



Wormholt News

Friday 23rd May

Head's Chat

Dear Families,

We have reached half term and I hope you all have a restful week with your children.

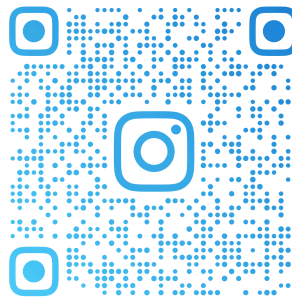
Today, we had our Gold Rights Respecting accreditation visit. Our visitors had a tour of the school and watched an incredible assembly from Ottawa. They commented on how lovely all our displays are and how calm and focussed the children are in their lessons. They absolutely loved the assembly, which was all about our Rights Respecting ethos. Well done Reception team 😊

The visitors then talked to our Rights Respecting Ambassadors and another group of lovely children. They were so impressed with how well the children can talk about their rights and the rights of others. They were able to talk about Equity, Equality and Dignity so articulately! We felt so proud of them all. It really showed how our RR ethos is so deeply embedded throughout the school.

We will be officially told if we have retained our Gold status by the end of the Summer Term. But a little birdie told me it's looking good....

We can't wait to get back after the half term, when we have so many exciting events going on!

Until then, have a great week off school everyone and please remember to follow us on Instagram! @wormholtparkprimary or use our QR code!



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From Mrs Hargie

Rights Respecting - Article of the Week

This week we are learning about and celebrating the following Article.

Article 13:

All children have the right to find out and share information

You can find out more about the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) by visiting their website: <https://www.unicef.org.uk/what-we-do/un-convention-child-rights/>



Inclusive Tennis Fun day - 7th June

The Queens Club Foundation would like to warmly invite families with children with SEN to a special **FREE** inclusive tennis fun day for children with special educational needs and disabilities on **Saturday 7th June from 11.00am to 1.00pm**.

The event takes place alongside the Surbiton Trophy – Para-Standing Tennis Tournament, where international players will be competing on the grass courts. It's a fantastic opportunity for children and families to enjoy some tennis in an inspiring and supportive setting.

For more information and to book your free place, please click the link below:

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/QCFCommunityClub/Coaching/Session/e2f982b2-a63c-4c28-a663-cfabb19f7e78>



Wormholt Wanderers Mayors Cup Saga

Ladies and Gentlemen, we have the Tale of a lifetime in store for you today! The Wormholt Wanderers valiantly battled away Northern School Competition to secure themselves a place in the Quarter Finals of the Mayors Cup Tournament! And to top it all off, the boys were given the chance to play at QPR's Football Stadium on the actual pitch! What an opportunity!

Match 1: Quarter Finals

The Opposition: John Betts. Our Squad; ready to go! It was a tight game to begin with. John Betts had strength on Wormholt but we were not ones to shy away! With a beautiful combination of passes, we managed to get the ball into the danger zones and put the pressure on John Betts. The ball arrived to Abed on the wing, who pushed it back into the middle to Admir who laid a perfectly cushioned pass back out K'Shon who unleashed a shot of pure unmitigated fury and it slammed against the woodwork with a rattle. We were inching closer to a goal and the Wormholt Boys were hungry! After successfully defending a wayward shot from the John Betts skipper, Harry, our brick wall goalkeeper lobbed it up the pitch. Brought down beautifully by Admir, he turned, with only one plan in mind. A laced shot towards the right corner of the goal found its way to the hand of a John Betts Player. Penalty.

K'Shon stepped up. Goal! And Wormholt were up 1-0 against John Betts with less than 3 mins left to play. The final whistle blew and Wormholt were in the Semi Finals of Mayors Cup for the first time 10 Years.

Match 2:

The adversaries: Larmenier and Sacred Heart. Wormholt Wanderers: Nervous but ready. Larmenier played tight, guarded football. Communication was key and our boys tried their best but Larmenier's superb striker got the better of us and it was 1-0 loss. Spirits had to be kept high because there was still a third-place match to be played.

