

Weekly Newsletter Summer Term 2

Friday, 21st June 2024



A Message from our Headteacher

Dear Parents,

What a great week we have had at Grange.
Congratulations to all our pupils who attended sports day. A fantastic time was had by all.
Thanks to Miss Leena George and Miss Naomi
Claridge who planned and led the fantastic events, thanks to all the parents who came along, raced and supported the children.

Extended school clubs

The extended school activity clubs will continue to run weekly this term until week commencing Monday 1st July.

KS2 Dance Squad Success

Congratulations to the KS2 Dance Squad who one first prize at the Southwark Schools Dance competition which was held at Redriff Primary school on Wednesday evening. We are incredibly proud of you all, well done for bringing back the trophy!

Official London Theatre Kids Week

Take a look at the "Kids Week" theatre promotion where you can get a child ticket to 50+ London theatre shows with the purchase of a full priced adult ticket. There are some fantastic deals on offer and great opportunities.

https://officiallondontheatre.com/kids-week/

Next year's classes

As we begin to prepare for next year we have started to organise the children's classes. In some year groups classes have become uneven in size so we have regrouped the children. Children in the current Year 1 and 3 will remain in the same class for the next academic year. All other year groups will remain in single form classes Year 2,4,5 and 6 but the pupils have been reorganised. We have carefully grouped the classes for next year to ensure pupils are with friends and that there is an even number of boys and girls in each class. You will be told which class your child is in on their school report.

Summer Cricket

Last year, SPCC ran a cricket festival for the very first time. We are really pleased to share that they will be running another festival this year and you are all invited to attend. This 2-day event will take place on the 6th and 7th July in Southwark Park. Saturday will be for juniors and women and Sunday will be a men's 6 a side tournament. This event is free for anyone to come along. At the end of the newsletter there is additional information about all other junior cricket events taking place this summer so be sure to check it out!

Attendance

Please remember it is your legal duty as a parent to ensure your child attends school daily. It is tempting with rising living costs to take your child out of school for holidays, however this can result in statutory fines and involvement from family early help. Please ensure you report any absences to the office before 9am to ensure they are reported in line with our absence reporting system. Absence will be reported on your child's school report. If your child's attendance is currently below 90% you will be receiving a letter regarding absence and in some cases many of you will be invited to meet with me to discuss ways in which we can support, you with attendance for the upcoming year.

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend, and we will see you all on Monday at 8.50am.

Rebecca





School Information

Attendance & Punctuality Class Winners of The Week







| School Year | Class | % | |
|----------------|-----------|------|--|
| Autumn Term | | | |
| Attendance KS1 | Mars | 98.6 | |
| Winner | | | |
| Attendance KS2 | Supernova | 96.6 | |
| Winner | | | |
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| KS1 Punctuality Winner | Planet Earth | 97.0 |
|---------------------------|--------------|------|
| KS2 Punctuality | Galaxy | 97.2 |
| Winner | | |
| Rest of School | | |

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| Class | Punctuality % | Attendance % |
| Venus | 95.6 | 97.6 |
| Earth | 97.0 | 89.0 |
| Mars | 96.8 | 98.6 |
| Jupiter | 95.6 | 94.0 |
| Galaxy | 97.2 | 95.9 |
| Supernova | 93.5 | 96.6 |
| Neptune | 96.4 | 94.0 |
| Pluto | 96.9 | 94.7 |
| Aurora | 96.5 | 89.2 |
| Sky | 93.9 | 94.8 |
| Whole school | 95.9 | 94.4 |

Dates for the Diary



| 04/07/24 | New starters stay and play – current reception taken on park trip |
|------------|---|
| WB 08/7/24 | Year 6 residential trip |
| 11/07/24 | EYFS – YR parent transition meeting |
| 15/07/24 | Art week |
| 19/07/24 | Carnival and international food festival |
| 22/07/24 | Meet the teacher – classes to meet their teacher for next year |
| 22/07/24 | 2pm – Prize assembly |
| 23/07/24 | Year 6 end of year performance to parents 2pm and 5pm |
| 24/07/24 | Year 6 graduation 10am |
| 24/07/24 | Year 6 prom 5-7pm |
| 24/07/24 | Reports sent to parents |
| 25/07/24 | Last day of term – school closes at 2pm |



