



Together Everyone Achieves More



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week we would like to start by saying a huge THANK YOU to all of our staff and parents who battled to get in despite the tube strikes this week. In particular some of our staff took HOURS getting to and from work, and we truly appreciate their commitment and dedication to school. We would also like to thank our fabulous staff who have given up their whole week to take 24 of our year 5 children to the Lake District. Although they are having a wonderful time, it is a lot of hard work and they are on duty 24 hours a day. Without staff volunteering their time we would not be able to run these visits. We would also like to congratulate the children who went who have been phenomenal ambassadors of the school all week. Do check out the photos on our website, as they have done some amazing things!

As you will know, we have celebrated World Book Day this week. We hope that the children enjoyed our pyjama and hot chocolate day, and the chance to talk about their favourite books. We would like to thank you all for supporting this and for the fantastic 'story spud' potatoes. We will be sharing pictures on the website and Twitter, so please do look out for them.

Finally, we hope that you have read our communication about the situation in Ukraine. We know that families are keen to help with fundraising to support the people out there who are affected and we are very thankful for your kindness. Our School Council are organising some fundraising opportunities, so please do watch this space as we will let you know what we will do.

We hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Mr Harris and Mrs Mansfield

WOW Badge competition

We are inviting all the children to design a Walk on Wednesday badge, with this year's theme being "Walk through time". This could be a design inspired by prehistoric creatures like dinosaurs, ancient societies such as Romans and Egyptians, or events that had made the world a better place. The designs should be bright and colourful, and will be judged by our Junior Travel Advisors, and the best three will be submitted to the competition. We have sent out the template on Studybugs. If you are unable to print it out, you can come to the main office to pick one up. Entries should be handed to the main office by Friday 11th March.



Spring arts competition

For International Women's Day on Tuesday 8th March, we will be doing an art competition as part of our own #BreakTheBias campaign here at Curwen. Children are invited to create a piece of artwork celebrating the achievements of women or raising awareness against bias. You can find more information about accepted media, how to enter the competition, and additional inspiration in the message sent on StudyBugs, and on Google Classroom.

The artwork should have your child's name and class printed clearly on the bottom right if possible. This should be handed in to their class teacher by Friday 11th of March, so they can be passed to our Art Ambassadors to be judged.

A first, second, and third place winner will be selected from each of the EYFS, KS1, lower KS2, and upper KS2 phase groups.



BEST WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

3H, 5B & 5L—100% attendance!

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Dinner Week Menu: 3





TT Rockstars



Story Spud Winners



Round 19 (Friday 17:00 - Tuesday 19:00)

3H	V	6B	6B (332) v 3H (79)
5C	V	6U	6U (154) v 5C (82)
4K	V	4C	4C (466) v 4K (382)
4A	V	2R	4A (725) v 2R (73)
2W	V	1L	2W (136) v 1L (133)
3L	V	6C	6C (226) v 3L (150)
1SN	V	5B	5B (78) v 1SN (23)
1K	V	3B	3B (860) v 1K (79)
5T	V	2M	2M (74) v 5T (25)
3G	V	1I	3G (1275) v 1I (2)
6H	V	5L	6H (70) v 5L (0)
2S	V	4N	4N (154) v 2S (43)

AM—Aafiyah

PM—Amelia

RDR—Eesa

RM—Gigi

RMC—Amelia

RC—Faizan

1K—Jessica

1I—Kashaf

1L—Ahmed

1SN—Eesa

2W—Lewis

2S—Chloe

2R—Lorenzo

2M—Laham

3B—Thiago

3G—Aarib

3H—Elyse

3L—Leonardo

4C—Iqra

4N—Sarrinah

4K—Lorenzo

4A—Isabelle

5C—Ibrahim U

5B—Anyia

5T—Sabrina

5L—Holly

6H—Ayaan

6C—Ransey

6U—Oliver

6B—Glenn

LST—Olayinka

Teacher winner—Ms

Parent winners—Tanzeha 5T
and Jasmine 3L

McGarva

Team Points:

Benjamin Zephaniah— 722

Charles Dickens— 557

Roald Dahl— 543

Julia Donaldson— 280



Embrace

On the 11th of February, we had a non-uniform day to raise money for Embrace, a charity that supports child victims of crime. We are pleased to announce that we have raised £379.80, so a big thank you to you all who donated to this good cause. On May 14th, Miss Miles, our SENDCO will be climbing Mount Snowdon to raise money for Embrace as well.

Please look at [Miss Miles' Just Giving](#) page for more information.

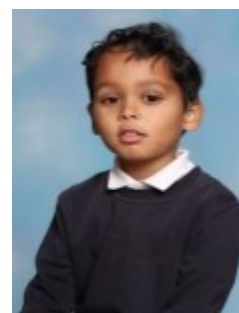


Kindness Cup Winners



Aayan—1SN

For always being polite, kind and helpful to peers and adults.



Reminders for the Week

Upcoming Trips:

- Forest School for 4K and 3G on the 9th March
- Stratford Youth Zone for 4N & 4K on the 9th March and 4C & 4A on the 10th March
- Battersea Park for all year 4 on the 11th March

Other reminders:

- Please drive and park considerably outside the school gates when picking up your child, to ensure everyone's safety
- After-school clubs are dismissed from the Stock Street and London Road entrances every day, except on Friday where pickups are from the main office.