



## Dear Families,



### Assembly

Thank you to Mr Evans and Ms Peters for leading our play assembly today. We talked about how to make sure that we have fun playtimes while continuing to follow our 3 rules - Ready, Respectful and Safe.

### Sustainability at Fairlawn - RAFT

We are excited to announce that we have received funding to work with Retrofit Action for Tomorrow (RAFT) to deliver an engagement programme within the Fairlawn community. The aim is to empower schools, children, families, and the wider community to improve the thermal performance, reduce the energy and carbon use of the school. To support us, please **fill in this 30-second survey** to give RAFT an insight into how our families commute to school. Click [here](#) to complete. RAFT will run 3 workshops for a group of pupils, across the year groups, focusing on:

- Understanding our school buildings energy use and how we might improve energy efficiency and reduce our carbon footprint
- Exploring ways to save energy, decarbonise the school buildings and reduce our wider carbon emissions.

The children will be creating an art display of all their ideas and findings in our school reception. RAFT would like to invite parents, governors, and staff to an online presentation on the **16<sup>th</sup> May from 5-6pm**. This will be an opportunity to introduce the wider school to RAFT's work and the upcoming engagement programme. If this is of interest to you, please register your details [here](#) and you will receive an invite to your inbox prior to the talk. RAFT and Fairlawn Sustainability Committee is looking forward to the start of the programme and working with our school community. For further details on how to get involved, please email Rachel Peters; [r.peters@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk](mailto:r.peters@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk)

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

## Learning Heroes of the Week

Congratulations to all our **independent** learning heroes for showing the following characteristics!

- Ownership
- Managing Distractions
- Problem Solving
- Selecting Resources.



### This week's class heroes are:

1P	Izel	Raihaan	Matilda
1W	McKenzie	Pharrell	Shania-Rose
2K	Elliot	Alice	Laurie
2L	Aurora	Jody	Ala
3B	Presley	Arthur	Kazhen
3E	Ula	Kal'el	Adam
4P	Shay	Jack	Ana
4R	Mason	Miron	Genevieve
5E	Eloise	Kyziah	Maya G
5T	Caleb	Alexa	Basiima
6A	Abigail S	Eiden	Eva
6BD	Aiden	Airas	Joseph

## Weekly Attendance

1P	96.43%	3B	93%	5E	88.15%
1W	99.64%	3E	99.09%	5T	90.77%
2K	87.14%	4P	98%	6A	98.97%
2L	98.21%	4R	96.54%	6BD	95.16%

Congratulations to **3E** who had the highest attendance last week for **KS2** and **1W** with the highest attendance for **KS1**. They will be caring for our Attendance Axolots.

**Congratulations 1P, 2L, 3B, 4P and 6A** who all had the best punctuality.

**School starts at 8:45**

## Diary Dates

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> May- BOOK FAIR

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May- Bank Holiday

WB 6<sup>th</sup> May- Deaf Awareness Week

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> May 2:30pm – Year 4 Assembly to parents

WB 13<sup>th</sup> May- Mental Health Awareness Week

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> May 5-6pm -RAFT online presentation

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May- PTA Summer Disco

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 4-6:30pm- An International Evening Celebrating “who we are”

Mon 27<sup>th</sup> to Fri 31<sup>st</sup> May- Half term break

Holiday Dates link:

<https://www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/Holiday-Dates-2024-2025.pdf>

## Reminders

### Arbor App Update

An email was sent with your log in details for the new Arbor App. If you have not received this, please email Michelle; [m.pay@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk](mailto:m.pay@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk)

### Attendance

As part of the DfE attendance campaign ‘**Moments Matter, Attendance Counts**’, we will be sending home weekly emails advising you if your child’s attendance falls to 90% or below. If you need support or guidance with attendance please contact Francesca,

[f.marbaix@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk](mailto:f.marbaix@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk).

### School Lunches and Dinner Money

If you would like to change your child’s lunch option please email Francesca;

[f.marbaix@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk](mailto:f.marbaix@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk).

**For Nursery children**, the cost of a lunch per day is £2.50. Please pay via ParentPay. Please be aware that packed lunches should not contain **nuts, sweets, chocolate bars, fizzy drinks, or peanut butter sandwiches.**

### Late pick up

If you are running late to collect your child please inform the office. If you have not arrived to collect your child by **3.45pm** you will be charged £4 per child. If you have not arrived by **4pm** your child will go into After School Club, where you will be charged £12.

## Music Lessons

[e.fellows@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk](mailto:e.fellows@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk)

**Brass lessons** or to join Brass Band: Christine Norsworthy (trumpet, cornet, French horn, tenor horn, trombone, baritone & euphonium)

[norsworthy.christine@gmail.com](mailto:norsworthy.christine@gmail.com)

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

**Woodwind** (clarinet & alto sax) and violin lessons: Spaces currently available. [efellows@fairlawnschool.net](mailto:efellows@fairlawnschool.net)

For **flute** lessons, please email [ndeaconflute@googlemail.com](mailto:ndeaconflute@googlemail.com)

**Drumming lessons;** Murray Anderson; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list [murray.anderson@lewishammusic.org](mailto:murray.anderson@lewishammusic.org)

**Guitar lessons;** Martin Budd; Spaces are available. Please email; [martinbuddguitar@hotmail.com](mailto:martinbuddguitar@hotmail.com) for further info.

