



19 April 2024



Dear Parents,

New Parent Governor

We are excited to inform you that we are looking for a new parent governor to join our school's governing body. If you are interested in this amazing opportunity to contribute to our school community, please ask the office for a governor application form. The deadline to apply is 10th May 2024 at 9am.

The Date Project

A parent is organising a collection for the charity The Date Project. The charity collect items which are added to date tins which this year are being sent to children in Syria. If you would like to send any items into school we would be happy to pass them to the parent.

They are collecting:

Small toys, hygiene Items, accessories, arts & crafts , Pens, Pencils, Crayons, Yo Yos, Sunglasses, Colouring books, Puzzles, Small toys, Bouncy balls, Note book, Stationery, Skipping ropes, T-shirts, Socks, New packaged underwear, Hijab, Dress/ kurta, Flipflops/ slippers, Sanitary towels, Kiddie plasters, Cards, Jewellery, Hairbands, Balloons.

Not to be included:

Food, liquids, anything that can melt, sharp objects, damaged or used items, war-related items such as play soldiers, toy guns or knives, fragile objects or medicine, sweets, chocolates, crisps, marshmallows, rainbow drops, gummies, candy, biscuits, drinks, chewing gum & fizzy pop.

If you would like to contribute then please send these into school by the 13 May 2024.

Non-School Uniform Day

The Friends of Parkgate Infants are organising a fantastic Spring Fair on the 17th of May after school, and we need your help to make it extra special.

We're having a non-uniform day on Friday, and we'd love for the children to bring in a cuddly teddy to donate to the fair. Please make sure it is a teddy that they don't mind donating!

Passover

Happy Passover to our Jewish Families.

Mr Pritchard

DATES TO REMEMBER

25/04/2024—Geography Curriculum Session
 26/04/2024—Fox Sharing Assembly
 26/04/2024—Non uniform day
 02/05/2024—PHSE Curriculum Session
 03/05/2024—Badger Sharing Assembly

Attendance

Well done to **class** who had this weeks best attendance!



Badger Class	98.8%
Fox Class	88.5%
Rabbit Class	95.4%
Squirrel Class	95.2%
Mole Class	91.2%
Hedgehog Class	88.5%

WEEK 2				
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Tex Mex Quorn Fajita (v) Rice or Tomato Bread	Chicken Pie Diced Potatoes or Couscous	Roast Chicken with Sage & Onion Stuffing & Gravy Roast Potatoes or Brown & White Rice	Beef Burger in a Bun Potato Wedges or Herby Bread	Salmon Fishcake Oven Chips or Tricolour Pasta
Creamy Macaroni Cheese (v) Rice or Tomato Bread	Moroccan Tagine (v) Diced Potatoes or Couscous	Plant Balls with Gravy (V) Roast Potatoes or Brown & White Rice	Roasted Summer Veg Pasta (V) Potato Wedges or Herby Bread	Classic Cheese & Tomato Pizza (V) Oven Chips or Tricolour Pasta
Cheese Baguette (v)	Ham Sandwich	Tuna Roll	Cheese Sandwich (v)	Egg Roll (v)
Jacket Potato with various toppings	Jacket Potato with various top-	Jacket Potato with various toppings	Jacket Potato with various toppings	Jacket Potato with various top-
		Halal Roast Chicken and Sage and Onion Stuffing with Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal		

Stars of the Week



Badger— Lorena
 Fox— Joaquim
 Rabbit— Matilda
 Squirrel—Yahya
 Mole— Kalina
 Hedgehog—Noah

Learning Awards



Badger— Nina
 Fox— Sofia
 Rabbit— Harry
 Squirrel— Myles
 Mole— Ayla
 Hedgehog—Finnley
Well done!

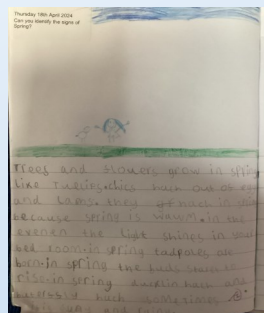
This week in Parkgate Pirates....



