

## PRINCE OF WALES PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter 7th June 2024

Dear Parents/Carers, Governors and Friends,

### **Summer Celebration**

We have lots of things planned for this half term, not least the Summer Fair and Cultural Event on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July. This year, we will start with a Carnival Parade at 2:15pm followed by performances from each year group. At home time, the fair will open. You can take an active part in this celebration of our school community by:

- 1. Running a food or home-made craft stall
- 2. Perform music
- 3. Join in our Talent Show

Please contact Mrs Rees or Mrs Dunlea through the school office or approach them in the playground if you wish to participate and/or come to our meeting on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 8:55am or 3:25pm.

## Parent Forum Wednesday 5th June

Parents that were present were supportive of our vision for September. They agreed that it reflects our school community and our ambitions for our children. Also discussed, were issues such as dog fouling on local paths and police patrolling to ensure local safety. After the General Election, we will be inviting a local MP or councillor for parents to ask these and other questions that are out of our school's control but that do affect our local community.



## New school value: Sustainability and Stewardship

Through our new value for the month, Miss Govtepe introduced <u>Hedgehog Awareness Week</u>. Eva 3S brought in this wonderful, home-made hedgehog shelter that will find a suitable place on our school site. Thanks to her craftsmanship, we will monitor and update you on any hedgehog activity. Check out Kiara's prototype shelter on page 3.

#### Garden Journal Summer 1

Our Head Gardener Karen has recorded some highlights of the past half term: <u>Garden-Journal-Summer-Term-1.pdf</u> Pretty impressive!



### SCHOOL CLOSURE due to General Election Thursday 4th July 2024

Our school will be closed on this day as the school is used as a polling station and a large number of voters are expected to come onto our site throughout the day. The school street will not be operational on this day.



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## Attendance for week beginning 3rd June 2024

Ash 84.6%	1B 92.7%	2C 93.8%	3F 86.3%	4A 89.2%	5G 95.4%	6C 87.6%
Birch 92.4%	1G 88.1%	2G 92%	3H 96.3%	4L 92.2%	5H 97.1%	6D 86.3%
Oak 96.3%	1S 95.2%	2F 93.8%	3S 92.8%	4T 93.6%	5W 96.4%	6F 82.6%

Well done to Oak, 3H, 5H and 5W, with attendance above 95%.

Overall attendance since September 2023: 93.38%

SCHOOL YEAR 2023/2024 – upcoming dates					
DATE	YEAR	EVENT			
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> June	Y1-6	M&M Theatre production The Railway Children			
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> June	all	INSET DAY – School Closed			
Friday 21st June	KS1 & KS2	Sports Day & Picnic			
Mon24 – Wed 26 June	Y6	Residential Visit			
Tue 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Nursery	Sports Day am and pm			
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Reception	Sports Day pm			
Thu 4th July	All	School closed: Election Day			
Thu 11 <sup>th</sup> July	Y2	Seaside visit			
Tue 16 <sup>th</sup> July	all	Summer Celebration & PoW Carnival Parade			
Thu 18 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6	Year 6 Disco			
Thu 18 <sup>th</sup> July  Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Y6	Year 6 Disco Parents' Evening			
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**FREE Dr Bike Service** 

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At PoW, we remember with gratitude the bravery and sacrifice of all service men/women and civilians involved in the D-Day operations. Through our school values and rules, we reflect what this means: to enjoy freedom without persecution and oppression. We start this by being kind a respectful to each other.

## In March we focus on

## SUSTAINABILITY & STEWARDSHIP

These pupils received a certificate this week:

Kiara 1B, Resmiye 1G, Thomas 1S, Gabrielle 2C, Mudser 2F, Aleyah 2G, Naomi 3F, Naz 3H, Samuel 3S, Vladi 4A, Dylan 4L, Raeya 4T, Muhammed 5G, Marija 5H, Rayan 5W, Ozgur 6C, Kezia 6D & Ayse 6F











Kiara 1B made this prototype hedgehog shelter at home.



Outstanding UPSTANDER behaviour



A commendation for Bella 5G, who was recognised during National Volunteer Week (3<sup>rd</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> June)! She supports local brownie and rainbow group helping young children to have fun! She also helps local Sen team, Zebras, helping families by delivery gifts and vegetables.



# we growing food

5H grew mangetouts that were finally ready to be harvested. Of course they had a go at tasting them. DELICIOUS!! Some children asked for more!

They also tried the flower petals of the nasturtium tasted spicy!