Match 3:

Holy Cross. If you ever want see a nail-biting match, this is the one for you! It had it all: goals, injury, penalties and controversy! This was going to be our toughest game by far. Holy Cross played quick and fiery football that really put us on our toes. It was a tight game from the offset with both teams giving away possession far too quickly! We piled on the pressure towards the end of the first half and were rewarded with a wonderfully worked cross from Muhammad which was comfortably tucked away in the bottom corner by Admir. Holy Cross equalized almost immediately due to crumbling communication. 1-1 at the end of the half but legs were tired. The second half started rocky with a few near misses from Holy Cross but Harry kept us out of trouble for as long as he could. Abed played a low ball into K'Shon

which he laced into the corner of the goal. 2-1, We were on our way to victory but with a failure to track back from our midfield, we were left wide-open and Holy Cross equalized 5 mins into the second half . At the final whistle, it was 2-2. Time for penalties.

Harry wins the coin toss. 3 penalties each and then sudden death. We take first:

- Wormholt Scores!
- Holy Cross Scores.
- Wormholt Scores!
- Holy Cross Misses
- Wormholt Misses!
- Holy Cross Scores

It's 2-2 at the end of penalties which meant sudden death - I was not kidding when I said this would be a nail-biter!

Both teams went back and forth but due to sprinklers on QPR grounds being turned on at 2, the penalties were called off and 3rd place was awarded to both teams.

The boys would like to say thanks to their fellow Year 6's. Ms Hargie, Ms Riaz, Mr G and Mr Hoskins for coming to QPR to support and thank you to QPR for the use of their grounds.

Click here to read a [Press Release](#) and see loads of photos!

Year 2 Science Trip



On Monday Year two went to the Science Museum and I was so excited! We went through a special tunnel that led us to the museum. When we were inside we saw a picture of Amelia Earhart and it showed us information from the past. We saw the Wright brothers plane. Their names were Orville and Wilbur. We even went inside an olden days airplane. What was so surprising was the space capsule and flying model of the moon, Mars, Sun, Jupiter and Earth! Finally we had to go back to school but it was great!

I hope I get to go back soon. Written by Rayba



Half Term Events at Shepherds Bush Library

Shepherds Bush Library has a series of events planned for May Half Term:

- Tuesday 27th May from 10.30am to 11.00am - Storytelling and Rhyme (Children Under 5s)
- Tuesday 27th May from 2.30pm to 3.30pm - Craft Club (Children 3 years to 11 years)
- Saturday 31st May from 11.00am to 1.00pm - Lego Club (Children 4+ years)
- Saturday 31st May from 2.30pm to 3.30pm - Craft Club (Children 3 years to 11 years)



Telling Tales: Six Week Creative Writing Programme for 7-11 Year Olds

If you are 7-11 years and love to discover the amazing world of art, then this treat is for you! Join the team at Shepherds Bush Library from **Saturday 24th May**, 11.30am to 1pm, for a **free** 6-week creative writing programme called Telling Tales, where imaginations come to life! You'll work with acclaimed virtuoso storyteller Sally Pomme Clayton to become a poetry pioneer by creating and sharing stories you write alone and with others! You'll receive a certificate and have a fun special event at the end to mark it.



Spaces are limited and booking is essential. Please register your child for Telling Tales by scanning the QR code

Chelsea Soccer School



Have a look at these holiday courses!

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Fun, engaging, inclusive, safe football activity for Boys & Girls of all abilities, during the school holidays. Book now for our upcoming Holiday Courses in the May Half Term by scanning the QR code or visiting our booking website and using the below course code.

chelseasoccerschools.co.uk

Area	Venue	Dates
Wandsworth	Bottersea Park	27th - 30th May

Course Code	Ages	Cost
SS-BSP-L-102	5-13 Years	£120.00

H & F Festival of Cycling

Get ready for an action-packed day of cycling excitement at H&F borough-wide Festival of Cycling!

This free family event offers 'wheel-y' exciting activities, expert advice, and fun challenges for everyone – whether you're a complete beginner or experienced rider.



Activities run from **12 noon to 6pm on Saturday 24 May**.

Discover how to cycle around H&F safely and confidently on our many quiet roads and growing network of cycling routes with their marshalled, led rides. Pick from their pedal-powered programme of events and experience how cycling can be a fun, healthy and environmentally-friendly way to get around the borough. [Book your free place here](#)

Further information about the cycling activities which are taking place can be found on the [website](#)

H&F May half-term 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 holiday activities run from **Monday 26 to Friday 30 May 2025**.

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.

All activities aim to be inclusive and providers can adapt to meet additional needs if their risk assessment allows. Each organiser has provided further event details and information about how you [can book a space for your child](#). [Please contact individual providers for more information](#)

Not eligible? Even if you don't meet the criteria, we have a number of spaces available for those not in receipt of benefit-related FSM. [Please continue to book your place](#).

