



# Wormholt News

Friday 24th May

Head's Chat

Dear Families,

We've had a very busy week here and we are all ready for a week away from school.

On Monday, Year 2 went to the Tower of London and had a wonderful time - see their report later in the newsletter!



On Tuesday, a group of Year 5s went to the BBC garden to do some planting. These school trips are so valuable and enrich the children's learning so much.

After half term, we have lots of exciting activities, so please make sure you read the rest of the newsletter carefully.

This year, our Picnic in the Park will take place in the Autumn Term, so we can invite our new families. Don't worry though - we will all be able to get together at our Summer Fair on Wednesday 17th July - it should be great fun!



Today, every child from Nursery to Year 5 chose a new book to take home. I hope you enjoy reading them with your child. Year 6 chose their books last half term!

I hope you all have a restful and happy half term. We look forward to seeing you all back on Monday 3rd June! Please make sure your child is in school uniform and is on time.

Mrs Hargie

Headteacher

## Year 3 Trip to Kew Garden

Last week, the year 3s had a fantastic time at Kew Gardens, where they explored many different types of plants which linked to their science topic for this term. Year 3s are currently growing their own plants in their classrooms, so they were fascinated to discover plants from all over the world (with some interesting names) and excited to find out how they are looked after. They also got to explore the amazing play area after having lunch in the garden tent. It was a lovely day and was thoroughly enjoyed by all staff and children!



## Sports Day

We are pleased to announce our Sports Day dates this year. These are always a lot of fun! Parents/carers please come along and join your child/ren on the day. We know how much the children enjoy seeing you during this event. Dates for your diary:

**KS1 & Early Years Sports Day** : Wednesday 12th June in Wormholt Park.

**KS2 Sports Day**: Thursday 13th June . Please note , KS2 Sports Day will be held in Linford Christie Stadium. More details to follow



## La Paz Class at the Tower of London



On Monday, Year Two went to an amazing place called the Tower of London. It was the best! We went to the Bloody Tower that smelt like the past, it was pretty stinky. We saw Beefeaters and they said there are six black ravens at the Tower of London. They told us if all six ravens leave the Tower then England will fall. After that, we went to the White tower. We had to climb the spiral staircase, there were 204 steps! It was exhausting! In the White tower we saw lots of armour and weapons belonging to kings. Then we saw a dragon made of metal and gold. It was fantastic. We saw so many more things like guns, games and so much more. I love the Tower of London so much, it was the coolest thing I've ever seen.

Written by Danny and Daneer

## H&F's May half-term holiday fun and activities!

Join Hammersmith & Fulham for their FREE holiday activities and food for children and young people in H&F. Their May half-term activities run from **Monday 27 May to Friday 31 May 2024**.

# May half-term fun and food!

FREE activities and food for children, young people and families throughout the May half-term break, running from 27 to 31 May.

H&F's Holiday Activities and Food programme (HAF) offers a wide range of FREE activities across the borough, ensuring that every young person receives a nutritious meal.

Funded by the Department for Education, the HAF programme is designed to support families who receive benefits-related free school meals during school holidays. The programme offers a variety of free engaging activities and nutritious meals for children and young people across H&F.

Your child will qualify for the HAF programme if all these statements apply to you:

- your child or children are eligible for benefit related free school meals (FSM)
- you live in Hammersmith & Fulham
- your child or children are aged between 5 and 16 years.

Not eligible? Even if you don't meet the criteria, they have a number of spaces available for those not in receipt of benefit-related FSM. Please continue to register to book your place. Please note there are limited places available.

[Click here to register and book a place on the HAF programme](#)

## WEST Youth Zone Holiday Club

WEST Youth Zone Holiday Club are running holiday club sessions over half term for eight to 12-year-olds. Activities include sports, games, arts and crafts, and cooking sessions!



Junior WEST Youth Zone members can be booked into Holiday Club from Monday to Friday, 8am til 6pm. There is also an option to book in half days from 8am – 12:30pm or 1pm – 6pm. A full WEST Holiday Club session is just £14 and half day is £8. Breakfast, lunch and a snack from the BiteCity cafe is included (depending on session booked). The May half term holiday club will run from Monday 27th to Friday 31st of May. Unfortunately, members who join the holiday club will not be able to join the general Junior Club sessions on Monday and Tuesday.

Click [here](#), to join the fun! Please log in with correct member details and find the date in our booking system.

[Click here](http://www.westyouthzone.org/book-a-session) for more details or to sign up, visit: [www.westyouthzone.org/book-a-session](http://www.westyouthzone.org/book-a-session)

## Class Food Bank Donation



A big thank you to all the classes that have donated to the food bank so far: Year 5 (November), Year 4 (December), Year 6 (January), Year 2 (February), Year 3 (March), School staff (April) and Year 1 (May) Hammersmith & Fulham Food Bank sent their thanks to Wormholt Park School and told us that our school donations have helped to support over 2000 people a month! We agreed as a school that each month, one year group would collect items to donate to the foodbank.