Spaces available for one to one violin lessons with professional violinist, Shelley Deacon, contact email - [shelleyhector@hotmail.com](mailto:shelleyhector@hotmail.com)



Mr Aldridge's  
Sports News

[www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/enrichment/sports/](http://www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/enrichment/sports/)

### St. Michael's 0-0 Fairlawn

Fairlawn's girls' football team earned a hard-fought 0-0 draw against St. Michael's in the opening match of the Monday Night Football League at Haseltine last week. In a match that had several goalscoring opportunities for both teams, it was the two goalkeepers that earned the plaudits, both finishing with their team's player of the match awards. A huge thank you to Coach Mike for his endless enthusiasm and commitment.

Squad:

Year 5 – Ivy, Thea, Floella

Year 6 – Ana-Luzia, Nina, Nuala, Bea, Bruna

### Brilliant Beau!

A huge well done to Beau (6A) who crossed the finish line in 1<sup>st</sup> place in last week's London Mini Marathon event, beating over 150 other runners in wave 30 and finishing in a personal best time of 6mins 9secs. Incredibly, this was also his third victory in the last three years.



If your family has developed a recent buzz for running or you just want the chance to socialise with other families, then why not join the weekly park run in Peckham Rye Park every Sunday morning at 9am. Follow the link below for more information:

<https://www.parkrun.org.uk/peckhamrye-juniors/>

### Spring Term Sports Clubs

**Mon** – Years 5/6 athletics (starts 29<sup>th</sup> April)

**Wed** – Years 2/3/4 girls football (starts 1<sup>st</sup> May)

**Thurs** – Years 5/6 girls football training (am)

**Thurs** – Years 1/2 football

**Fri** – Years 3/4 football

There are still one or two spaces available in Monday's athletics club and Wednesday's football club. All other clubs are full. Payment can be made via Parent Pay.

**Please note that it is necessary for us to charge for clubs that are led by a specialist from outside of the school.**

### 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.

[s.aldridge@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk](mailto:s.aldridge@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk)



## PTA News

### FAIRLAWN FESTIVAL OF FUN SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> JULY



Planning is now in full swing to ensure this year's Summer Fair - the Fairlawn Festival of Fun - is a great success! We want this to be an exciting and inclusive event for everyone in our community to enjoy, but we need your help to make this happen!

At the moment we particularly need help with:

- Games ideas
- Raffle prizes

### GAMES IDEAS

We are looking for fun and inclusive games for the children to play at the Fair this year. Games already confirmed include:

- Splat the Rat
- Duggy's Balloon Darts
- Football Kick Out

Do you have a particular games stall you're keen to invent and run? Email; [fairlawnssummerfair@gmail.com](mailto:fairlawnssummerfair@gmail.com) or use the QR code to register your ideas.

### RAFFLE PRIZES

Do you know of a local business that might be interested in supporting our school with a raffle prize, or can you donate a prize? Email; [fairlawnssummerfair@gmail.com](mailto:fairlawnssummerfair@gmail.com) or use the QR code to

Finally - Important early call out for keen gardeners - We've started planting our seeds of Cosmos, sunflowers and tomatoes for sale at the summer fair. We'd love to see a thriving plant stall with lots of plants to buy and we'll need your donations.

Please register any of the above via the email: [fairlawnssummerfair@gmail.com](mailto:fairlawnssummerfair@gmail.com) or use the QR code to register your ideas and volunteering for the fair.



#### Who is the Summer Fair team 2024?

We are Year 5 parents/carers: Jackie, Janelle, Susanna, Bea, Claudia and our PTA treasurer, Pollyanna. Come and join us!

### 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/fairlawnppta/>

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.

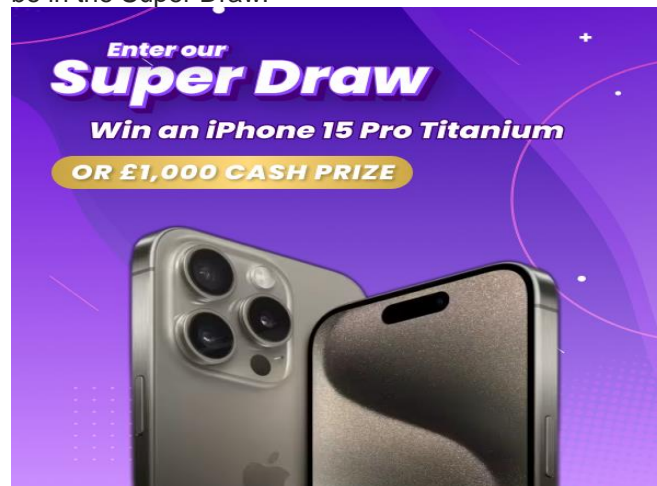
**Sign up to Your School Lottery and Lottery Gift Vouchers** Congratulations to, **Fiona Suarez** and **Laura Austin Croft**, our School Lottery winners last week. Do sign up to help us raise funds by joining Your School Lottery for as little as £1 per week.

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/fairlawn-primary> and search for Fairlawn.

**### Instagram###** Follow us on Instagram **#fairlawnprimarypta**

The prize this term is an iPhone 15.

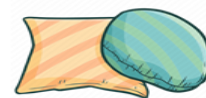
This April you'll be in with a chance to **win an iPhone 15 Pro Titanium** – the lightest, strongest iPhone ever, with the most advanced iPhone camera system yet, for professional quality photo and video, and it's great for fitness, gaming, and keeping connected too! Just make sure you have your tickets before Saturday 27th April to be in the Super Draw!



*We need donations for our new reading room!*

*Please bring any of the below to the office:*

- Blankets/Throws
- Cushions
- Bean bags



*Thank you!*

*Fairlawn Reading Ambassadors*