

# **Godwin Newsletter 21st May 2021**

#### **Head Teacher's Message**

It has been lovely to see the children's art and design work developing over the summer term. The children have demonstrated imagination and flair as well as an eye for detail. From talking to them I know how much these session are enjoyed. UNCRC Article 29: Education must develop every child's talents to the full.

Thank you for all of your support with our fundraising initiatives to support Year 6's end of year events. This will make a big difference to the end of their primary school years. We have a few new things planned for next half term, including collecting loose change so please keep your small coins for us!

The weather this week has been very unpredictable to say the least! Please can we ask you to make sure that your child brings a coat to school every day so that they can go out at break and lunchtime if it is only light drizzle. We all know how important it is for children to get fresh air and have the opportunity to run around with their friends.

Best wishes for a relaxing weekend.

# **London History Day**

On Friday 28th May, to celebrate London History Day, we are inviting everyone to come to school dressed as someone linked to London who has shown resilience. It may be a person from history; it may be somebody from our family or friendship group. It can be absolutely anyone who has shown courage and strength of character.

Article 31: Children have the right to take part in a wide range of cultural activities.



#### **Hot Chocolate Fridays**

'Hot Chocolate Friday' every week.

This will be during school time each Friday afternoon.

Bring £1.00 to enjoy a hot chocolate and raise funds for our Year 6 end of school year activities.



## **School Mugs**

If you enjoy 'Hot Chocolate Fridays' then you will want to be a part of our next fundraising opportunity ......

Godwin Mugs - £5.00 each



To buy a mug, put £5.00 in an envelope with your name and class on the front, deliver it to the school office and we will get your lovely mug containing hot chocolate sachet and marshmallows(halal) to you!

They make a lovely gift for someone special or just a cosy treat for you!

(All proceeds towards Year 6 end of term events).

#### Ice Pop Tuesdays

From Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> May we will be having Ice Pop Tuesday. 2 pops for 50p (The pops are frozen fruit juice; orange, lemon, cherry and strawberry).

## Half Term Holiday

School will be closed for the half term holiday from Monday 31st May to Friday 4th June.

# **Half Term Activity Camp**



1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup> June 9.00am – 3.30pm Sandringham Primary School Ages: 4 – 11year-old £15.00 per child per day



To book visit:
Premier-education.com/holiday-camps

# **Newham Heritage Month**

22<sup>nd</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> May

'The Knowing Newham Hero Hunt'

Pakiki Theatre present a fun-filled family show and quest activity to hunt for Newham's hidden heroes.

Book a FREE place at

www.newhamheritagemonth.eventbrite.co.uk



# The Big Ask

In April, the Children's Commissioner, Dame Rachel de Souza, launched The Big Ask, which is the largest ever survey of children in England. It asks all children about their priorities and concerns for the future, so that we can put children at the heart of the national recovery post-COVI D-19. Has your child had their say about what matters to them? If not, then please consider supporting them in completing this survey and make their voice heard. Every single child's voice is important. The deadline for completing the survey is Friday 28th May - this is a great opportunity for our children to flex their article 12

muscles. <a href="https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigask/">https://www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigask/</a>

#### **Achievement Awards**

- 3B Ishaq for showing great perseverance and evaluation in his story writing.
- 3Q Noah for articulating his ideas in English.
- 3K Humera for persevering and improving her handwriting.
- 3M Ibnat for explaining her reasoning when answering multiplication word problems.
- 4B Elijah for his excellent use of fronted adverbials in his writing.
- 4T Isaac for motivating others to develop their oracy skills with confidence.
- 4I Samia for being kind and empathetic towards others.
- 4V Maryam for persevering to learn her times tables.
- 5Y Shanzay for persevering and taking pride in her writing.
- 5K Harpreet for always choosing to do the right thing and guiding her peers to do the same.
- 5S Michelle for doing her very best to be a collaborative learner.
- 5T Olivia for showing huge perseverance in her maths work on measuring angles.
- 6Z Anniah for being a good learning partner.
- 6J Altina for evaluating her writing so that improvements can be made.
- 6W Hamza for clearly explaining his reasoning in maths.
- 6B Adam for explaining reasoning in his role as 'cricket coach'.



#### **Year 6 Leavers Hoodies**

Parents/Carers of Year 6 pupils are reminded that the deadline for placing an order for a Leavers Hoodie is Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> May. Please hand your order into the school office as soon as possible.



# **Heroes Stamp Design Competition**

The Royal Mail Group are running a competition for children to design a stamp for their new series 'Heroes'.

To find out how to enter go to

https://www.stampcompetition.ichild.co.uk/

The closing date is Friday 28th May.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Entries must be made under the independent entry category – please do not bring entries to school.

Who is your hero? Who has made an impression upon you?

