



The Pilgrim Post

Issue 10 – Friday 29th June 2018



Dear Parents / Carers,

Next week is **Money week** in school and the children will become budding entrepreneurs! Each class will be given a £20 budget with the aim of the week being to make as much profit as possible on their Summer Fair stall. The children will be taking on all roles associated with creating and marketing a product and I look forward to seeing their creations on sale on Friday.

Hot weather conditions

The children have been coping very well with the recent hot weather and have spent many happy playtimes on the school field. As this hot spell continues, please ensure that children have a plastic bottle with water in school at all times - we are happy to refill bottles throughout the day to ensure that the children are well hydrated. Caps, sunglasses and sunscreen are encouraged too.

End of year arrangements

We are coming to the time of year when we start to draw this year to a close and to plan for the new academic year in September. On Monday, you will receive your child's annual report. Included, is a slip which details who your child's teacher will be for the next year and a section to **return to school** with any comments and to confirm that you have received the report. If you wish to discuss the content of the report with your child's teacher, please feel free to make an appointment.

Next week, the children will start their transition sessions with their new teacher. This year, we are planning more sessions than we have in the past, so that the children and the teachers can really get to know each other well. On Wednesday 18th July, the children will spend time in their new class bases with their new Teacher and Teaching assistant. This will be the final transition session and we would like you to **pick your child up from their new classroom doors**. For (current) Years 4, 5 and 6, the pick up will be from the front of the main reception area. We hope this will be a chance for you to informally meet your child's class teacher before we break up for summer. As usual, we will arrange 'Meet the Teacher' sessions for September for a more formal meeting between new teachers and parents/carers.

Retirement news...

We are sorry to be saying goodbye to Mrs Rose Harman at the end of this academic year as she retires (although, as Mrs Harman says, she is looking forward to many new adventures!). Mrs Harman has been a valued member of the Pilgrim team for 13 years and has taught many children during this time – she will be missed very much by all the staff and children.

Wishing you a lovely weekend (hopefully in the sunshine)

Mrs Meek

Star Writer

Foundation

Frances M / Alison O

Year 1

Christina P / Sasha W

Year 2

Liam R / Millie M-C

Year 3

Daniellis J / Oliwier G

Year 4

Keiron B / Sulaf G

Year 5

Mila M

Year 6

Faith W

Star Mathematician

Foundation

Zico J / Abdulrahman A

Year 1

Adam K / Caitlin M

Year 2

Josh R / Zack W

Year 3

Lucie L / Myles G

Year 4

Yousef G / Maddy L

Year 5

Yahya A

Year 6

Kimberley B

Pat on the Back

Foundation

Vinnie M / Miley P

Year 1

Tugce K / Casper B

Year 2

Wiktorina N / Alessia L

Year 3

Oscar M / Olivier B

Year 4

Milanas P / Eryk N

Year 5

Keegan H

Year 6

Hari S-K



House Point Totals



	Smeaton	Eddystone	Douglass	Rudyard
Scores to date	3717	3505	3459	4414

Attendance - Our Target is **96 %**

Week Ending 29/06/18	Whole School Attendance	Best Class Attendance	Best Class Punctuality
Last Week	96.7 %	Yr 2HG (Penguins) 100 %	Yr FSM (Bear Cubs) Yr 2HG (Penguins) 0 Lates
Year to Date	95.6 %	Yr 5SR (Dolphins) 97.6 %	Yr FHT (Fox Cubs) 58 Lates



Learning Mentor Assembly

We had a goodbye leaving assembly last week for two Learning Mentors, who are moving on to new placements. The children that Sharon and Sam have worked with all wrote lovely cards about the work they had done together and we were sad to see them go. We wish them luck in their new roles!

Summer Fair

The Fair will have a WORLD CUP theme! Please come and join us on Friday at 2.30 pm to browse the stalls and activities – make a purchase from the class stalls to support their class' Money Week endeavours...

Congratulations, Kacper!

Kacper has been awarded the South West BASH Award (Being Active, Safe and Healthy) in the category for 'Trying new activities and sports'. We are all so proud of him.



Sports Day

Phew, what a scorcher! KS1 and KS2 had fun in the sun on Tuesday taking part in our annual Sports Day. Well done to all, but particularly to Rudyard Team who were overall winners of the cup!



Dates for your Diary...



w/c 02/07/18 – Money Week
06/07/18 – Summer Fair 2.30pm
09/07/18 – EYFS Sports Day 2pm
11/07/18 – Healthy Smiles – 2nd Application (Yr1 & Foundation)

03/07/18 – Transition Meeting 2.45pm (FS – YR1)
06/07/18 – Yr5 Widening Horizons (Princess Yachts)
10/07/18 – Yr 5 Widening Horizons Graduation Ceremony
19/07/18 – EYFS Learning Party 2.30pm

20/07/18 – End of Summer Term

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