<u>Harvesting Nasturtium Plants As Food: Tips On Picking Edible Nasturtium Flowers</u>









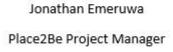


















Miha <u>Strango</u> Place2Be Family Practitioner

### Monday 24th June 2024 - Coffee Morning

Please join us on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2024 at 8.40am to find out more about Place2Be at Prince of Wales and our new Place2Be Family Practitioner.



As year 5 are taking part in an Enfield Town Schools Partnership Science Fair, we were fortunate to have an information workshop from Browne Group (a utility services contractor that has been in business for over 50 years) about Sustainability and the water industry.

Sophia and Alessio from Browne delivered the workshops to the year 5 classes. They explained that they work with Thames Water to provide clean, safe drinking water to homes across London. They told us that they are replacing lots of water pipes because they are more than 100 years old, they burst a lot and they waste a lot of water.

We learned that there are 85,000 miles of pipes that could go around the world 3.5. times. We learned the role that Thames Water plays in the water cycle, e.g., treating water and sewage and getting water to our homes. They explained how the water and sewage treatment processes work.

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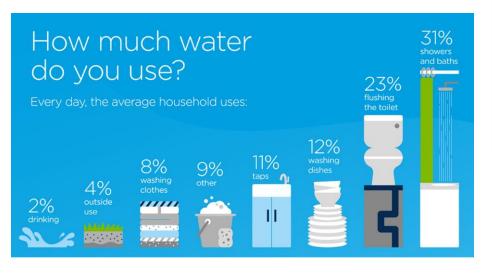
They informed us about the huge amount of water that is wasted in London, we use 5 times more than necessary. They explained how much water an average daily household uses.

They want us to turn the tap off when brushing our teeth, take short showers. We then participated in a competitive quiz to test our knowledge of what we had learned during the session. Each class had 2 winning groups.

All of the children thoroughly enjoyed it and listened

enthusiastically. They found the information interesting, especially learning about sewage treatment and what happens to water before it gets to our homes.

Some children thought that the workshop was amazing, the best, great, super fun, interactive, exciting and a wonderful experience.







# TRACK DAY



On Wednesday KS2 took part in our annual Track Day to find the fastest runners in each year group. There were numerous different distance races from 50m hurdles for Year 3 to 600m for Year 6. KS1 and the rest of KS2 all came out to watch and cheer on their classmates in the competition. The winners of these events have been chosen to represent the school in the Enfield Borough Athletics Tournament on Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June.

Good luck to everyone who is competing!

Miss Cross











# field Day

Today, Prince of Wales hosted a Field Day on our wonderful field, run by Enfield PE. Four local primary schools attended in morning and afternoon sessions and the Y6 children took part in different sporting activities to celebrate the run up to the Paris Olympics. They learnt how to play tag rugby, golf, football games and orienteering. They also had the opportunity to practice the Path to Paris dance that they had been learning in PE. All of Year 6 had a fabulous day and are now even more excited for the Olympics in the summer!















## June Family Home-learning Project

Our school values for the month of June are Sustainability and Stewardship.

These two words stand together and alone.

**Sustainability:** How do we take care of what is around us? How do we make what we have last? How do we promote a healthy planet and have a positive impact on the climate? How do we protect what we have?

**Stewardship:** How do we take care of ourselves, others and the world around us? How do we take responsibility? How are we role models?



Your task this month is to link the two ideas together and use your geographical knowledge!

Create a 3D model or piece of artwork that demonstrates something about the world around you! Consider the natural world, natural resources or natural features.





It could be:

- A volcano
- A river or canal
- An iceberg
- Meadows, parks or farmland
- A rainforest



Alongside your project, write a short paragraph, poem, labels or record yourself saying why it is important to protect these aspects of our natural world. What advice would you give people to protect it from potential harm? How are you also helping to protect them?

For an additional challenge, **if you are in Key Stage 2**, create a 3D model of a key feature in **our local area** using reused, recycled or waste cardboard as the main material.

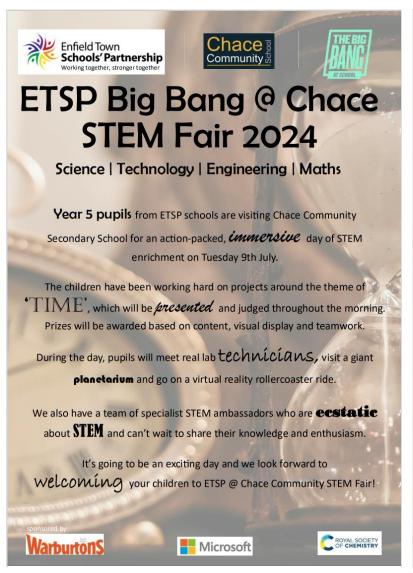
It could be: A sports venue, place of worship, school, local farm, river/canal or hill

These KS2 models can be entered into a competition with the Geographical society. More information on the rules of the competition and how to submit your entry can be found here: Geographical Model Making Competition - Geographical Association (geography.org.uk)

Don't forget to let us know if you send something in for the competition!

