young Writers Award	
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	KS1 Spring Music Concert for parents and carers at 1.45pm	KS1 pupils, parents, carers and staff
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Easter Bonnet/ Garden Parade at 9am in the bottom Playground	Please make sure your Easter Bonnets and Gardens are clearly marked with your child's name and class
Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	ESOL English Classes from 1-3pm	All parents, carers welcome
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	EYFS Cherry Class to visit Nunhead Cemetary to look for mini beasts	Letter to follow
Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March	Kings college London –Reading Club Exhibition at the university. Selected children from Yr 6 Willow and Yr 5 Maple and Hazel Class	Letter to follow
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	KS2 Spring Concert for Parents and Carers at 1.45pm	KS2 pupils, parents, carers and staff
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Yr 2 Oak Class Working with Parents in Partnership	Parents and carers to arrive at 12.15pm
Thursday 30 <sup>th</sup> March	Debate Mate Finals at Goldsmiths University for Selected Yr 5 Hazel Class pupils	Leaving school at 8.30am returning to school at 7.00pm
Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> March	Last day of Term Easter Break 3 <sup>rd</sup> April-17 <sup>th</sup> April	School finishes at 2.00pm
Tuesday 18 <sup>th</sup> April	INSET DAY	SCHOOL CLOSED
Wednesday 19 <sup>th</sup> April	SCHOOL RE OPENS TODAY	children return to school at 8.55am



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