This week, we have been talking about our Easter holidays and all the lovely things we have done with our families. Children were invited to draw a picture of their favourite activity during the holidays.

As the weather has been really windy in the last few weeks, we made and decorated our own paper kites and the children were really excited to try them out after school.

This week in Rabbit class



This week in science we have been looking at the signs of spring. We talked about all four seasons and the changes that we see from Winter to Spring. We went on a walk around school and looked for signs of spring. We took photographs and then wrote all about the signs of spring.

Easter Reading Challenge

How lovely to see what the children have been reading over the Easter break! Well done to all those who took part in the challenge. Most will have received their certificate and jazzy pencil by now, with the rest following next week.

Water Bottles in Bags

If at all possible, could we please ask that water bottles are not put into children's school bags unless absolutely water-tight. We've had several instances of soggy, mouldy and now unusable library and reading books. Sadly, these will have to be paid for.

School Gates

Please ensure that if you come into the school grounds during the school day that all of the gates are properly closed behind you.

Donations for nursery

Mrs Paton has asked if anyone would be able to donate any 2 wheeled cycles suitable for ages 4, 5 and 6 and any old towels please.

Many thanks



Super Star Sport

SUMMER AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS



Looking forward to welcoming your children back for our next Summer Term!! We have our popular Football Club, Cheerleading & Gymnastics! Don't miss out!



12 WEEK SUPER PROGRAM



TUESDAY- FANTASTIC FOOTBALL (Reception, Year1&2)

START DATE: 16th APRIL 2024 – END DATE: 9th JULY 2024

TIMES 3:10PM – 4:10PM

JUST £69 FOR OUR 12 WEEK SUPER STAR SPORT PROGRAM.



THURSDAY- GYMNASTICS (Reception, Year 1&2)

START DATE: 18th APRIL 2024 – END DATE: 11th JULY 2024

TIMES 3:10PM – 4:10PM

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FRIDAY-CHEERLEADING (Reception, Year 1&2)

START DATE: 19th APRIL 2024 – END DATE: 12th JULY 2024

TIMES 3:10PM – 4:10PM

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For any additional information, please email us at operations@superstarsportnwl.com where Junior would be happy to answer any questions you may have!

HOW DO I BOOK???

Step 1: Enter the site www.superstarsportnwl.com

Step 2: Click 'BOOK NOW' on the home page

After clicking book now, you will be directed to another page on the site.

Step 3: Select your school/nursery location

Step 4: Select the block of sessions you would like to book your child onto and click 'info and booking'

Step 5: Once here please find the 'book this class'

Step 6: Time to sign up your child!!!! (If you have not created a profile with us, there is a short profile creation process)

Step 7: Your child attends their Super Star Sport club!!!

Subject to Cancellation depending on booking numbers



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| Childcare | Breakfast Clubs | Lunch Clubs | PPA Cover | After School Clubs | Holiday Camps |

Parkgate Infant School Summer 1 Term **Crazy Kwik Cricket Club**

(Wednesdays)

Cricket: Years Reception – Year 2

Start Date: Wednesday 24th April 2024

End date: Wednesday 22nd May 2024

10 bookings required for club to run

5 weeks – £27.50

3:15pm – 4:15pm

Book by 22nd April



Please go online to secure your child's booking:

www.xtratime.co.uk

CHILDCARE VOUCHERS ACCEPTED

Please then go to "School Sports Clubs" and then find the club you wish to book onto using the drop down box labelled "Select Your Child's School to Complete Your Booking Form"

Email: sportsservices@xtratime.co.uk

We run a pay as you play Saturday football fun club every week, all year round for Ages 3-13 at Cassiobury Junior School from 10am-12pm and Knutsford Academy from 9:30am- 11:3am. Please see the website for more information and refer to our terms and conditions.



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Join our **FREE**, 12-week healthy lifestyle programme to help your family build habits around food and physical activity. Our In-person group sessions start on:

Date: Wednesdays from 24 April **Time:** 17:30 till 19:30

Venue: Leavesden Green Community Hub, Watford WD25 0BW

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