

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back. As always, this is going to be a busy term, with SATs, the Year 6 residential visit and lots more.

Headteacher's Award



Kinsley	Kestrel	Excellent Maths Work
Hanean	Eagle	Her Victorian Butler's Story
Delosh	Jaguar	Amazon Explorer's Story
George	Jaguar	A Big Improvement In His Handwriting
Charlie	Jaguar	A Big Improvement In His Handwriting
George	Jaguar	Excellent Effort For Sentence Work
Ekow	Jaguar	Excellent Effort For Sentence Work
Magge	Puffin	Excellent Participation In Sports Lessons
Tyler	Butterfly	Sequencing And Counting Numbers To Twenty
Roza	Badger	Her 'Lilly The Ladybird' Story
Fariha	Polar Bear	Her Blue Abyss Diorama
Georgia	Polar Bear	Her Blue Abyss Board Game
Mahavi	Puffin	Her Time Travel Letter
Marc	Puffin	His Time Travel Letter

PTFA News

If you're doing your shopping online, sign up to easyfundraising.org.uk/pta-uk to raise funds for our PTA for FREE. Shop with over 2,500 well known retailers, including Amazon, Tesco, Argos and many more, and every time you shop, you'll earn a donation for our school PTA at no additional cost to you.

PTAs across the UK have already raised over £3,000 using easyfundraising.org.uk. And the more of us who use it, the more we'll raise – if just 100 parents sign up, we could generate over £3,000 in one year alone.

It's really simple to do. Just visit easyfundraising.org.uk/pta-uk, search for our PTA and follow the simple steps to sign up. It's completely free and it will raise vital funds for Tweeddale primary school.

So sign up to easyfundraising.org.uk/pta-uk to do your online shopping today!

Red Nose Day 2017



There were some spectacular heads of hair on Red Nose Day – and not just on the children. Well done to everyone for their efforts toward this year's RND. We raised £63.60 at the cake sale and sold 440 red noses – thanks to Miss Joyce for her repeat trips to Sainsbury's. <https://www.rednoseday.com/>

Roblox

A number of our children use Roblox, which is a gaming platform similar to Minecraft. Like Minecraft, it has a 'chat' facility and there have been concerns that some of this may be inappropriate.

<http://m.essexlive.news/essex-parents-warned-that-popular-children-s-gaming-platform-roblox-could-be-used-to-groom-children/story-30232705-detail/story.html>

Word of the Week

Foundation Stage and Year 1– Line

Years 2-6 Occupy

Dates for your diary**April 2017**

Monday 24th	Class Photos
Tuesday 25th	Year 2 SATs meeting 9am in the Hall
Wednesday 26th	Year 2 Trip to Morden Hall/ Reception Trip to Hobbledown Farm

May 2017

Monday 1st	Bank Holiday
Tuesday 2nd	Reception Viewing 10am
Thursday 4th	Year 3 Puffins to London Museum
Friday 5th	Year 3 Turtles to London Museum
Monday 8th	SATs week for Year 6
Monday 15th	SATs week for Year 2
Friday 26th	Inset Day
Monday 29th	Half Term

June 2017

Monday 5th	Back to School
Friday 9th	PTFA Mufti Day
Sunday 18th	Year 6 to Kingswood Residential

**Sutton's Local Offer**

Information for Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND) is on Sutton's Local Offer website <http://localoffer.sutton.gov.uk/suttonlo/> you will find information about provision available locally across education, health and social care for children and young people who have special educational needs or who are disabled, from birth to 25 years old.

A copy of the booklet is available in the school entry lobby.

Free Smoke Alarms

To promote home fire safety, Sutton Council is working with Sutton Housing Partnership and the London Fire Brigade to offer free smoke alarms to residents of Sutton. Residents are welcome to pick up one or two free smoke alarms (two per household limit).

All you have to do is visit the reception desk at one of the following locations:

- Sutton Council – Civic Centre, St Nicholas Way, SM1 1EA
- Sutton Council – Denmark Road, Carshalton, SM5 2JG
- Sutton Housing Partnership – Sutton Gate, 1 Carshalton Road, Sutton, Surrey, SM1 4LE

You can pick them up from 9am to 5pm, Mon-Fri, until the end of May. Please bring along a letter showing proof of address or your council tax bill.

This project is being run as part of the Better Contacts project. The aim of the project is to work closer with local partners and to ensure residents receive the best possible service.

Please note that the London Fire Brigade also offers free home fire safety checks for any resident, with priority given to more vulnerable residents.

Class Photos

Class Photo's will take place on Monday 24th April, children are to be in school in full school uniform please.

Parking

Please be considerate of our neighbours if you park in Tweeddale Road at the start or end of the school day. I have received reports of people's drives being blocked and of cars parked up on the pavement, which is particularly difficult for parents with baby buggies.

Please consider parking in Sutton Arena's car park or, when possible, walk to school instead.

School Clothing

Children sometimes need to borrow items of clothing if their own has become unwearable. If your child has been loaned an item of clothing from school, please make sure it is laundered and returned.

If you have any school trousers, skirts or plimsolls that your children have grown out of, please donate them to us, so we can use them for our emergency stock.

Class Attendance Week Ending 31st March 2017

