



# Peartree Spring Primary School Newsletter — 17/09/2021

## School Meals

**KS2 children** - The price of a school meal is charged at £2.60 per day, £13.00 per week, unless your child is in receipt of Free School Meals. Ordering your child's lunches and payments are to be made via Schoolgrid. **Please note - children's meals MUST be paid for in advance, unless you have set up a direct debit with Schoolgrid.**

**Special Dietary Requirements** - Please be advised that if your child has any special dietary requirements, you will need to apply for a special menu for your child directly through Hertfordshire Catering Limited (HCL). Special menus available include Dairy Free, Vegan, Egg Free & Vegetarian, Pork Free, Beef Free, Beef & Pork Free and Pescetarian. To apply, simply go to <https://specialmenu.hcl.co.uk>

**REMINDER** - Due to some of our children having severe nut allergies, please do not put items in your child's packed lunch box that contains nuts, this includes Nutella.

## PE Noticeboard

**Schools Games Value Award** - Each week, a class receives a certificate for showing the best School Games Value. This term we are focusing on Self-Belief. This week it has been awarded to Pyrenees Class. Well done!



**Walk to School Travel Award** - This week the Walk to School travel award goes to Year 1. Well done everybody - Let's continue to be active.



## Notices



**Jeans for Genes Day** - Thank you to everyone who supported this event. A large number of children took part supporting this charity. £416 was collected.

**Pupil Responsibilities** - Congratulation to our new Head Boy Harry and new Head Girl Sadie. Our deputies are Oliver, Grace, Leona and Leo and our assistants are Malachi, Alice, Mae and Liam.



**Medical Tracker** - As you are aware we use this system for reporting children's injuries/accidents to parents. Parents receive an email notifying them of their child's injuries/accidents. In the case of head or serious injuries, parents will also receive a phone call from the school office.

**School Website** - Our School Website is now up and running and can be viewed at <https://peartreespringim.herts.sch.uk/>



**Parent Lite reminder** - Please can we remind ALL parents to download the Parent Lite App. This enables parents to check their child's data/medical/contact information as well as giving other permissions such as children to walk home (Yrs 4, 5 & 6 only), website etc. Parents also need to consent to the Home/School Agreement which they will have shared with their child/ren. If you require any help with the app, please contact the school office.

**Year Group Webinars** - Due to the current COVID guidance parents have not been able to meet their child's class teachers this term, therefore we will be holding some live webinars via Livestorm next week. The teachers will run through routines, expectations and curriculum for your child's year group as well as answering any questions you may have. You have already received an email invite from Livestorm to register - please check your spam/junk folders as well.

Year 4 - Monday 20th September @ 4pm    Year 6 - Monday 20th September @ 5pm    KS1 - Monster Phonics @ 6pm  
Year 5 - Tuesday 21st September @ 4pm    Year 1 - Tuesday 21st September @ 5pm  
Year 3 - Thursday 23rd September @ 4pm    Year 2 - Thursday 23rd September @ 5pm

**Breakfast and After School Club** - A reminder to parents that bookings must be made a week in advance where possible, via Schoolgateway as we only have a limited number of places available.



**Compulsory School Uniform** - A reminder that children should now be wearing the Winter (NOT Summer) uniform. Children must also wear black school shoes and NOT black trainers as their main footwear. They will need a pair of trainers for outside play. Thank you for your support.

**Year 6 PGL Residential Trip** - A letter has been emailed to parents regarding the Year 6 residential trip to PGL Multi Activity Centre. To secure a place for your child, a non-refundable deposit of £50.00 via schoolgateway must be made by **Friday 1st October 2021**.

**Staff News** - We would like to welcome Miss Henshall, Miss Ghosh, Mrs Winnett and Miss Aylott to our Teaching Assistant team, Mrs Dean, Miss Boardman and Miss Westoby-Brennan to the cleaner's team and also Mrs Knight to the Willow Centre team.

