



Dear Families

Welcome back to a very short week before another Bank Holiday to celebrate the King's Coronation. Please follow this link for local Coronation events <https://lewisham.gov.uk/inmyarea/events/the-coronation-of-his-majesty-the-king>

On Friday, our kitchen will be laying on a special Coronation lunch and we have Haseltine's pupil Parliament visiting us. There will no whole school assembly this week, but each class will be discussing Deaf Awareness Week and we are looking forward to Year 4's assembly to parents on Friday at 2:30pm.

Parents forum- Representation Matters

On Thursday 18th May, at 6pm via Zoom the Haseltine and Fairlawn Federation will be joined by Aisha Thomas, the Director of Representation Matters. This is the organisation that is supporting us on our anti-racist journey. We will first share the results of our questionnaires and then open the floor to feedback and questions. We will also be asking you what you would like to see in future sessions. Please do come along. If you feel nervous about speaking out, you can add your comments into the chat. It's important to us that as many voices as possible are heard. We will send out a Zoom invite nearer the time.

Starting Nursery September 2023

Children born between 1st September 2019 and 31st August 2020 can start Nursery in September 2023.

Places at our Nursery are for either 15 or 30 funded hours per week, 3 or 6 hours per day respectively, Monday to Friday. There is the option to pay for additional hours if the 30 hour criteria is not met. Morning places are from 8.45am to 11.45am. Afternoon places are 12.25pm to 3.25pm. Full-time places are from 8.45am to 3.25pm.

If you would like to apply for a place, please email Michelle: mpay@fairlawnschool.net for an application form.

Have a great week, The Fairlawn Team

Learning Heroes of the Week

Congratulations to all our learning heroes!



	Resilient	Reflective	Collaborative	Curious	Independent
1P	Bodhi	Gabriel	Joshua	Raiya	Lenny
1W	Ruth	Jody	Lewie	Kali	Ala
2K	George	Romiah	Bonnie	Jessica	Will
2F	James	Archie	Evelyn	Zac	Arthur
3E	Emerald	Elif	Alex	Zakariye	Cora
3G	Alfie	Carolina	Nadeem	Shay	India
4A	Edwin	Tait	Floella	Maggie	Poppy
4G	Nuriyah	Azura	Zs'Raeya	Ivy	Sophie
5E	Dot	Gordon	Ruby R	Joseph K	Alec
5T	Eiden	Bea	Joseph	Lia	Eva
6C	Elsa	Faith	Yasmine	Abi	Ronella
6DT	Ava	Frankie	Zakira	Leo	Conrad

Vocabulary of the Week

Each week, we teach our children the meanings of three challenging words.

Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
ecstatic	cruel	monsoon	sluggish	myriad	Grammar practice
observation	inspire	concoct	famished	tranquil	Grammar practice
private	impressive	custom	stubborn	ambiance	Grammar practice

Diary Dates

Monday 8th May - Coronation Bank Holiday
Week beginning 8th May - Year 6 SATS week and Year 5 School Journey
Thursday 11th May - Year 1 assembly
Thursday 18th May - PARENT FORUM
Friday 19th May - Year 5 assembly
Thursday 25th May - International Evening and George Floyd day
Friday 26th May – End of term

Reminders

School Lunches and Dinner Money

If you would like to change your child's lunch option for this term, please email Francesca; fmarbaix@fairlawnschool.net Lunches cost **£2.50** a day. Lunch money for the second half of term is **£75.00**. Please pay via ParentPay. Please be aware that packed lunches should not contain **nuts, sweets, chocolate bars, fizzy drinks, or peanut butter sandwiches**.

Absence from School

If your child is absent from school due to sickness, or any other reason, we must be informed before **8.45am** on the first day of absence and **everyday thereafter**. Please report your child's absence on the designated absence line, or email fmarbaix@fairlawnschool.net explaining the reason for absence. **If your child is suffering from diarrhoea or vomiting, they cannot be in school until 48 hours after the last bout of the illness.**

Music Lessons

If your child would like to have music lessons, please see below for contact details:

Brass lessons or to join Brass Band: Christine Norsworthy (trumpet, cornet, French horn, tenor horn, trombone, baritone & euphonium)
norsworthy.christine@gmail.com

Piano lessons: Matt Ridley; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list mattridleybass@gmail.com

Woodwind (flute, clarinet & alto sax) and violin lessons: Spaces currently available.
efellows@fairlawnschool.net

Drumming lessons; Murray Anderson; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list murray.anderson@lewishammusic.org

Guitar lessons; Martin Budd; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list martinbuddguitar@hotmail.com

Mr Aldridge's Sports News

Skipping Champions Crowned!

