



# The Pilgrim Post



July Issue 10 – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2016

Dear Parents and Carers,

I cannot believe we have only 2 weeks left until the summer holidays but we are still very busy here at school. We have had two super class assemblies from our Year 2 Penguins and Owls, both with an Olympic theme and it was lovely to see the assemblies so well attended by parents and carers. Last week, our Year 3 children all took part in a grand event at the Guildhall to show off their ukulele playing skills and three of our Year 6 children represented Pilgrim in a 'Rock Star Times Tables' competition, doing really well in making the final stage. This week, Year 5 have attended their 'Widening Horizons' project graduation ceremony at the School of Creative Arts and Year 2 enjoyed an end of year trip across the water to Mount Edgcumbe.

Looking forward, next week sees the start of Money Week; each class will be given some cash to try to turn to profit at the Summer Fair at the end of the week. The class who have made the most profit will be announced in our final Monday assembly of the year. Good luck to all teams!

Also next week on Monday morning, the children will have their first opportunity to meet their new class teacher and teaching assistant. There will be another session like this on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> and we hope that this will ease their transition into their new year groups after the summer break.

Please take time to read the letter accompanying this Newsletter about the Summer Fair and I do hope to see you all there next Friday on a 'sunny' school field!

Mrs L Meek

## **Writer of the Week**

### **Foundation**

Ellie H, Junyi Z

### **Year 1**

Levi M, Harry A

### **Year 2**

Yousif A-S, Mia C

### **Year 4**

Amelia L

### **Year 5**

Wiktorina M

## **Mathematician of the Week**

### **Foundation**

Martin E

Daniel C

### **Year 1**

Hayden H

Tammy W

### **Year 2**

Jercila C

Dylan S

### **Year 3**

Yahya A-S

### **Year 4**

Erin W

### **Year 5**

Tommy H

### **Year 6**

Emily S

Maks J

Christian V

## **Pilgrim Pat on the Back**

### **Foundation**

Lacey T, Michal B, Eduardo G, Simon T

### **Year 1**

Lucas A, Lacey L, Layla D, Chloe H

### **Year 2**

Amelia G, Lana G, Mackenzie S, Lleyton S

### **Year 3**

Theo B, Sota I

### **Year 4**

Levi F, Kane L

### **Year 5**

Allan T, Toby B

### **Year 6**

Jacob A, Mason H



**Attendance - Our Target is 96.3 %**

<b>Week Ending 8<sup>th</sup> July 2016</b>	<b>Whole School Attendance</b>	<b>Best Class Attendance</b>	<b>Best Class Punctuality</b>
<b>Last Week</b>	<b>94.2%</b>	<b>Yr 6 98.1%</b>	<b>Yr 5 (0 lates)</b>
<b>Year to Date</b>	<b>95.7%</b>	<b>Yr 5 97.1%</b>	<b>Yr 5 (30 lates)</b>

**MEALTIME ASSISTANT VACANCY****£8.25 per hour Mon-Fri 12.15-1.30pm (term time only)**

**Required from September 2016** to join our MTA team in a range of duties assisting children with their lunches, supervising outdoor play activities and supporting good behaviour in the playground. Applicants should be patient, understanding and responsive and able to build positive relationships with children whilst establishing boundaries. Team work is essential. Experience of working with children would be advantageous but training and support will be given. **All applicants must complete an application form available on our school website: [www.pilgrimprimaryschool.co.uk](http://www.pilgrimprimaryschool.co.uk)** or see the School Office for further details.

**An enhanced DBS is required for this post. Interviews will be held before the end of term**

**Supervision of your children on the climbing wall before school**

I have noticed that some children using the climbing wall before school are climbing UP and OVER the wall. Of course this could result in an accident. The children should climb across the wall sideways and not upwards. Please help us out by supervising your children using the climbing wall before school to reinforce this rule.

Please may I remind you that pupils SHOULD NOT be coming onto the school site before 8.45 am, unless attending Breakfast Club.

**Dates for your Diary...**

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> July – meet my new Teacher (session 1)

Fri 15<sup>th</sup> July – Summer Fair

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July – meet my new Teacher (session 2)

Thur 21<sup>st</sup> July – Leavers Assembly & Leavers party

**Last Day of Term Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July**

**The new term begins for pupils at 8.50 am on WEDNESDAY 7<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER**