



# Godwin Newsletter 15th April 2016

## New Term

Welcome back to the summer term at Godwin Junior School. We hope that you have all had an enjoyable Easter holiday and are refreshed and ready to meet the challenges of this term. On the reverse of this letter you will find the list of current diary dates. Please make a note of them on your calendar at home and look out for further updates of additional dates over the next few weeks.

## Access Education City at Home

The children can now access Education City at home, allowing them to continue their learning in the evenings, weekends and over the holidays. All children have been allocated their own usernames and passwords. To access education city go to <https://ec1.educationcity.com/>



## Day for Change 2016

Day for Change is Unicef UK's fundraising campaign. The children of year 6 are supporting this event and invite you all to support their fundraising effort by collecting your loose change at home in a jar and then bringing it in to school on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> May.

All monies raised will help Syrian children who have been affected by the conflict which has raged for over five years.

## DebateMate

Many congratulations to the Godwin Junior DebateMate team who are currently ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in the country! They now go through to the finals later this term.

## **Bike Breakfast**

Ride your bike to school on Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April for a **FREE** healthy breakfast.



Part of the Sustrans Bike It Plus project.

## **The BIG Pedal**

18<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> April

The BIG Pedal is the UK's largest cycling and scooting challenge. Cycle or scoot to school for the next 2 weeks to help our school win!

Our head count of those cycling or scooting will include adults as well as children, so dust off your bicycle this weekend and use it for the school run from Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April!

The best class wins a go on the 'Smoothie Bike' and the best school in Newham wins a visit from M.A.D. the UK's number one mountainbike stunt and display team.



## **Diary Dates**

- Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April – 4.00pm-6.00pm – Parent/carer conferences
- Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> April – 4.00pm-6.00pm – Parent/carer conferences
- Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – Bank holiday – school closed
- Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> May – Year 6 SATs week
- Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Half term holiday
- Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July – Eid-ul-Fitr – school closed
- Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July – Staff INSET – School closed to pupils
- Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July – Last day of academic year