



Perryfields Junior School

Friday Flyer

Week 24 – 22nd March 2019



Message from the Headteacher

Congratulations to our school community and our School Council who raised £359 for Comic relief last Friday. Also, thank you to all staff who dressed in school uniform (oh dear!) and participated in the Perryfields Bake-Off. It was a tough contest, but our talented and creative school cook, Mrs Ayling, was the winner! Magnificent efforts all round!

Well done to our gymnastics team who competed against 15 other local schools on Tuesday. They have all been working hard to perfect their sequences and routines over the past few months and all their efforts paid off as they were awarded 2nd place! Outstandingly brilliant! Thanks go to Jacky Gregory, our gym coach, for working with our team and supporting them during the competition.

Our netball development team played their first ever netball match on Wednesday against Westlands Primary school. We entered a year 5 team into a year 6 league to allow more of our pupils to play competitive netball. Although we lost 5-4, it was an extremely close match and Mrs Lodge was very pleased with our team's sportsmanship, skill and determination! Well done to all!

On Thursday we held our annual House Poetry competition where the final contestants blew us away with their expressive recitals! It was a very, very close contest, but the 2 winners were deservedly, Prisha (lower school) and Megan (upper school). Thanks go to Miss McDonald for organising the competition and also to all our families who helped the children to learn their poems!

It was lovely to see so many parents at our Target Sharing evenings this week; we hope you found the consultations a useful way of ensuring that we work in partnership to secure the best outcomes for our children. Once again, we have been very pleased with the positive comments from parents and carers concerning the quality of provision at PJS.

I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Jane Hasler

Coming up this half term:

Monday 25th March

Tuesday 26th March

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Wednesday 27th March

Thursday 28th March

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Tuesday 2nd April

Wednesday 3rd April

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Thursday 4th April

Friday 7th June

Netball Cancelled – due to tournament

Football Development cancelled

Year 5 Road Safety Walk – Tolkien Class

2 Johns Internet Safety Talk for parents - 5.30pm -7.30pm

Enterprise Day Year 4 – Parents invited 9.15am - 9.45am

Movie Night – All Years 3.15pm-5.30pm

Year 5 Road Safety Walk

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Year 3 Easter Assembly – 9.30-10.10am – Parents Invited

Art Gallery Showing – Parents invited 3.30-4.30pm

Summer Fayre – 3.15pm-5.00pm

Pupil of the Week

Cowell: **Oliver**
Seuss: **Karthikeya**
Walliams: **Elsa**
Lewis: **Alfie**
Dahl: **Elizabeth**
Rowling: **Jamie**
Tolkien: **Alice**
Pullman: **David**
Potter: **Daniel**
Morpurgo: **Ben**

The Times Table Rock Star Award
Pavanaj – Tolkien Class

Mrs Ayling's Award for Outstanding Manners
Riley – Cowell Class
Jessica – Rowling Class

Mr Curtis's PE Award
Roman – Rowling Class

Mrs Siddall's Attendance Award
Potter & Morpurgo Class – 98.9%

Dangerous drop-offs!

If you are dropping your child off in the morning, please ensure that you do NOT stop on the yellow zigzags or near the crossing patrol. Vehicles have to swerve around cars that have stopped and this causes a hazard to those children and adults crossing the road. We understand that time is precious but nothing is more precious than the safety of ALL our children. Thank you.

EST-SAFETY-Keeping Children Safe Online

Our annual EST-SAFETY presentation, led by the 2 Johns <https://www.esafetytraining.org/> is on 27th March at 5.30pm. This is an excellent opportunity for you to receive up-to-date information which will help you to keep your children safe online. Please try to attend.

Digital Leaders Update

The Digital Leaders are always helping our school stay safer online by sharing positive messages about how to use the internet responsibly. They are even thinking about how they can continue to share this message with parents! The UK Safer Internet Centre has a parents' guide to technology with some helpful advice and guidance about smartphones, gaming devices, tablets and Smart TVs. Each section has useful tips that you can follow at home to make your internet use much safer for all of the family. <https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/parents-and-carers/parents-guide-technology>

Year 3 Bedrock Homework

After a trial period we have decided that we will no longer be setting Bedrock homework for year 3. We would like the Year 3 children to continue reading and logging entries into their school reading diary.
Thank you

Word of the Week: *cantankerous* (adjective)

Definition: Someone who is cantankerous is always finding things to argue or complain about.

