



Joy Lane Primary School Weekly Newsletter

20th April 2018

A Love of Learning, for Life, for All

HOUSE POINT RESULTS FOR TERM 4

Endeavour	Victory	Mayflower	Discovery
279	313	300	328

Congratulations to our Term 4 Winners Discovery with 328 points!

ATTENDANCE FROM 19/03/18 – 23 /03/18

Excellent Primary School Attendance means Better Progress & Attainment

Kandinsky – 89.4%	Klee – 93.1%	Kline – 92.5%
Vallotton – 92.2%	Van Gogh – 92.9%	Voysey – 97.3%
Picasso – 98.7%	Postgate – 91.1%	Potter – 93.5%
Renoir – 92.2%	Rodin – 98.1%	Rousseau – 96.8%
Hepworth – 93.5%	Heron – 98.8%	Hockney – 94.4%
Dali – 92.9%	Da Vinci – 99%	Oysters – 92.5%
Bailey – 91.8%	Banksy – 87.5%	

MESSAGE FROM MS HINES

It has been a pleasure to welcome you back to Term 5 which has been supported by the sunshine at its most glorious!

I would urge you to look at our School calendar for the next couple of months as we have many events where you are warmly invited – I wouldn't want you to miss out on anything.



The Stork has delivered!

During the Easter break, our Teacher Mrs Hollingsworth, gave birth to baby Freya (5lb) on Easter Sunday. Both Mother and Baby are doing well despite the fact that Freya arrived three weeks early! Luckily, Mrs Hollingsworth had a whole two days of maternity leave before she arrived!! I am sure you will join me in sending congratulations and best wishes to them both.

Dates

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Mrs. D. Hines

YEAR GROUP REMINDERS & INFORMATION

- Year R:** Please ensure all monies and consent forms have been sent to the School office for the forthcoming trip to the Gulbenkian Theatre.
- Year 2:** SATs Information – the children will be sitting their SATs during May and we attach further information for Parents & Carers in the form of an information leaflet from the Standards & Testing Agency and a presentation which can be accessed via the School's website under Parents / Parent Information Workshop. Click here → [LINK](#)
- Year 2:** **YEAR 2 REVISED SWIMMING POOL TIMETABLE**
This will take effect from Monday 23rd April:
- Monday – Potter Class Tuesday – Postgate Class Wednesday – Picasso Class
- Years 1 & 2: SPORTS DAY - CHANGE OF DATE**
The Years 1 & 2 Sports Day will now be taking place on:
Wednesday 27th June at 9:30am – 11:30am
- Year 5:** Over the next couple of weeks, the Year 5 children will be sitting their Cognitive Ability Tests. You will be provided with your child's scores prior to the Kent Test Information Evening on 23rd May 2018 at 6pm. The scores will give you an indication of your child's suitability for entry into the Kent Test (Kent Assessment Procedure).
- Year 6:** **RESIDENTIAL TRIP INFORMATION MEETING – WEDNESDAY 2ND MAY 2018 AT 6PM**
With the trip fast approaching, we would like to invite you to a meeting to share with you some information. This will be a valuable opportunity for parents & carers to learn more about our itinerary and programme of activities, what pupils will need to bring and what we hope they will gain from their trip. In addition, there will be an opportunity to ask any questions about our visit to Little Canada and meet the teachers who will be accompanying and supervising the children.



INFORMATION SENT OUT THIS WEEK

SATs Information for Parents – Year 2 & Year 6
SATs School Leaflet – Year 6
SATs Breakfast Letter – Year 6
Year 1 Leeds Castle Trip Letter
Travelling Book Fair Letter
Non Uniform Day Letter

PUPIL ABSENCES



In accordance with the School's Attendance policy, we ask that if you telephone the School office before 9am on each day that your child is absent. Thank you.

TRAVELLING BOOK FAIR

You are invited to come along to our Travelling Book Fair next week. The bookcases will be open in the following locations:



Reception, Years 1 & 2 – Lower School Hall
Years 3 & 4 – Years 3 & 4 Shared Area
Years 5 & 6 – KS2 Library

Parent and Carers, you are invited to shop with your children after School from 3:15-3:45pm. The children will also be given allocated slots to shop during the school day.

For further details, please refer to our recent letter. We look forward to seeing you there!

FORTHCOMING CLASS SHARING ASSEMBLIES

Look out for your child's Class Sharing Assembly and pop the date in your diary.

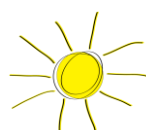
Friday 27 th April 2018	Van Gogh Class
Friday 4 th May 2018	Voysey Class
Friday 11 th May 2018	Klee Class
Friday 18 th May 2018	Kline Class
Friday 25 th May 2018	Kandinsky Class
Friday 8 th June 2018	Hepworth Class
Friday 15 th June 2018	Heron Class
Friday 22 nd June 2018	Hockney Class

REMINDER – SWIMMING POOL DOs AND DON'Ts

✓ **DOs** If you find your child has a verruca, please inform the swim team & class teachers, treat it and cover it for swimming. If your child has long hair, please ensure that is tied back for swimming.

✗ **DON'Ts** Please ensure that pupils do not wear jewellery during their swim session. They will not be able to enter the water with any jewellery other than medical bands. Please also ensure that talc is not used or brought into the pool hall.

WEATHER



The British weather is certainly unpredictable! We now seem to be enjoying a mini heat-wave and would ask that if you wish your child to wear sunscreen, this is applied at home before coming to School. Children may have their own sunscreen in school and will be responsible for applying this. If parents wish adults to guide the children in applying sunscreen in the younger year groups, then a personal discussion should be had with the adults in their class. We also recommend your child wears a sun hat during all outside activities and playtimes. During warm spells we encourage the children to drink more water, seek out shade and in exceptionally hot weather we shorten breaks to return inside.

PTINGS TO LOOK FORWARD TO ...



THE FRIENDS OF JOY LANE FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Thursday 26th April 2018 6pm – 10pm

Health & Beauty Evening

You can now purchase tickets for **£5 (CASH ONLY)**
from the School office.

A vertical poster for the 'Health and Beauty Evening' event. The background is green with bamboo stalks and white flowers. The text is centered and includes the event title, date, location, and a list of services and talks.

The Friends of Joy Lane
will be holding an evening of

Health and Beauty

Lower School Hall
Thursday, 26th April 2018
Tickets \$5, additional charge for treatments

Massage	Gel Nails
Manicures	Waxing
Pedicures	Brow Shaping

There will be talks on
Energy Levels for Busy Mums
Mindfulness and Meditation
Women's Health
Mental Health
Self-defence demonstration

Further information to follow.
Please look out for our posters
and Facebook posts

