



The JHPS newsletter

Friday 6th March 2020

The Jenny Hammond Primary School

Roll of Honour

The following children were chosen by their teachers in our assemblies this week:

Conker: Theo and Alexandra

Acorn: Archie and Alma

Sequoia: Miray and Dylan S

Holly: The whole class for their brilliant World Book Day, (WBD)!

Rowan: Kovon and the whole class also for their amazing WBD!

Willow: Josh, Sammi and Caitlin

Juniper: Mahdiya, Sumaiya and Arthur

Aspen: Bea and Henry

Lilac: Shaylan, Ibrahim and Raphael

Maple: Yman and the whole class again for their fantastic effort for WBD!

Sycamore: Stanley, Clara and Victory

Chestnut: Zakariya, Angelica and Oliver

If your child is named please ask them to show you their certificate and explain why they were chosen this week.

STAR ATTENDANCE FOR LAST WEEK GOES TO:



**Maple
with a brilliant 99%**



The school's attendance target is 97%

This week's team points have been added together and the winners are:
Seacole with 639 points

Celebrating children's achievements is supported by article 29 of the UNCRC.

IMPORTANT DATES

Science Week

Monday 9th to Friday 13th March

Year 4 Trip – The Tate

Wednesday 11th March

Year 6 Trip – Science Museum

Thursday 12th March

Year 3 Trip – National Gallery

Tuesday 17th March

Year 1 Trip – Natural History Museum

Wednesday 18th March

Sports 4 Schools Olympian Sponsored Event

Friday 20th March in school

Year 4 Trip – Natural History Museum

Tuesday 24th March

Year 5 Trip – Walthamstow Wetlands

Wednesday 25th March

Year 1 Trip – Museum of Childhood

Monday 30th March

The Big Sing Soul Concert

Monday 30th March, Buxton School, 7pm

Year 5 Trip – National Gallery

Tuesday 31st March

Year 2 Trip – Natural History Museum

Wednesday 1st April

NSPCC Assemblies & Workshops

Thursday 2nd April

Easter Holidays

Monday 6th April to Friday 17th April

Easter School for Year 6

Monday 6th to Wednesday 8th April
9.15am to 1.30pm

Children return to school on Monday 20th April

Year 4 Bikeability

Tuesday 21st and Wednesday 22nd April

Year 5 Bikeability

Monday 27th to Thursday 30th April

Year 3 Bikeability

Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th May

Visits are supported by Articles 31 (leisure, play and culture) and 15 (freedom of association).

World Book Day

A massive thank you to all the staff, children and parents for the amazing effort that everyone put into making our World Book day a great success. Everyone looked incredible.

Check out @JennyHammondE11 on Twitter to see some of our brilliant book characters.

SCIENCE Gadget Shop

Next week we are celebrating National Science & Engineering Week with workshops, trips, experiments and a very special 'surprise' visitor to our school on Wednesday which we are very excited about.

To run alongside Science & Engineering Week I am once again running my Science Gadget Shop from the school hall where I will be selling Science Gadgets, costing from 50p to £3.00, for the children to buy. Any profit made goes back into buying science resources for our school.

The Gadget Shop will be open from 9am to 9.20am every morning next week except Monday morning and every afternoon, including Monday at 3.30pm to 3.50pm. Please find me by the bi-fold doors of the hall in the main school playground.

COVID 19 - Coronavirus

You will all be aware of the coronavirus through the news and updates you have been receiving from school through parentmail. The school now receives daily updates from Public Health England, the Government and the Department for Education and any information they ask us to share with parents is sent out to you by parentmail.

At the moment the advice is to continue as normal with the day to day routines of the school, school trips and visitors to the school, alongside the washing of hands on a regular basis with soap and warm water, drying your hands thoroughly.

If anything changes in this information you will be informed as soon as possible.

POWer Project due dates

Hand in date: 26th March 2020

Parent Exhibition: 2nd April 2020



Today in assembly, the children were told about a special event that will be happening on **Friday 20th March 2020**. We will be having a visit from Olympic athlete Peter Bakare, who represented Team GB in Volleyball at London 2012.

Peter will be leading a sponsored fitness circuit with all of our children, and will follow-up with a talk and question & answer session. The aim of the event is to inspire the children to take up sport generally, but just as importantly to encourage them to discover and then pursue their passion in life.

You child is bringing home a sponsorship form for this event.

As the sponsorship form and online sponsorship page explain, much of the money that is raised will be used to improve physical activity for the school, while also supporting GB athletes (including Paralympic athletes).

For more information, visit our website or the Sports for Schools website at www.sportsforschools.org.

Sponsorship forms and money raised should be handed in to the office no later than Friday 27th March 2020. We can't wait to meet Peter in two weeks time!

Notice Board!

• GLA Mayoral Elections

The school is closed to children on Thursday 7th May as we are being used as a polling station. Please ensure you make arrangements for your children to be looked after and inform any afterschool club provider of the closure.

• May Bank Holiday

The school is also closed to children on Friday 8th May for the May Bank holiday and for the 75th VE Day Commemorations.

• The Great Daffodil Appeal

You can now pick up your daffodil pin badge at the school office in return for a donation to Marie Curie.

• Big Sing Soul Concert – Year 3 & 4

You still have a time to return your slip if you would like your child to take part in the concert on Monday 30th March at Buxton School. Slips should be returned as soon as possible so that we can order the tickets as well.

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IMPORTANT DATES

We will be celebrating these important dates and significant people in school.

MARCH

- St David's Day
- World Book Day
- Science & Engineering Week
- International Women's Day
- Clocks go forward - 29th March
- Composer of the month - Frédéric Chopin

