

Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019

# Fairlawn

Primary School



## Dear Families

Happy New Year everyone, I hope you all had a lovely break, I know we are all ready to get back to our learning.

I just wanted to share some partnership news with you all. At Lucas Vale we have welcomed Mrs Cobblah (some of you will remember her as Ms. Incoom at Haseltine) as the new Head of School. This means you will be seeing more of me at the other schools.

You will remember that all four schools played in a football tournament at Haseltine at the end of last term. On Monday, during the Inset day, our maths leaders across all four schools, organised a morning of maths moderation. Teachers had the opportunity to share their children's maths books with each other and to talk about progress and attainment. This ensures the judgments we make about your children's learning are accurate.

On the same morning, our attendance, early years and SENDCO teams, from across all four schools, also met to share good practice. These teams all meet at least once a term in each others' schools. Our partnership continues to grow and deepen - giving teachers/leaders opportunities to develop themselves and others as well as giving people support to become even better at what they do.

I'm really looking forward to the term ahead with you all. Jeanette Brumby.

## School Lunches and Dinner Money

Lunches cost **£2.20** a day. Lunch money for the first half of the Spring Term is **£63.80** and for the second half is **£66.00**. The full term lunch money is **£129.80**. Please pay via ParentPay. Please be aware that packed lunches are to contain **NO** nuts, sweets, chocolate bars, fizzy drinks, or peanut butter sandwiches.

## Achievement Awards

**RF - Ellia** as she has grown so much in confidence in playing with her friends and speaking in class. She is making great progress with her reading and writing too. **RP - Hamish** - Because he has shown such perseverance with his reading and writing and so made such fantastic progress last term. Well done, Hamish! **IGH - Freddie** - For showing such focus with his learning and for his wonderful

writing about dinosaurs. **IF - Bradley** - For challenging himself in all aspects of school life.

**IM - Davin** - For always being such a shining star. Davin has such a wonderful attitude towards his learning and is a kind, polite and caring friend to all of his peers. Well done Davin! **2M - Lola-Niamh!** For the determination and resilience that she is showing in all of her learning. **2W - Molly** - For being a considerate and thoughtful friend, a resilient learner and such an exemplary member of 2W!

**3E - Harlem** - Because he is highly independent in his learning and is able to be supportive to his learning partners. **3M - Zoe** - She could be a star every week! She is kind, caring and ambitious. She stood out especially this week for winning the Pirate Game! **4C - Bettie** - For always having an amazing attitude towards all of her learning. Bettie is always reflective and keen to improve her learning too. **4S - Dawoud** - For his positive learning attitude and curiosity. **5C - Nina** - For her incredibly mature attitude and for the empathy she shows towards her peers. **5E - Judd** - Such a super star and good luck in your new school. **5S - Djibril** - For trying hard and being such a great member of our community. **6A - Elin** - She's had a great first term in Year 6: excellent progress in maths, a fantastic oracy presentation and super reading in the candlelight assembly. **6K - Tracy** - For really fitting into Fairlawn seamlessly, and for showing a real tenacity to achieve already!

## Diary Dates

**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> January** - Reception trip to the Horniman Museum.

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> January** - Clubs begin.

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January** - 5S trip to The Old Operating Theatre.

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> January** - Year 2 trip to London Zoo.

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> January** - 5C trip to The Old Operating Theatre.

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> January** - PTA Disco.

**Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> January** - 5E trip to The Old Operating Theatre.

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February** - Reception, Years 1 & 2 Mums' Breakfast.

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> February** - Year 3 trip to Theatre.

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> February** - Year 6 trip to the Science Museum.

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> February** - Half term. Children return to school on **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> February**.

**Have a great week,  
The Fairlawn Team**

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A warm welcome back to school to all! We hope you are ready for another busy and fun filled term. Check out the upcoming dates and mark diaries.

Year 6 are hosting the next **PTA Cake sale (18 Jan)**. Please remember to bring some change to school pick-up.