The *cantankerous* pupils were not happy about the new playground rules.

Synonym :

bad-tempered
irritable

Antonym :

good-natured

Sports Clubs

Please note that Gym club has now finished. All remaining clubs finish the week ending Friday 29th March.

School Uniform

Can we please remind parents about school uniform.

Hair should be tied up.
Nails short with no varnish.
Shoes should be black school shoes.
Ties must be worn by all pupils.
Thank you

Composer of the Month:
John Coltrane
Born 1926
Musical Style – Jazz

Art Gallery

Parents are invited to come in and view children's art work on Tuesday 4th April from 3.30-4.30pm

MUSIC OPEN EVENING

WHEN

**Wednesday, 1st May 2019
4.30pm - 7.30pm**

WHERE

**Chelmsford Community Music
Centre
Sandon School Music Dept
Molrams Lane, Chelmsford CM2 7AQ**

REGISTER

For further details contact Andy Heard at andy.heard@essex.gov.uk or to register use the following link:
<https://UKESSEX.speedadmin.dk/tilmelding#/Course/487>



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FREE EVENT

YOUNG PEOPLE

**Aged 5-18
Beginners up to
grade 8**

GROUPS TO TRY

**Rock Band
African Drumming
Beginner Group
Mixed Group
Flute Group
Choirs
Ukulele Group**



Scouts

**2nd Chelmsford
(Springfield)**

Jumble Sale

**Saturday 30th March
2:15pm**

The Scout Centre, Lawn Lane, Springfield

**Admission 30p
Refreshments available**

2ndchelmsfordscouts.org.uk

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Dear Parent/Guardian,

I would like to take this opportunity to let you know of an exciting local event called 4Families running during the Easter holidays.

The club will involve taking part in fun activities with your child/children followed by a hot meal. There is no cost to you as this is a free family event. Older and younger siblings are also welcome. Please note you will be expected to stay with your child/children throughout the activities and lunch and that you are responsible for them.

The sessions will run:

10.30am-2pm Wednesday 10th April Trinity Methodist Church, Rainsford Road, Chelmsford CM1 2XB

10.30am-2pm Wednesday 17th April North Avenue Christian Centre, North Avenue, Chelmsford CM1 2AL

We are delighted that coaches from West Ham Foundation will again be with us to provide football and sports coaching for children - please bring trainers!

As you can imagine, spaces will be limited for these club sessions so could you please confirm your attendance by returning the completed slip below to the agency from which you received it by Friday 5th April.

If you find you are unable to attend your booked session/s please ring 07512 574542 or email info@chelmsford.foodbank.org.uk to let us know so we can offer the places to another family.

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REFERRAL AGENCY NAME:

I will be attending 4Families on Wednesday 10th April Wednesday 17th April

Name (adult/s):.....

Child/children's name/s:.....

Ages of child/children:.....

Postcode:.....

Telephone number:..... Emergency contact:.....

Allergies:..... Dietary requirements:.....

Medical conditions & treatment: e.g. asthma & Ventolin inhaler.....

Do your children receive Free School Meals?

Have you ever needed to use your local foodbank?

I am happy for this data on my child/ren (name, age, gender) to be passed to West Ham Foundation under the data sharing agreement and to be used for their funding purposes only Yes/No

Photo permission Yes/No

Parent/guardian signature:

Date:

Your information will be protected and stored according to GDPR. The lawful ground to hold this data is "legitimate interest". Signing this form will allow your information to be used for monitoring and funding purposes only. Data from this form will be stored in a secure database and may be used for annualised statistical analysis. It is only seen by people authorised to do so for 4Families/Foodbank purposes. A data sharing agreement between Chelmsford Foodbank and West Ham Foundation is in place. Chelmsford Foodbank takes data security very seriously. Please contact General Manager dataprotection@chelmsford.foodbank.org.uk with any queries.