Winning Class: Mars Class

School's total points: 17,400

House Winners

| Tim Peake | 848 |
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| Stephanie Wilson | 766 |
| Neil Armstrong | 845 |
| Helen Sharman | 854 |
| Bernard Harris | 645 |



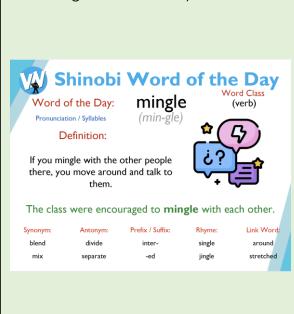
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Word of the Week

The word of the week this week is "mingle". Please spend some time discussing this word with your child.



Happy Birthday to You!

| First Name | Class | Age |
|------------|--------------|-----|
| Kabir | Supernova | 9 |
| Kayden | Neptune | 10 |
| Luis | Aurora | 11 |
| Halimah | Star | 4 |
| Zion | Pluto | 10 |
| Federico | Planet Earth | 7 |

Value of the Week

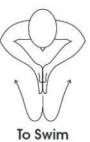
The value of the week this week was responsibility. Please take some time over the weekend to discuss this value with your children.

"A hero is someone who understands the responsibility that comes with his freedom."



Makaton Word of the Week

Along with our word of the week, our children will now be learning some sign language. We have many pupils at Grange that are non-verbal and one of the ways in which we communicate with them is to use sign language. We want all our children to be able to communicate with each other so felt that teaching our children to sign would help this. Please help us to learn together by practising this with your child at home.



Attendance Ladder

How close is your child to 100%?

| 0 days off school | 100% | Perfection |
|---|------|----------------|
| Equates to 2 days off school each year | 99% | Excellent |
| Equates to 5 days off school each year | 97% | Good |
| Equates to 10 days off school each year | 95% | Slight Concern |
| Equates to 20 days off school each year | 90% | Concerned |
| Equates to 30 days off school each year | 85% | Very Concerned |





Class Gallery

Year1 -Venus Class

Year 1 had a fantastic time at this years sports day. Thanks to all of the parents for their help and support during the event!









Year 5 –Neptune Class

We have been looking at the purposes of pulleys and levers in science. The children designed and made a pulley, they then conducted an experiment to see if it would be successful.











Rewards Years EYFS, 1 & 2

Core Value: Responsibility EYFS, Year 1 and Year 2

| Class: | VIP of the week | Reason for Award: |
|--------------|-----------------|---|
| Moon | | |
| Star | | |
| Venus | Abdul | Taking care of the bugs and plants in the playground. |
| Planet Earth | Parker | For being so sensible on the way to Sports Day! |
| Mars | Max | For amazing effort on Sports Day! |

| Class | Writer of the week | Reason |
|--------------|--------------------|--|
| Moon | | |
| Star | | |
| Venus | Rahim | Independently using colourful semantics and reading it aloud |
| Planet Earth | Harry | For progress in handwriting |
| Mars | Princess | For great perseverance in her writing this week, well done! |

| Class | Mathematician of the week: | Reason: |
|--------------|----------------------------|---|
| Moon | | |
| Star | | |
| Venus | Joey | by representing tens and ones in different ways. |
| Planet Earth | Stacy | For always trying his best in maths lessons |
| Mars | Yana | For trying her best throughout maths lessons this week! |

| Class: | Reader of the week: | Reason for Award |
|--------------|---------------------|---|
| Moon | | |
| Star | | |
| Venus | Amaal | Doing amazing in segmenting and blending words. |
| Planet Earth | Knadia | For amazing effort in reading this week |
| Mars | Safura | For excellent independent reading this week! |





