



Parents Breakfast

Thank you to the parents who turned out on Thursday 2nd February for our Parent Breakfast. The parents were given a hot breakfast and had the opportunity to speak to members of the parent association, members of the leadership team and our chair of governors.

Pabulum, our catering service, introduced their range of packed lunches which are being enjoyed by Y5/6 children. Parents requested for the lunches to be later trialed in earlier years.

Ms Pellicci introduced our new supplier for uniforms, see information in the box opposite. After school clubs for younger children was also an area raised by parents, Ms Pellicci is investigating this.

Parent breakfast will happen each month so look out for the next date!



Y1 Musical Trip

Year 1 visited the Royal Festival Hall to see the world famous London Philharmonic Orchestra at the annual Bright Sparks Concert. The children had learnt the songs to accompany the orchestra beforehand and were thrilled to sing along. They were very inspired by the musicianship and loved choosing their favourite instrument. After the concert we all walked along the Southbank looking at the old and new London architecture. All of the children behaved beautifully throughout and we were very proud of them!

Nursery admissions – if your child is born between 1st September 2013 and 31st August 2014 they are eligible for start Nursery in September 2017. Have you applied?

School Uniform

We are now using Price & Buckland to supply our school uniform. Please use this link:

www.pbparentsonline.co.uk/southwarkpark to create an account to get uniform delivered to your home address.



Dates for the diary

Friday 24th March – Comic Relief:
Dress up in Red Day

Tuesday 28th March am – EYFS
Performance

Wednesday 29th March – 3.30pm:
International Food Afternoon

Thursday 30th March pm – EYFS
performance

Friday 31st March – 2pm: Children
finish for Easter holidays

Tuesday 18th April – INSET Day:
school closed

Wednesday 19th April – School
open for children



Safer Internet Day

On the 8th of February the whole school enjoyed taking part in the Safer Internet Day. Children from Reception to Year 6 took part in a photo project to highlight how easy it is to change or hide reality by using clever photography, and to prove you can't always believe what you see!

In classes, the children worked with a range of photographs to learn about what can happen to any pictures shared online to help them understand that anything they share online no longer belongs to them. Older children looked at a simplified version of Instagram's terms and conditions, and discussed exactly why companies like this make their terms and conditions so hard to access!

Children from Y1 to Y6 attended workshops about what makes an appropriate online comment, and at lunchtime they were invited to take silly photographs of themselves in a photo booth in order to share the idea that photographs can be a lot of fun so long as you are aware of what they really might show!

All in all, it was an enjoyable and successful day, contributing a lot to the children's online safety!



Y1 & Y2 Road Safety

On 2nd February Y1 attended a road safety workshop in school. It taught the children how to cross the road safely:

- Use a zebra or pelican crossing
- Do not cross between parked cars as you cannot see properly.

Y2 attended a follow up session as they had watched the show last year. This reminded the children of the road safety rules.

The Parents Association need donations for the Summer Fair. If you're having a spring clean and come across anything that they can use please leave at the school office for the Attention of the PA.

F.A.B Team

As part of World Autism Awareness Week, the F.A.B team (Friends Against Bullying Team) will be running one of our Diversity Days on Monday 27th March. They will be running interactive workshops to help the other children understand more about autism.



Attendance & Punctuality

As of 28th February overall attendance at Southwark Park stood at 95.20%.

We need to be achieving over 96%.

Proof of illness needs to be bought in when a child is off, otherwise it will be unauthorised.

Anyone with under 90% attendance will be called to have a meeting with the EWO.