Share your Sustainability and Stewardship projects with us by the 5th July











Centre VR is supporting our Year 5s ETSP STEM Fair by offering virtual reality experiences. Besides offering their services for free, they have also provided 50% off vouchers to use at their store throughout the summer. Children will be given a printed 50%-off voucher this week.



## Enfield Town V Arsenal U21

Tuesday, 16 July 2024 19:45 from £1.00

## Enfield Town FC update

Our friends at Enfield Town Football Club have two exciting pre-season friendlies taking place at Donkey Lane.

Children can attend for £1 a ticket.

We are thrilled to confirm that Enfield Town will play Arsenal's Under-21s as part of our pre-season schedule.

We will host Mehmet Ali's Gunners at the Dave

Bryant Stadium on the evening of Tuesday 16th July (7:45pm kick-off).

Though the former Enfield FC held friendlies against Arsenal at their Southbury Road ground, we have never hosted an Arsenal squad before, and are grateful to them for agreeing to send a side.

## Tickets are available at

**Enfield Town FC Tickets** 



## Enfield Town V Tottenham Hotspur XI

Saturday, 13 July 2024 15:00 from £1.00

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#### ACTION REQUIRED FROM ALL PARENTS WHO HAVE NOT PREVIOUSLY APPLIED FOR FREE SCHOOL MEALS

#### TO SAFEGUARD SCHOOL FUNDING

Dear Parents and Carers,

Further to the letter sent out by email, I write again to urge any of you whom have not previously applied for free school meals (FSM) to do so.

Whilst this may seem counter-intuitive, since all children are currently able to access FSM through the Mayor's scheme, a huge amount of our funding is based on the number of children we have who are <u>eligible for FSM under normal</u> circumstances.

Therefore, if you receive of one of the benefits listed below, it is vitally important to register for FSM, in order for the school to secure this funding. If your child is eligible for 'benefit assessed' FSM, the school receives 'Pupil Premium'; we use this money to improve our educational provision and resources and it is essential that we do not lose it. It allows us to offer, amongst other things, educational psychologist support, phonics programmes, LASS group, Nurture group, breakfast club, Place 2 Be and music lessons. None of this would be affordable if we did not receive Pupil Premium.

Children will be eligible for free school meals if their parent or carer receives one of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit (provided you have an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400 (£616.67 per month)
- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (provided you do not also receive Working Tax Credit) and have an annual gross income of no more than 16,190.
- Working Tax Credit run-on paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit

<u>To register, please visit the school office for an application form or use the one attached to the email that went out this week.</u> If your application is successful, you will be notified within 10 working days of receipt.

Please help us continue to offer the best education we can to your child(ren) by securing as much Pupil Premium funding as possible.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Jan M. Bless Head Teacher





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## Healthy Parent Carer Programme

Do you have a child or children with special needs and live in the London Borough of Enfield?

Do you need help for YOU to be healthier and happier in caring for your family? Learn how to take small steps to focus on your needs to improve your health and wellbeing and take greater control of how you deal with things.





Want to meet other parent carers? Share your experiences and advice! This course is about you, not parenting or how to get support for your child.

6-week course from Tuesday 11th June to Tuesday 16th July 24
Craig Park Family Hub from 10 am to 1 pm each Tuesday

Run by an Our Voice parent carer and a Turkish-speaking facilitator/translator.

Free but you must attend all 6 sessions. If you join the course, you will receive a £30 grocery voucher every time you attend a session. Please note that this could affect your entitlement to benefits – please make sure you check. The course is intended for small groups.

Sign up here by 17th May or contact 07516 662315 or Email ourvoice.hpc@outlook.com or scan the QR code above

This course is run by Our Voice Parent Carer Forum. Our Voice is a parent-led organisation that supports families with children aged 0-25 with Special Educational Needs or Disabilities, living in the London Borough of Enfield.