Rewards Years 3 to 6

Core Value: **Responsibility Years 3 to 6**

| Years 3 to 6 | | |
|--------------|-------------------------|--|
| Class: | VIP of the week | Reason for Award: |
| JUPITER | David | for being sensible during sports day and the journey to the |
| | E | Venue. |
| GALAXY | Jimmy | For always taking responsibility for his learning and showing great focus! |
| SUPERNOVA | Kabir | For taking responsibility for his learning and the classroom. |
| PLUTO | Yosra | for settling into her new class beautifully and taking her learning seriously |
| NEPTUNE | William | For always taking responsibility for his learning and showing |
| 4115054 | 41C. O | great focus and determination. |
| AURORA | Alfie S | For his support during Sports Day |
| SKY | Nuraz | For his excellent efforts during our script reading. |
| Class | Writer of the week | Reason |
| JUPITER | Sophia | for a lovely effort in literacy this week |
| GALAXY | Alpha | A lovely non-fiction piece of writing about the Iron Age |
| SUPERNOVA | Yassin | Creating an excellent story plan. |
| PLUTO | Ralphie | Ralphie for working hard on creating fun limericks! |
| NEPTUNE | Aisha | For writing an excellent story independently last week, using high level vocabulary! |
| AURORA | Erik | For writing a brilliant report on a fictional creature! |
| SKY | Ayaan | For his hard work during topic. |
| Class | Mathematician | Reason |
| JUPITER | of the week: Ebrahim | for always trying his best in mathematics |
| GALAXY | Nabila | Great understanding about decimals |
| SUPERNOVA | Mikael | Excellent effort when learning about decimals. |
| PLUTO | Beverlyn | for showing remarkable progress in maths |
| NEPTUNE | Hafsah | For showing a good understanding of negative numbers |
| AURORA | Solihom | For the progress she has made this year |
| SKY | Toye | For his work calculating the mean of our science data. |
| Class: | Reader of the week: | Reason |
| JUPITER | Azion | for a brilliant effort in guided reading this week |
| GALAXY | Ololade | for improvement with her reading and fluency |
| SUPERNOVA | Kandji | An excellent improvement in fluency, particularly when reading non-fiction books. |





| PLUTO | Rhys | For reading with wonderful expression |
|---------|---------|--|
| | Luqman | For showing a good understanding of our class text, How to |
| NEPTUNE | | Train Your Dragon |
| AURORA | Mamadou | For the excellent progress he is making |
| SKY | Nelly | For her excellent comments in her reading record. |



FavouriteBo

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Parent/ Carer Information and Support

In an effort to encourage reading for pleasure each week one of our staff members will share their favourite children's book. This book will then be available for children to borrow to see if they enjoy reading it also. This week I have chosen one of my favourite books to share in assembly.

My favourite book is a Greek myth called The Odyssey. I like this book because the illustrations are really detailed and appealing. There are lots of mythical beasts that capture the imagination of the reader.

Each chapter is action packed and about a different stage of his journey.

And, who doesn't love a happy ending?
-Mr Crewe





Southwark Park Cricket Club

your local community cricket club

Everyone is welcome and we provide coaching, friendly and competitive cricket for Men and Women, Boys and Girls

Cricket for Kids and Teens

4 cricket programmes this summer in Southwark Park



Boys and Girls age 5-8 years old

All Stars is an entry level cricket programme aimed at girls and boys 5-8 years old. Sessions will take place for 8 weeks in Southwark Park on Saturday mornings from 8 June. Click here to register your child. FREE places for those on a low income, apply to southwarkparkcc@gmail.com





Boys and Girls age 9-11 years old

Dynamos is a match play programme for girls and boys 9-11 years old. Sessions will take place over 8 weeks in Southwark Park 11-12pm on Saturday mornings from 8 June. Click here to register your child. FREE places for those on a low income, apply to southwarkparkcc@gmail.com





Southwark Park Under 10 years old

Thursday evenings 5-6pm on the pitch in Southwark Park Free coaching for boys and girls who want to play in the SPCC U10 league team. You can register your child by emailing, Agnes: SPCCJuniors@gmail.com





Street Cricket for 8-14 years old

Friday evenings 4.30-6pm, run by the Surrey Cricket Foundation. This is for boys and girls who want to have fun and learn the game. Sessions are FREE and you can register your child by emailing, Coach Steven: slaroche@surreycricket.com







Our friendly squad has a dedicated professional coach. If you would like to try a new game or brush up your skills, come and be a pioneer of sport for women and ladies. Youths are welcome to join this sessions. Coaching sessions are held in Southwark Park Saturday mornings 10-12pm and are FREE.

