



# Grange Primary School News of the Week

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FRIDAY 19TH JULY 2019

## SUMMER HOLIDAYS

September 2019

Wednesday 4th

September—

Friday 18th

October 2019

Children will return  
to school on

Wednesday 4th

September 2019



## Happy Summer Break!

Dear Grange families,

The end of a school year is a time of mixed feelings. We say good bye to Year 6 as they leave us to start Secondary School in September. Watching their production of 'Grease' made us really appreciate what a talented group of youngsters we are sending into the wider world. We will miss them all but know they will be a credit to Grange Primary School and to their families as they start the next phase of their education.

Thank you to our staff team, a hardworking and brilliant group of people. Please join me in thanking them for all the times they go above and beyond!

We are losing some staff this year and will miss them! We would like to wish them the very best on their future journey.

Lastly, we would also like to thank all parents and carers for their support this year. A great deal of what we do in school cannot be achieved without you and your co-operation and support. We look forward to continue to work closely with ALL our parents in September. Now, it is time for a summer holiday!

Best wishes from the Grange Team.

## Local Heros



Year 4 have been working collaboratively with London Collage of Communication as part of a 'Local Heroes' art project. Galaxy and Supernova nominated former Grange pupil and recipient of the Victoria Cross, Albert McKenzie as their local hero. The children worked together successfully to produce a large-scale sculpture of Albert McKenzie, which has been exhibited at London College of Communication alongside projects from other local schools. We look forward to displaying the sculpture at Grange once it has been returned to us.

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### Sun

Sun Class have been getting ready for their transition from Nursery to Reception. They have received their certificates proudly this Thursday during our graduation ceremony. Then we had a party to have fun together before the holidays. This is all very exciting. We have had a great year and we wish all children and their parents and carers fun and restful holidays :) See you all in September! We also wish good luck to all the children who are moving on to other schools.

All the best from: Kat,  
Stephanie and Clare :)



### Moon

This week Moon Class visited the Unicorn Theatre to watch a modern take on Aesop's Fables. We thoroughly enjoyed the performance and we had great fun acting out some of our favourite fable stories in the classroom afterwards.

### Venus

Venus Class have been enjoying their last week in Year 1. The children have had a great week celebrating and having fun before their summer holidays. The children even had a chance to have a party and disco.



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### Planet Earth

Planet Earth have had a lovely last week together, we enjoyed our party and the children are excited about starting in Year 3.



### Saturn

This term we have been learning the recorders and this week we had the opportunity to showcase our talents to some of the other classes. The children in year 3 have worked very closely with our recorder specialist Mr Wells over the last few weeks and have learned new songs to sing and also developed several skills required to play the recorder. If your child has access to a recorder over the summer break they could show you what they learned and practise some new songs!



### Galaxy

This week Galaxy Class have been creating a Roman shield, completing Maths tests and revising Grammar rules ready for Year 5. They also visited an exhibition at the LCC and saw a model of Albert McKenzie they created, as part of a 'Local Heroes' project. Well done Galaxy, you have had a fantastic year's learning!



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# Nursery Graduation!



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Southwark Music Service and Hub



## Splash Summer 2019

Southwark Splash started to tell the historic story this year of the 400 years since the Mayflower's epic passage from Rotherhithe to America with song and dance. Our Year 5 pupils, Pluto Class, worked with expert tutors from Southwark Music Service and Southwark Music Hub. What a wonderful performance! It was fantastic to see the children from Grange Primary dancing, singing and performing on the stage at the Queen Elizabeth Hall with such confidence and enthusiasm. Well Done Pluto Class. We are very proud of you!

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### Pluto

Pluto Class performed amazingly at the Queen Elizabeth Hall last Tuesday as part of the splash project! Thank you to all the parents for supporting the children throughout the project and coming along to watch them for the final show.

### Sky

This week, Year 6 gave the best performance of their lives. It was so good that we forgot to take pictures of the actual performance. Many hours was spent rehearsing for the show to ensure that what we gave was everything we had. If you were lucky enough to see it, you would have agreed it was amazing.



## ATTENDANCE & PUNCTUALITY

School Year 2018-19		%
<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Whole School</b>	95.1%
Key Stage 1 Winner	Planet Earth	96.2%
Key Stage 2 Winner	Pluto	96.7%
<b>Punctuality</b>	<b>Whole School</b>	97.2%
Key Stage 1 winner	Mercury	98.8%
Key Stage 2 winner	Aurora	98.1%

### Daily Mile

As you know, recently, we joined the Daily Mile Challenge. Today our play workers are drawing this to a closure for the summer with a whole school dance routine. Thank you to all our play workers who have done an amazing job with organising the activities.

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