## Housing conferences for council tenants and leaseholders

Have your say and learn more about everything to do with your home

Leaseholders' Conference:

Saturday 6th July 2024 - time 11am to 3pm

Oasis Academy Hadley South Street, Ponders End, EN3 4PX

To book a place at either conference please email: myhome@enfield.gov.uk or call 020 8132 0799

For more details visit: www.enfield.gov.uk/councilhousing

**FREE LUNCH** 

FREE PRIZE DRAW





Healthy

## Sağlıklı Ebeveyn Bakıcı Programı

Özel ihtiyaçları olan bir çocuğunuz veya çocuklarınız var ve Londra'nın Enfield İlçesi'nde mi yaşıyorsunuz?

Allenizle ilgilenirken daha sağlıklı ve mutlu OLMANIZ için yardıma mı ihtiyacınız var? Sağlığınızı ve esenliğinizi iyileştirmek ve durumlarla nasıl başa çıkacağınız konusunda daha fazila kontrol sahibi olmak için ihtiyaçlarınıza odaklarımak üzere kücük adımları nasıl atacağınızı öğrenin.





Diğer Türk ebeveyn bakıcılarla tanışmak ister misiniz? Deneyimlerinizi ve tavsiyelerinizi paylaşın! Bu kurs ebeveynlikle veya çocuğunuz için nasıl destek alacağınızla değil, sizinle ilgilidir.

6 haftalık kurs, 11 Haziran 2024 Salı günü başlayacaktır

Craig Park Aile Merkezi'nde her Salı günü saat 10:00-13:00 arasında düzenlenecektir

Türkçe konuşan bir kolaylaştırıcı ve Our Voice ebeveyn bakıcı tarafından yürütülecektir.

Kurs ücretsizdir, ancak 6 oturumun tamamına katılmanız gerekmektedir. Kursa katılırsanız, her oturuma katıldığınızda 30 £ değerinde bir alişveriş kuponu kazanacaksınız. Lütfen bunun sosyal yardımlardan yararlanma hakkınızı etkileyebileceğini unutmayın ve bunu mutlaka kontrol edin. Kurs küçük gruplara yöneliktir.

17 Mayıs'a kadar <u>buradan</u> kaydolun veya 07863 389714 numaralı telefondan iletişime geçin ya da <u>ourvoice.hpc@outlook.com</u> adresine e-posta gönderin ya da yukarıdaki QR kodunu tarayın Bu kurs Our Voice Ebeveyn Bakıcı Forumu tarafından yürütülmektedir. Our Voice, Londra'nın Enfield İlçesi'nde yesayan, 0-25 yas arası Özel Eğitim İntiyaçları veya Engelliği bulunan çocukları olan aileteri destekleyen, ebeveynler tarafından yönetilen bir kuruluştur.



## Looking for... Work? Training? Skills

## Weekly drop in groups at these Enfield Libraries

find work and employment, training, skills and language classes or find out about going to college







## WEEKLY DROP INS

#### **EVERY WEEK 10AM - 1PM**

Mondays Living Room Library N18 2XF

Tuesdays Edmonton Green Library N9 OTN

Wednesdays Enfield Town Library EN2 6AX









## Parent and Family Behaviour Support Drop-in

Our Voice

These informal drop-in sessions offer the following;

- Talk to specialist Positive Behaviour Support practitioners including parents from <u>Our Voice Parent Garer Forum</u> either as part of the group or one-on-one, about any challenges you may be experiencing to do with your child's behaviour.
- you may be experiencing to do with your child's behaviour.

  Discuss Positive Behavioural Support strategies/tools you may already be using. Review and update family plans. Find out about other resources that might be useful (e.g. symbols and pictures to support communication).
- Meet and chat with other parents and carers.
- Specific sessions covering a range of topics such as teaching new skills, well-being/self-care, and intensive interaction.

The next sessions will be held on:

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June,5<sup>th</sup> July and 6<sup>th</sup> Sept 2024 10am -12pm At Cheviots Children's Disability Service, 31 Cheviot Close, EN1 3UZ

If you have any questions, or if you would like to book an interpreter for the session please email either:

Lucy.Canton@enfield.gov.uk or Gina.Giles@Enfield.gov.uk

Please also contact us in advance if you would like your child to be supported in our creche during the session.

Our Voice and the Joint Service for Disabled Children are also running workshops on 'An introduction to Positive Behaviour Support'. Next sessions 22nd May, 12th June and 26th June 10 am -12 pm at Cheviots (pre-book only). See <a href="https://www.ourvoiceenfield.org.uk/events">www.ourvoiceenfield.org.uk/events</a> for more information.

These session are currently open to families who have a child with SEND

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