

Weekly Newsletter 31st March 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

After what seems like to very quick 6 weeks, we find ourselves at the end of the spring term looking back and reflecting back on the wonderful learning opportunities children have engaged with.

There have been lots of trips around the school this week. Nursery and Reception both had a fantastic time on their trips to Mudchute Farm. Today Year 5 have enjoyed a workshop about the rainforest, and we were delighted to welcome parents into school for our online safety workshop.



At the beginning of the week, it was wonderful to have parents and carers join us for both of our spring concerts. The children who played their instruments did so confidently demonstrated such confidence in front of a large audience and the collective singing demonstrated the unity the children at Horn Park consistently represent. A huge thank you to Mr Gregory and all the staff who made the event possible.

Our Annual AGM meeting was held at the school today to discuss the PTA and how it can successfully run to support the school to build community and raise funds. The following roles were also decided on. We are pleased to say that Ozge Sabrioglu will take on the role of Chair and Helen Quinnell will be Secretary. We still have the Treasurer vacancy to fill. If you are interested in this role or would like to be part of the PTA, please email PFAHORN PARK@GMAIL.COM . We thank the PTA for their continued work in helping to raise funds for the school.

Some of you may not know that for the past few years we have been registered with easyfundraising which means you can raise FREE donations for us every time you shop online. Over 7,000 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! It's completely FREE and only takes a moment. Some of the things we have planned which this money will help support are: Arty Party Visit, a visit from a mystery sportsperson, new playground equipment music and ICT resources for the children. More details on how to sign up can be found at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/>

As the term ends, we would like to wish Miss Wickes and Miss Charman all the best as they both take on exciting new roles within specialist education. We are grateful for their dedication to the children and community of Horn Park.

We hope you have a lovely and restful Easter break and look forward to welcoming you all back Monday 17th April.

Zoe Crosland and Jack Green



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BOOK RECOMMENDATION



Sycamores have been reading 'Farmer Duck' by Martin Waddle & Helen Oxenbury. This story is about a lazy and old farmer who spends all day in bed, while his poor duck does all the hard work on the farm. He never thanked him and never helped. One evening, the exhausted duck collapses in tears, to be comforted by chickens. The farm animals are very fond of the duck, and outraged by the farmer's behaviour, so they hatch a plan.

'How goes the work?' 'Quack!'

NOTICES

Easter Break: Mon 3rd - 14th April
(Children return to school 17th April)

Year 2 Prince Phillip Collection trip:

Poplars: Tuesday 25th April

Beeches: Wednesday 26th April

Bank Holiday - School Closed

Monday 1st May

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Monday 8th May

International Evening:

Thursday 25th May

Half Term:

Monday 29th May - 2nd June

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ONLINE LEARNING (Homework)



French phase of the week:
Joyeux Pacques! - Happy Easter

Term Value
Unity

Lunch Menu: 1
w/c 17th April



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