



Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another great week at Horn Park, with children demonstrating the school values in a variety of ways.

We are so incredibly proud of how our Year 1 children have applied themselves in the Phonics Screening Check they have completed this week. Their confident application of learnt sounds is testament to the progress they have made this year. It also takes a lot of precise teaching, planning and assessment from the adults working with the children; a huge thank you to Miss Roast and Mrs Woolner, and all adults involved in reading groups across the year, for their dedicated approach.

On Wednesday, our boys football team took part in a local tournament, making it all the way to the semi-finals! The Team showcased fantastic skill alongside teamwork; we are always proud to hear lovely feedback from other schools about the respect our children display. Let's hope the England men's team have similar levels of success as the World Cup kicks off this week.



Today also saw girls from across years 5 and 6 take part in a cricket tournament at Blackheath Wanderers Sports Club. Having been inspired by their recent trip to Lord's Cricket Ground, the children did themselves proud with their performances. With the Women's T20 World Cup starting in England today, they are sure to have further inspiration.

We also have a request to support the Year 6 end of year production: they are in need of large pieces of cardboard to help make props and performance aids. If you have any large pieces of cardboard at home, or have good contacts on how to source this, please let us know by emailing [hornpark@compassps.uk](mailto:hornpark@compassps.uk)

Looking ahead to next week, please be reminded that on Friday (19<sup>th</sup> June) children are invited to come to school in their own clothes in exchange for a donation of a bottle (alcoholic or non-alcoholic) which will be used as a prize on the tombola at our PTA Summer Fair next month.

Also on Friday, we have our [Inclusion Coffee Morning](#) at 9am. At this coffee morning, Ms Kutchesfahani will be sharing information and practical strategies to support children with dyslexia, spelling difficulties and reading challenges. This informal session provides an opportunity to meet other parents and our SENCO in a relaxed and friendly environment. Please report to the school office on arrival.

After school on Friday, [the PTA](#) are holding a Father's Day Tuck Shop in the playground at 3.15pm. You can read [more](#) about their pre-order service [here](#) and orders can be placed by Thursday [here](#). There will also be a small selection of items for sale on the day.

Sports Day is getting closer and closer, taking place on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June - you can read more about this [here](#). We are excited to again be able to use the excellent facilities at Sutcliffe Park, and keep everything crossed for a good day of weather.

Have a lovely weekend,

Jack Green

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### Racial Literacy Parent Forum

Friday 3rd July at 9.05am

At Horn Park, we are committed to ensuring every child continues to feel that they belong. This final parent forum of the year is an important next step. Together, we will begin shaping a shared Statement of Inclusion and Belonging; something that will help guide our school moving forward. This is your chance to have a direct influence on what this looks like in practice.

## Dates for your diary

- 16/06: [Year 1 Forest School Teddy Bears' Picnic](#)
- 17/06: [9am – 9.30am Reception Stay & Play](#)
- 17/06: [Year 3 Maritime Museum Trip](#)
- 17/06: [Year 6 Junior Citizens Trip](#)
- 18/06: World Cup themed school meal
- 18/06: [Year 5 Queen's House Trip](#)
- 19/06: [9am Inclusion Coffee Morning](#)
- 19/06: Non-uniform day – Bring a bottle (alcoholic or non-alcoholic) as a donation for the Summer Fair tombola
- 19/06: [3.15pm PTA Father's Day Tuck Shop](#)
- 23/06: [Year 4 Horniman Museum Trip](#)
- 24/06: [Year 5 WW2 Day](#)
- 26/06: [Sports Day at Sutcliffe Park](#)
- 01/07: [Year 2 British Library Trip](#)
- 01/07: [Year 3 Avery Hill Cricket Trip](#)
- 02/07: [Year 1 Cutty Sark and Greenwich Park Trip](#)
- 02/07: PTA Summer Fair – [More info to follow](#)
- 03/07: [9.05am Racial Literacy Forum](#)
- 07/07: [Reception Cutty Sark Trip](#)
- 08/07: [4.30pm – 5.30pm Year 1 & 2 Forest School and Camp Fire Family Evening](#) – register your interest to attend [here](#)
- 09/07: [2pm Sycamore Sports Day](#)
- 13/07: 2pm Year 6 Production
- 14/07: 5pm Year 6 Production
- 15/07: Year 6 Leavers' Disco – [Info to follow](#)
- 16/07: Year 6 Leavers' assembly
- 16/07: Last day of Summer 2 term
- 17/07: Inset day – School closed to children
- 20/07: Inset day – School closed to children
- 21/07 – 31/08: **SUMMER HOLIDAY**
- 01/09: Inset day – School closed to children
- 02/09: Inset day – School closed to children
- 03/09: **Children return to school for Autumn 1 term**

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Term dates for this and next academic year are [here](#).

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## Attendance Matters

**Good attendance is key to success both educationally and beyond. For this reason, we aim for 100% attendance.**

This week's attendance: 96%

Best Year Group: Year 4 – 98%

## Book Recommendation

Sycamore are reading 'The Darkest Dark' by Chris Hadfield. The story is about a boy called Chris who dreams of becoming an astronaut. He is scared of the dark, but he learns to be brave and follow his dream.



We liked this book because it shows that everyone can have fears, and that we can overcome them. The illustrations are colourful and help tell the story. This book teaches us an important lesson about courage.

## ONLINE LEARNING (Homework)



Term Value:

Positivity

Lunch menu:

Week 1

w/c 15<sup>th</sup> June 2026