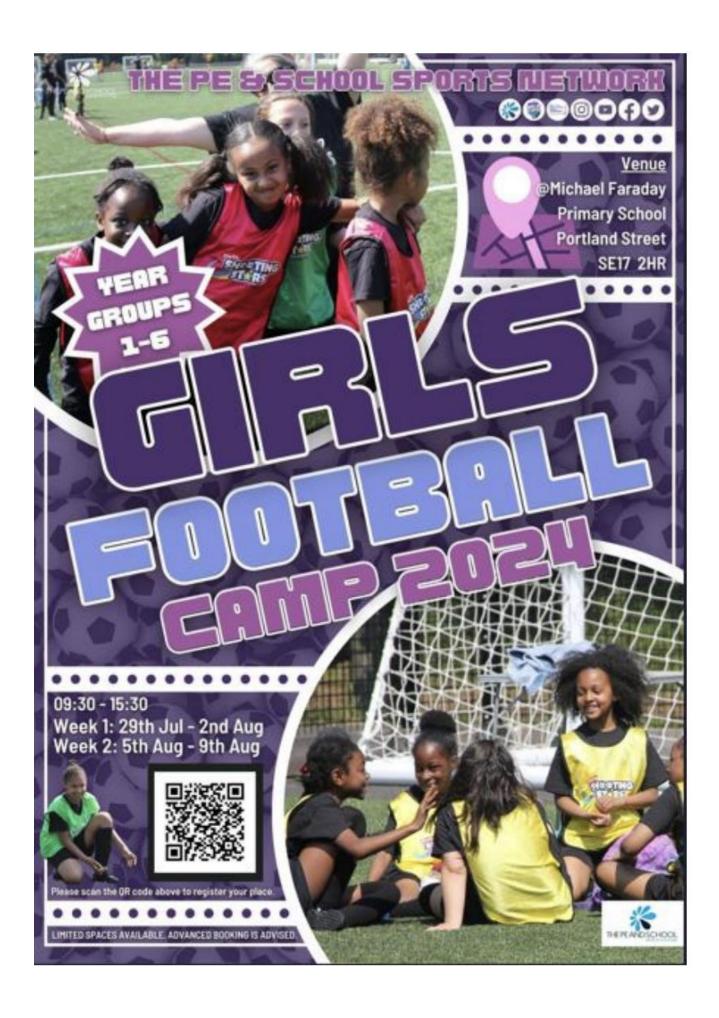
For more information visit our website or contact SPCCwomencricket@gmail.com

Cricket for Men



We run a First XI league team and 3 weekend friendly teams, as well as regular Interclub matches, Friday evening Pairs games and 2 Last Man Stands weekday evening teams.

Whatever your level, everybody is welcome to join and will get a game. For more information visit our <u>website</u> or contact <u>southwarkparkcc@gmail.com</u>



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Please pass this on to your pupils parents and guardians



IMPORTANT!

PLEASE ORDER BEFORE 31ST JULY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!

Please note: This date applies to schools returning at the start of September.

Parents of schools with earlier return dates will need to order sooner.

The summer is finally here and although here at Mapac we've already built up great stock levels to ensure your order is sent out in record time, there can always be issues that are out of our control, with this in mind please order as early as possible, especially if your child is starting school for the first time!

Orders placed up to and including the 31st of July will take priority over all our current stock so please place orders as soon as possible – This will help ensure that you receive your uniform in time as orders placed after this period are more likely to be subject to delays.







Thank you and have a great summer!

The Mapac Team

Click HERE to order!

If you'd like to have an update on your order, please email **tracking@mapac.net**

If you have received your order and have any queries, please email parentcustomerservices@mapac.net

Health and wellbeing



Sleeping early

"Early to bed and Early to rise, makes a person healthy, wealthy and wise". - B. Franklin

Ways your child can sleep early and peacefully -

- A warm, milky drink or a light snack.
- Havin a light chat with parents/guardians about their day.
- No screen time at least 1 hour before going to bed.
- Keeping the bedroom cool, dark and quiet.
- Setting a routine to go to bed before 9pm everyday.