Coming up it will be:

- June - Reception
- July - Nursery

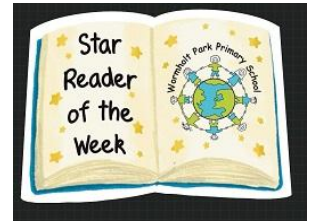
When we return to school (**June**) it will be the turn of **Reception**. They need food such as tins of soup, tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, cereal, tinned tomatoes, and rice pudding. At the end of each month the children in the class will deliver it to the food bank at white city. Thank you in advance for your support with this.



## Reader of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the Week are Zahra in Harare (Y1) and Ilyas in Tripoli (Y5)

Well Done!



## Book Prizes:



Congratulations to the following children who all won a book prize for reading this term: Tenaé (Nursery); Afiya (Reception); Karvel (Dublin); Abdi (Harare); Khadijah (Havana); Sana (La Paz); Tugra (Wellington); Chanel (Washington); Hanan (Athens); Anayah (Tripoli); Milly-Rose (Tokyo); Elias (Santiago) & Omar (Seoul).

Well done children, we hope you enjoy your book.

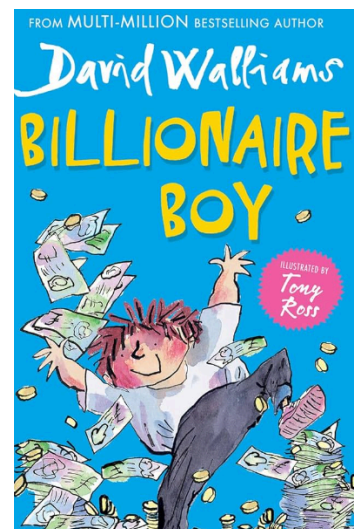
## Weekly Book Review

This week, we have a book review from Emnet in Seoul Class .

### **Billionaire Boy By David Walliams**

Say hi to the youngest billionaire in the world Joe Spud. Joe has everything he could ever want. A manor, an immense swimming pool, and a butler. He went to a preposterously posh school. He flew on private aircrafts whenever he went on holiday but all he really wanted was his father back to spend time with him. However, his father was too busy with his business and making money to even notice him because he got rich from toilet paper and different loo brands sold world-wide. Until one of the brands gave everyone a horrible rash. Leaving them penniless and bankrupt. Finally he had his father back with him.

I would recommend this book for the fantastic adventure that carries you along the waves of a brilliant story.



# Skills Builder Weekly Challenge

Have you been completing any of these skills builder challenges at home? Please let us know how you are finding these. Here is this week's challenge!

Skills Builder has resources available for parents/carers on their website. The [Home Zone](#) helps parents and carers to build their child's essential skills at home. Each week they have a different Skills Challenge that parents/carers can complete with their child. [Click here to visit their website](#)



## Skills Challenges

[See all Skills Challenges](#)

Either on your own, or in a group invent a brand new type of chocolate and design the wrapper.

Consider:

- What type of chocolate do you want to use? (For example, dark, white, milk)
- Do you want any additional flavours? (For example, mint)
- What do you want to call your chocolate?
- What information do you need on the wrapper?

**Extension:** Present your new chocolate to other members of your family or friends!

### Reflection Questions

**Getting Started:** How can you share what you imagine?

**Intermediate:** How can you come up with lots of different ideas?




**Advanced:** How can you combine different ideas to create new ones?

**Mastery:** How can you help someone else to be creative?

Creativity

# Sign Language - When?

27th May : this week's sign is; When

Makaton	British Sign Language (BSL)
 <p data-bbox="300 1638 381 1669"><b>When</b></p>	
<b>British Sign Language spelling (BSL)</b>	
	

# School Calendar



A monthly calendar for June. The header 'June' is written in a cursive font on a yellow background. The calendar grid shows days from 3 to 30. Key events are marked: 'Book to school' on Friday 3rd, 'School Uniform Recycling' on Tuesday 25th, and 'Birthday Bash' on Friday 24th. The calendar is decorated with a sun and clouds at the top.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	3 Book to school	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
16	17 INSET day	18	19	20	21	22
23	24 Birthday Bash	25 School Uniform Recycling	26	27	28	29
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Our School calendar is updated regularly. Please click the link to access it. [Click here to see](#)

## Attendance

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Wellington
2nd	Harare & Seoul

Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Washington
2nd	Athens

Well done to these classes!

## Useful Dates this term

Summer Term 2023	
Friday 24th May	Birthday Bash
Wednesday 12th June	KS1 Sports Day
Thursday 13th June	KS2 Sports Day
Friday 14th June	Ottawa (Reception) Class Assembly from 10.00am to 10.15am
Monday 17th June	INSET day - School is closed to pupils
Tuesday 25th June	School Uniform Recycling



Friday 28th June	Birthday Bash
Friday 12th July	Y6 Leavers Show from 2.00pm
Wednesday 17th July	School Summer fete from 4pm to 6pm
Friday 19th July	Birthday Bash

## Term Dates

Summer Term 2024	
Monday 15th April	Children back
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May	Half Term
Monday 17th June	INSET DAY
Friday 12th July	Year 6 Leavers' Show
Tuesday 23rd July @1.30pm	Last day of term