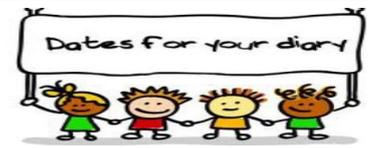


Winston Way Weekly NEWS

Friday 16th November 2018



Class Assemblies:

KS1 - Thursday 9th, 1TH at 10.15am

KS2 - Thursday 9th, 4JM at 10.30am

Trips:

Tuesday 20th November: Year 2 - Tower of London

Wednesday 21st November: Year 4 - Metro bank

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well I have just come to the end of my first full week here at Winston Way and I have to say what a happy week it's been. I've really enjoyed meeting lots of you and lots of the children. It is good to see the children's level of confidence, when they have come to speak to me. I've been asked my name on numerous occasions, asked how to pronounce my name properly and asked about my background. I've also been asked a lot about Mr Pasola's baby girl (Mr Pasola tells me that she is well, but he's finding things difficult because of sleepless nights). To my surprise, numbers of children have also asked me about the children's book that I have written and about the characters in the book. And some children have introduced themselves to me who have relatives in my other school, Shaftesbury Primary, near Green Street in Forest Gate.

I'm really pleased with the way the new arrangements for the start of the day have begun. It is heart-warming to see the playground full of children, parents, carers, teachers and support staff, socialising before the school day begins. Lots of parents and children have told me how much they like it. Also pleasing is to see children happily playing with the new playground equipment at break times and at lunch times.

The school's aquarium has also had a makeover. New fish tank equipment and lighting have been installed and the tank stocked with new young tropical fish. The aquarium has already inspired some marvellous artwork from Year 2.

In more serious news, the school received nominations from four parents who would like to be considered for being members of the school's Local Advisory Committee. Being that we will need just two parents to sit on the committee, a ballot is to be arranged where every registered parent or carer with us will be able to vote for their preferred parental candidates. We are scheduled to have our first new Local Advisory Committee meeting on 11th December 2018.

The penultimate thing I'd like to say is what a hard working team of adults there are here at Winston Way and how fortunate I am to be working alongside them for the benefit of your children. With such a team in place, I'm sure the school will go from strength to strength now.

And lastly, I'd just like to remind parents and carers about the importance of children's very good attendance at school. Children with the best attendance at school typically achieve best. Similarly, children who arrive on time everyday also achieve very well. Poor attendance and poor punctuality makes children anxious about school and can negatively impact upon children's ability to learn.

Thank you so much for your attention and best wishes.

Yours faithfully

Achievement Stars of the week

1TH- Yean
1NK- Ayza
1MA- Alisha
2SN- Afrin
2AK- Amal
2PD- Rajvir
3MR- Zunairah
3AA- Tahmeed
3AS- Hina
4KD- Roshen
4JM- Siddarth
4FO- Chitranshi
5QC- Daniel
5SI- Arif
5MJ- Meher
6CD- Ahmed
6ZN- Umar
6SS- Shaaf
6AW- Raayen

Staff Star of the Week:

Mr Quist



Attendance this week

1TH - 96.33%
1NK - 98.32%
1MA - 92.41%
2SN - 96.00%
2AK - 92.14%
2PD - 99.31%
3MR - 93.33%
3AA - 94.00%
3AS - 99.31%
4KD - 97.14%
4JM - 97.42%
4FO - 91.42%
5QC - 93.57%
5SI - 95.67 %
5MJ - 92.40%
6CD - 94.48%
6ZN - 98.37%
6SS - 98.21%
6AW - 92.26%

Attendance Stars:

2PD & 3AS - 99.31%

National Expectations: **96%**