Get your glad rags and dancing shoes ready as our next event, the **School Disco (25 Jan)** is almost upon us. There will be two sessions, one for KS1 children, followed by KS2. The event is free, no tickets required! Music will be provided by Trev, the DJ with drinks and snacks and a sweet stall to help keep energy levels up! As always, we are looking for volunteers to help us run the event. Please let us know if you can spare some time after school and early evening on 25<sup>th</sup> Jan by emailing [pta@fairlawnschool.net](mailto:pta@fairlawnschool.net)

Next **Bag2School collection due 29 Jan**. Clear out the wardrobes to make space for all those Christmas presents and donate clothes and accessories in good condition. Letters and collection bags will be sent out in book bags shortly. Contact [pta@fairlawnschool.net](mailto:pta@fairlawnschool.net) if you have any questions.

We are holding Fairlawn's first ever **SILENT DISCO on the 2nd March 7.30 – 1.30** at local bar Batch in Peckham Rye. This will be a fun filled event for adults only. If you haven't tried a silent disco, it's a must! I've converted a fair few parents to its merits already so you must come and see for yourself. The bar will be doing amazing cocktails – they've been tested and they really are fabulous. There is also an array of beers and whiskeys. Proceeds from the bar will support PTA funds. Book tickets at <http://www.designmynight.com/london/bars/peckham/batch/fairlawn-pta-silent-disco>

Congratulations to **Nicola Denley**, our latest **School Lottery** winner! Do sign up to help us raise funds by joining Your School Lottery for as little as £1 per week. <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/fairlawn-primary>

#### Dates for the diary:

25 January	School Disco (after school)
2 March	Silent Disco (parents only)
25 April	Musical Evening
17 May	Quiz Night
9 June	Fairlawn Fun Run
13 July	Fairlawn Summer Fair

## Fairlawn Speed Bounce Champions Crowned!

A huge well done to Daisy (2M) and Arata (6K) who were crowned KS1 and KS2 Fairlawn SpeedBounce Champions 2018 during our assembly at the end of last term. Both finals were closely fought and all finalists were well supported by our excited watching audience.

A huge congratulations to our boys' football team who beat St Bart's 3-2 (Arata 2, Nicolas) in a tense game to win the Monday Night Football League title. It has been fantastic to be able to rotate the squad each week, and a special mention to our Year 5 members of the team who have stepped up and played so impressively when called upon.

#### Spring Term Sports Clubs

Year 2 Multi-Skills – Mondays (starting 14<sup>th</sup> January)  
Year 3 Football – Wednesdays (starting 16<sup>th</sup> January).  
Years 5/6 Girls Football Training – Thursdays am  
Years 5/6 Boys Football Training – Thursdays pm  
Year 4 Football – Fridays (starting 18<sup>th</sup> January)

**On Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March, Fairlawn will be competing in the Years 3/4 Lewisham Football Festival. The team will be chosen from the above club sessions.**

#### CLUB LETTERS GOING HOME TOMORROW

## PE Stars of the Week Returns Next Week!

At Fairlawn, we love to celebrate your child's out-of-school sporting achievements in our weekly newsletter: [saldridge@fairlawnschool.net](mailto:saldridge@fairlawnschool.net)

#### Music News by Mr Sharpe

At Fairlawn, we love to celebrate musical achievements. Let me know if you have any you want to share: [tsharp@fairlawnschool.net](mailto:tsharp@fairlawnschool.net)

**Private instrumental lessons:** Lessons will be overseen by the instrumental teachers themselves. Please contact them directly with any queries or to be added to their waiting list for lessons.

Brass - Gillian Jenkins ([gillianjones.horn@btinternet.com](mailto:gillianjones.horn@btinternet.com))  
Guitar- Martin Budd ([martin\\_budd@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:martin_budd@hotmail.co.uk))  
Violin- Miranda Allen ([mirandasallen@hotmail.com](mailto:mirandasallen@hotmail.com))  
Woodwind - Matthew Grenz ([matthew.grenz@ntlworld.com](mailto:matthew.grenz@ntlworld.com))

**Thank you for replies to our Upper KS2 choir letter. Please e-mail [tsharp@fairlawnschool.net](mailto:tsharp@fairlawnschool.net) if you are interested as we still have some places left.**