



The Pilgrim Post



Issue 27 – Friday 9th June 2017

Dear Parents and Carers,

It is hard to believe that we are in our last term of this academic year already, although the weather does not seem to have got that message! When weather does permit, we like to get children outside for PE, so may I remind you that children need to have a full PE kit in school from Monday to Friday, including suitable trainers or plimsolls.

We have now had a visit from a surveyor regarding the possibility of improving access to the top playground for wheelchair users and families with buggies. After visiting the site, the surveyor thought that there could be the possibility of constructing a ramp and he has now gone away to calculate whether it is feasible within planning and Health and Safety regulations. We await his report.

Finally, an apology to those parents/carers who did not receive a text message invite to our Celebration Assembly today to see their children receive an award. It appears that a number of messages sent at the start of the week did not actually get delivered and therefore some parents were not able to attend assembly today. We are really sorry for this and are currently trying to work out how this happened. It is very important to us that we recognise and celebrate achievements, so we will endeavour to fix the problem to ensure that this does not happen in the future.

Best wishes for your weekend,
Mrs Meek

Pat on the back

Foundation

Rhianna M / Harry-Joe M

Year 1

Pawel K / James W

Year 2

Lucas A / Oliver G

Year 3

Summer M / Oliver L

Year 4

Turkan K

Year 5

Silas C

Year 6

Yousef A

Star Writer

Foundation

Yasmin S-M / Lana Z

Year 1

Jayden J / Lacey T

Year 2

Lucie L / Oliwer G

Year 3

Keiron B / Sulaf G

Year 4

Maahil M

Year 5

Freya B

Year 6

Devon W

Star Mathematician

Foundation

Malik A / Rusty J

Year 1

Tyler J-E / Daniel P

Year 2

Alleigha P / Hachem K

Year 3

Juled R / Ben A

Year 4

Theo B

Year 5

Corey H

Year 6

Tristan E

Attendance - Our Target is **96.3 %**

Week Ending 9th June 2017	Whole School Attendance	Best Class Attendance	Best Class Punctuality
Last Week	95.6%	Yr1 Seastars (98.7)%	Yr FHT (1 Late) Yr 4SC (1 Late) Yr 6KB (1 Late)
Year to Date	96%	Yr 6 Eagles (97.2)%	Yr 6KB (28 Lates)



House Point Totals



Smeaton	Eddystone	Douglass	Rudyard
167	127	157	151

Year 6 went to **Plymouth Guildhall** to watch the Band of the Royal Marines. We enjoyed listening to the music, learning about the instruments and we loved watching the drummers!



On Thursday 25th May, Year 4 Lions went on a trip to explore the **Barbican and the Hoe** in order to answer our theme question...

'Is Plymouth the best city in the U.K?'

We began with a treasure hunt exploring the historical and cultural features of The Hoe, before



hopping aboard a boat to enjoy a cruise of The Dockyard.

Afterwards, we walked back to The Hoe to enjoy a picnic in the sun underneath Smeaton's Tower.

Pilgrim's **Tag Rugby team**, made up of boys and girls from Years 4, 5 & 6, entered into a city-wide competition at Plymouth Albion Rugby Club that was attended by more than 50 primary schools.

We got off to a flying start with a triumphant win. As the weather began to heat up, so did the competition on the pitch.



The team then suffered three narrow defeats, losing out by only one try in each of the games, which meant that the competition was over but the afternoon's games were played for fun.

Ellie, who captained the team for the event, congratulated the players for their efforts and said she "felt the team played very well".

After only a few training sessions, the team represented the school in a fantastic manner on and off the pitch and will look to improve on their results in next year's competition.

Well done to the Tag Rugby team!



Dates for your Diary...



23/06/17 – Foundation Sports Day
26/06/17 – Sports Day (KS1 am / KS2 pm)
07/07/17 – Summer Fair
17/07/17 – Yr5 Bikeability (Mon – Thurs)
25/07/17 – End of Summer Term
06/09/17 – Return back to school

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