Skills Builder Weekly Challenge

Prepare a short speech to present to your family.

Suggested topic: My favourite season / time of year.

In your speech explain why this season or time of year is your favourite. Ask your family to close their eyes as you describe a scene from your favourite season. Can your family picture what you are telling them?

Reflection Questions

Getting Started: How do we know if we are speaking clearly?

Intermediate: As you speak how can you put your points into a logical order so you can be easily understood?

Advanced: How can you use tone, expression and gesture to make your speaking engaging?

Mastery: How can you adapt the content of what you are saying, in response to listeners?

Speaking

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](#)

Weekly Book Review

This week we have a book review from Ilyas in Seoul Class (Y6)

Book Review: Eagle Strike (book 4) - Alex Rider by Anthony Horowitz

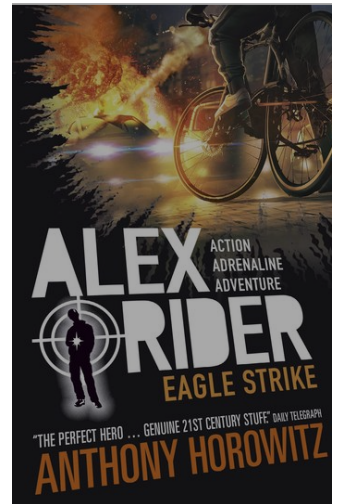
The book is about a boy named Alex Rider working as a spy for MI6. Alex is on holiday in France when someone familiar arrives. After a closer look he finds that he is face to face with his uncle's murderer, the infamous contract killer YASSEN GREGOVICH!!!

Alex is a 14 year old fair hair and fair skinned boy. He's slightly arrogant but also bright and athletic. Not to mention, he's a master of martial arts earning a black belt at a young age. He's being taken care of by a lady named Jack Starbright as all of Alex's relatives are dead.

I love the part when Alex pieces up all the evidence and finds out that the person behind this scheme is a pop star named Damian Cray .

I would have no critiques about the book besides how Alex didn't have the courage to shoot Yassen Gregovich and let one of associates knock Alex out.

I would recommend this book to friends and family as this is a book you can enjoy even if you haven't read the first book. I'll also recommend this fans of Artemis Fowl

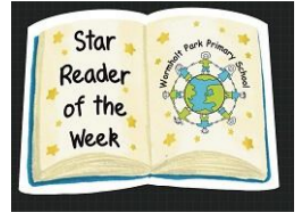


Our New Eco Team's Competition



Reader of the Week

This week, the Star Readers of the Week are Carter from Kelia Class (Y2) and Adnan from Seoul Class (Y6). Well Done both of you!



Attendance - this week



Please look at this chart .

The more time your child has off school, the less chance of success they have with their learning. Please only keep your child off school if they are genuinely unwell.

Best Attendance this week	
1st	Oslo
2nd	La Paz
Whole School Attendance this week	94% (let's get back to 95% next time!)

Best Punctuality this week	
1st	Washington
2nd	Lima

Well done to these classes!

School Calendar

Our School calendar is updated regularly.

Please click the link to access it. [Click here to see](#)



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1	2 Washington (Y1) Class Assembly	3
4	5 Bank Holiday	6	7	8	9	10
11	12 Year 6 SATS	13 Year 6 SATS	14 Year 6 SATS	15 Year 6 SATS	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 School Uniform Recycling	23 Glossa (Reception) Class Assembly • Birthday Bash • End of Term	24
25	26 Half Term	27	28	29	30	31

Useful Dates this term

Summer Term 2025	
Friday 23rd May	End of Term
Thursday 12th June	KS2 Sports Day
Wednesday 18th June	Nursery and Reception Sports day
Thursday 19th June	KS1 Sports day
Friday 20th June	Oslo Class (Reception) Assembly
Wednesday 25th June	Dublin Class Sports Day
Friday 27th June	Athens Class (Y4) Assembly
Wednesday 2nd July	School Uniform Recycling

Term Dates - 2024-25

Summer Term 2025	
Tuesday 22nd April 2025	Children back
Monday 5th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 26th May - Friday 30th May	Half Term
Friday 11th July	Nursery Last Day
Friday 18th July Finish @1.30pm	End of Term