



## Mrs Nairne's Headlines

### Open Classroom

A reminder that next Wednesday (**18th May**) is our second Open Classroom Session. This is an opportunity for you to come into school and for your child to share their work with you.

Classrooms will be open from 3.30pm - 5.30pm.

### Play Equipment

Please do not allow children to play on the equipment in the playground after school. We are not able to supervise children properly when they play on the equipment after school.

Unfortunately we have had a couple of accidents after school.

### Well done Year 6

This week has been a big week for our Year 6 children, they have now completed their SATs and we are so proud of them all.

The children enjoyed coming into school early everyday to have breakfast together in the hall. This set them up well for the day ahead.

Today we enjoyed our first Future Friday session, the children enjoyed meeting their new teachers and learning all about the expectations for the next academic year.

## Child Friendly Safeguarding Policy



**PEACEFUL PANDA**  
Panda knows when to be calm. She understands when to step out of an argument and does not raise her voice if it isn't needed.  
We encourage everyone to follow Peaceful Panda and respect others if they disagree with your opinion. It is better to discuss your problems with an adult rather than continue arguing.



**UNDERSTANDING UNICORN**  
Unicorn accepts other cultures and stands up for them. She empathises with her friends and tries to comfort them when they are not feeling their best.  
Although we all like happiness, it's good for your mental health to experience all emotions, and it can make you fully enjoy the good emotions.



**LEARNING LION**  
Lion is always trying his best, and he learns from his mistakes and knows they can help him. He also respects all his classmates. When he is learning, he always listens and never gives up.  
We encourage everyone to follow learning lion and make this school a better place by embracing their mistakes.



**SAFETY SQUIRREL**  
Squirrel knows how to be safe online and offline. He takes risks but knows how to be careful.  
We encourage everyone to follow Safety Squirrel by using the internet wisely and listening to trusted adults. If anything happens at school, tell a teacher because they can help you.



**EQUITY ELEPHANT**  
Equity Elephant knows that fairness is not always equal but does meet every person's needs so that they can learn together.  
Meaning that the help given to one child might not be enough for someone going through a rough time at home or a child with special needs.



## School Council

### National Walk to School Week

This year's National Walk to School Week is taking place from Monday 16th to Friday 20th May and The School Council would like Handsworth to take part in the initiative.

As a school we want thousands of children across the country to celebrate the benefits of walking. In 2021, Waltham Forest saw over 25,000 pupils in the borough taking part! We want to challenge ourselves to walk at least a mile each day (only 20 minutes) to collect walking stickers! Over 50% of pupils in Waltham Forest walk to school, but we know even more pupils could benefit from walking as it makes them feel happier and healthier and helps to reduce pollution and congestion around your school. We want to see every child that can walk to school!

### Highams Park Food Aid

Our next collection date is Tuesday 24th May 2022. Any food or non-food donations would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

### Silver Stories

Thank you Penny, Liyana and Reeve for reading this week!





The Together Space is a social enterprise. Our mission is to tackle social segregation for children, families and young people with a learning disability.

We are an inclusive café and studio space for families with and without learning disabilities. Through our work we also create employment opportunities for young adults with a learning disability.

We offer classes, play area, sensory space, great coffee and delicious food – for everyone to enjoy.

While we look for a permanent home in the heart of Walthamstow, we are running monthly pop-up events across Waltham Forest.

Visit the [events page](#) to find out more.

[www.thetogetherspace.co.uk](http://www.thetogetherspace.co.uk)





Year 2 love learning outside!





**Year 3 had a  
visit from  
Quackers the  
Giant Snail!**



**Year 3  
enjoyed  
their  
Bikeability  
lessons!**



# Well Done Year 6!



Thank you to Mrs McDermott and Mrs Bromley for providing breakfast every day for our Year 6 children this week. It was a great start to the day for them and set them up well for their SATs. Thank you for coming into school early every day!



# World of Work

Friends of Handsworth have agreed to fund an exciting whole school initiative called World of Work.

World of Work is a primary school careers programme that breaks down stereotypes and helps children link success in school to success in the wider world. They provide:

- A week's worth of lesson plans
- Fully organised and age-appropriate trips to workplaces
- Visitors into school

Lesson plans are provided for every class from Nursery to Year 6 as well as fully organised and risk assessed trips for KS1 & KS2 children.

World of Work is proven to improve pupils' understanding of careers. Our World of Work week will run from 13th - 17th June





## Year 4 Cricket Sessions



# Star of the Week



**NHW**

ROMERO

**1IL**

ALIZA

**RAO**

SARA

**1MJ**

HABIBA

**RHH**

SULAIMAN

**2KC**

AYLA

**2MW**

WYLDER



**3FB**

SHAEL

**5TC**

ZOEY

**3LB**

ALEXANDA

**5JG**

MAX

**4BD**

AALIYAH

**6RT**

ILYAS

**4SN**

EARLE

**6SM**

CLEMENTINE

The purpose of Star of the Week is for us to have the opportunity to celebrate every child in our community specifically. We encourage everyone to celebrate what is wonderful about that child. Children do not need to do anything to earn Star of the Week – each child deserves it and they will each get a turn. The stars also have the opportunity to have tea with Mrs Nairne and Ms Addai.

If your child is Star of the Week we encourage you to ask them to repeat to you some of the positive statements their classmates and teachers make about them and add your own!