# September 2021



Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>
Year 4 webinar @ 4pm Year 6 webinar @ 5pm KS1 Monster Phonics webinar @ 6pm	Year 5 webinar @ 4pm Year 1 webinar @ 5pm	National Fitness Day (during school day)	Alps Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Livestorm  Year 3 webinar @ 4pm Year 2 webinar @ 5pm	MacMillan Coffee Morning in the Oak Suite		
<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>1st Oct</b>		
	Teddy Bear Picnic for Year 2 (more details to follow soon)		Rockies Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Livestorm			

# October 2021

Mon	Tues	Weds	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
	Sibling Photographs Reception to Year 6 (during school day)		Individual photos Reception to Year 6 (during school day)  Pyrenees Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Livestorm			
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
			Java Class Assembly @ 9.15am via Livestorm			
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
		Parent Consultations (more details to follow)	Parent Consultations (more details to follow)	End of half term (children finish @ 3.15pm)		

## Whole School Attendance (%)

1st	Jellyfish	98.5%
2nd	Squirrel	98.1%
2nd	Desert	98.1%
3rd	Starfish	97.9%
3rd	Thames	97.9%
4th	Rabbits	97.8%
5th	Coral	97.7%
6th	Rockies	97.6%
7th	Nile	97.1%
8th	Ladybird	96.9%
9th	Savannah	96.8%
9th	Amazon	96.8%
10th	Rainbowfish	95.7%
10th	Caspian	95.7%
11th	Butterfly	95%
12th	Bumblebee	94.6%
13th	Rainforest	94%
14th	Alps	93.8%
15th	Hedgehog	92.2%
16th	Pyrenees	92%
17th	Java	90.9%





## Stars of the Week



**Butterfly**  
**Zain W**

for his beautiful handwriting and letter formation in English this week.

**Jellyfish**  
**Harry B**

for working really hard to select the correct coordinating conjunction to join his clauses.

**Desert**  
**Amir A**

for his fantastic work in Maths this week and helping others in the classroom.

**Amazon**  
**Leandra O**

for her amazing effort in learning all 29 letters in the Spanish alphabet.

**Caspian**  
**Emilia T**

for being a helpful member of the class and always trying her best.

**Alps**  
**Logan C**

for supporting his peers by being considerate, caring and thoughtful towards them.

**Bumblebee**  
**Finley B**

for his fantastic effort at labelling a puffin's features independently.

**Rainbowfish**  
**Baxter H**

for his super effort to improve the presentation of his work in English.

**Rainforest**  
**Victor M**

for his continued effort and persistence in all his work.

**Nile**  
**Vincent S**

for his wonderful mind map about the importance of Hajj to Muslims.

**Coral**  
**Shai'Lyn S**

for his fantastic piece of writing using independent and dependent clauses.

**Pyrenees**  
**Jack A**

for showing resilience in his learning and being a positive role model.

**Ladybird**  
**Freya W**

for being really confident and engaged when researching questions on the Ipad about Amelia Earhart.

**Starfish**  
**Jayden H**

for working really hard to improve his handwriting. Well done Jayden.

**Savannah**  
**Rosie M**

for her amazing effort when finding missing numbers in maths.

**Thames**  
**Isla W-W**

for creating a fantastic, detailed failed project to go with our English work on Barnabus.

**Java**  
**Michelle A**

for being an active participant in class discussions during our RE lessons.

**Rockies**  
**Ollie D-S**

for outstanding behaviour and for putting in lots of effort in all subject areas this week. Very well done Ollie!

## Birthdays

### Reception -

**Year 1 -** Advytha A, Zain W

**Year 2 -** Ava IFC, Jack H

**Year 3 -** Corey F, Olatunde A, Victor M

**Year 4 -** Louie G, Amy B, Lily-May D

**Year 5 -** Ruby H, Shai'Lyn S

**Year 6 -** Freddie F

## TT Rockstar/Monster Phonics Star

**Year 1 -** Gabriel TN, Jaxson H, Sapphire S

**Year 2 -** Aliyah S, Lenny W, Jenson CD

**Year 3 -** Ariadna M, Sydney B, Jack C

**Year 4 -** Leila R, Romany W, Elise A

**Year 5 -** Brodie P, Abigail S, Jessica J

**Year 6 -** Aivaras B, Dylan P, Reece C

