

The Pilgrim Post



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Dear Parents and Carers,

Finally it feels like summer might be on its way! We have made good use of our field in the sunshine today, all running/walking a mile for **Sport Relief.** Thank you for your kind donations and for those of you who were able to come into school to cheer your child on. We will let you know the amount raised for this worthwhile charity on our next newsletter.

We have had some super **class assemblies** recently; last week Year 4 amazed us with their knowledge about earthquakes and today we had some lessons in keeping safe from our Year 1 Seahorse class. All the children spoke up confidently and loudly – well done. Thanks for all parents and carers who attended one of our recent **Parents Evening** appointments. It was good to see so many of you over the two evenings. If however, you were unable to attend and you would like to find out about how your child is doing in school, then please make an appointment via the admin office as your child's class teacher will always be happy to meet with you.

Lastly, please look out for our annual **Parent's Questionnaire** that will be sent home for you to complete early next week. Your responses are really valued by the school and so to encourage a prompt reply, we are going to enter any completed questionnaires into a draw to win a luxury Easter Egg. We will draw the prize on the last day (Thursday 24th March). Good luck and as this is my last Newsletter before the Easter Break, I would like to wish you a happy holiday!

Mrs Meek

<u>Writers of the Week</u>	Mathematicians of the Week		
Foundation Jayden Jessep Daniel Perry Year 1 Katie Glanville Year 2 Tiegan-Leigh Symons Utkarsh Kumar Year 3 Harry Lallemand Year 4 Faith Williams Year 5 Wyatt Maclennan-Matthews Year 6 Jake Boyle	FoundationPeter BarkerMelody LeonardYear 1Layla DeveyHayden HallYear 2Juled RrahoshiBen AllisonYear 3Mohammed MahialiYear 4Felicity DeveyYear 5Toby BoyleYear 6Kayleigh-Marie Edgar		





Pilgrim Pat on the Back

Foundation: Freja Owen-Hutchinson, Layth Al-Obaidi, Ryan Bwawa, Macie Saunders
Year 1: Tayte Griffiths, Aileen Lajevard, Layton Plummer Danielis Janusauskas
Year 2: Miroslaw Ignac, Yousef Garout, Clara Paraschiv, Jacob Coombes
Year 3: Afnan Jassim, Luke A'Court-Ames
Year 5: Wyatt Maclennan-Matthews, Levi

Year 4: Zaid Aal-Tay, Monica Jaeschke

Year 5: Wyatt Maclennan-Matthews, Levi Evans **Year 6:** Katie Boniface, Paulina Bazarnik

Class Assemblies

These are held on **Fridays in the school** hall at 9.15. Please try to come along to your child's assembly to help us celebrate their learning.

Friday 22 April – Year 6 Mrs Buck Friday 29 April – Year 3 Mr Pryce



Year 6 Parents/Carers

Please note that the planned assembly for year 6 that was going to take place on the 24th March has now been moved to the 22nd April 2016.

SATS WEEK – Commences Monday 9 May

All Year 6 Pupils are entitled to a free breakfast during this week Monday – Thursday to help them get off to a flying start with their tests! More details will follow.

Easter Holiday Dates

We have a <u>staff training day on Monday 11th April (NO PUPILS)</u> EASTER is Friday 25th March – Monday 11th April

So the last day at school is Thursday 24th March and back to school on Tuesday 12th April



Attendance - Our Target is 96.3 %				
Week Ending 4 th March 2016	Whole School Attendance	Best Class Attendance	Best Class Punctuality	
Last Week	96.6%	Yr 5 98.6%	Yr 6 (0 lates)	
Year to Date	95.9%	Yr 5 97.8%	Yr 5 (16 lates)	

It's Not Too Late To Start Your 2016 Workout!

If one of your goals was to get fit in 2016, and it's not quite gone to plan yet, then don't despair! Plymouth City Council's sports development unit have teamed up with running leader Miranda Richie to offer you a chance to join a free running group right on your door step.

The group is suitable for all abilities and will meet every Wednesday at 9.15am outside the cafe in Devonport Park. Everyone is welcome!

FOR MORE INORMATION PLEASE CALL THE SPORTS DEVELOPMENT UNIT ON 01752 307008