On Friday, we crowned Fairlawn's skipping champions in two exciting assemblies. The standard was extremely high and all of the finalists skipped with real determination for the allotted two minutes. Here are the results:

KS1:

1st – Tyshawn (2F) – 238 skips

2nd – Ruben (2F) – 221 skips

3rd – Bodhi (1P) – 220 skips

LKS2:

1st – Michael (4G) – 265 skips

2nd – Niccolo (4G) – 243 skips

3rd – Alarni (4A) – 165 skips

UKS2:

1st – Abigail S (5T) – 320 skips

2nd – Abigail E (5E) – 310 skips

3rd – Nuala (5T) – 280 skips

Fairlawn 1-0 St Michael's

Well done to the girls' football team who secured a vital 1-0 win against St Michael's in the latest round of the Monday Night Football League. Despite playing the game in heavy rain, the team's performance was full of determination and fluent passing, with the all-important goal coming from Maggie (4A).

A huge thanks to James and Michael for driving the team to and from Haseltine.

Simply Veg

Simply Veg, is a new service which support parents and carers to get their children eating more veg. It provides families with handy tips, simple advice from the leading experts, and fun ways to engage the kids + a monthly competition. It's also 100% free. For more information, head to: <https://simplyveg.org.uk/>

Summer 1 Sports Heroes

This half term, our sports heroes focus switches to British men:

Reception: Lewis Hamilton MBE

Year 1: Sir Mo Farah

Year 2: Bobby Moore OBE

Year 3: Anthony Joshua OBE

Year 4: Sir Steve Redgrave

Year 5: Sir Chris Hoy

Year 6: Adam Peaty MBE

Summer Term Sports Clubs

Monday – Year 3 Football Club

Tuesday – Years 5/6 Netball Club (invite only)

Wednesday – 1P Multi-Skills Club

Thursday (am) – Years 5/6 Girls Football Training

Thursday – Year 2 Multi-Skills Club

Friday – Year 4 Football Club

(All after school clubs run from 3.30pm-4.30pm)

Sporting Achievements

At Fairlawn, we love to hear about the children's sporting achievements. Please send any sports news my way and it will get a mention here in our weekly newsletter: saldridge@fairlawnschool.net



PTA News

Earth Day Planting

Thank you so very much for the fabulous plants, seeds, and shrubs provided over the last few weeks. Planting is well underway and we hope you can see all the children's hard work flourish in the sunshine. We are very grateful for all donations.



Summer Fair - Help Needed

CALLOUT FOR GUITARIST & SINGER

As in previous years, Verity (a Fairlawn mum) has kindly offered to sing in the golden garden and we are looking for other musicians to support her.

•We would love to find a talented guitarist who can commit to playing on Saturday 24th at the school fair

•It would also be great to find another singer who can sing Disney (and other) duets.

SET UP/CLEARANCE TEAM

One of the biggest jobs of the fair is setup and clearing away. The more hands the better, making the work easier and speedier. In previous years it has been left to a few, who end up staying late into the afternoon, getting the school ready and back for business. We would sincerely appreciate help and are looking for anyone who can commit 10-12pm for set up or 4-6pm for packing away.

Pls email pta@fairlawnschool.net if you can help with either of these roles.



PTA get in touch!

Please do get in touch at pta@fairlawnschool.net if you have any ideas or want to get involved. We'd love to hear from you.

Easy Fundraising and Amazon Smile

Please remember to use Easyfundraising when doing your weekly grocery shopping, booking holidays, or paying utilities. Log into Easyfundraising, set up your account benefiting Fairlawn and access your favourite online shopping sites from there. You will raise funds with each purchase at no extra cost to you. Please encourage friends and relatives to do the same. <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fairlawnpa/>

Sign up to **Amazon Smile** and link your account to Fairlawn PTA. It costs nothing, can be set up in less than a minute, and raises money direct to PTA.

Sign up to Your School Lottery and Lottery Gift Vouchers

Congratulations to **Lucy Hogarth**, our School Lottery winner last week. 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> and search for Fairlawn.

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