



FOULDS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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A few weeks ago I explained some of the concepts that we are learning about throughout the school. I also talked about how metacognition, explaining how we learn, can be seen across the year groups and the Foulds children have become very good at explaining why and how they have got an answer to a question. Last week a child asked why we need to learn about metacognition if they are doing it every day anyway. I took the opportunity to teach the children a little more about what metacognition is and the purpose of it.

In my assembly on Monday, I explained to the children that if growth mindset is believing we can do anything we just might not be able to do it YET and about jumping into the learning pit, metacognition is what we use when we are in the learning pit. Metacognition is about evaluating the problem, thinking about what you know from past learning, linking and then extending ideas to use in the current situation. We need to know what metacognition is to help us become aware of how our past learning can help us and so that we recognise that we can make links and have more independence in our learning! We also thought about how amazing our brains are, how fast they work and how signals in your neurons can travel at the same speed as Formula 1 cars!

This week around the school:

EYFS: We finally finished our amazing book... and the children are both thrilled to know the ending at last, and devastated it is over! The teachers have been amazed by the incredible language and discussion from the children. In Maths, we have been continuing with teen numbers and the children have shown deep understanding of how these are made up, discussing tens and ones, odd and even, bigger and smaller, and representing the numbers in different ways. Book Week has been fun, too: we enjoyed stories via Google Meets that the KS2 children had written just for us, read by the authors themselves, and shared favourite stories each day.

*KS1: Have you ever seen elephants in custard? Have you ever heard a dinosaur roar? Key Stage One have! This week, as part of 'Book Week' we have been sharing and enjoying a range of brilliant books. Can your child tell you something about the beautiful book *The Proudest Blue* written by the Olympic medallist Ibtihaj Muhammad? Can they tell you about one of the dinosaurs from our performance poem *Dinosaurs Galore*? Or can they tell you why the Teddy Robber stole the teddies? We also enjoyed an online performance by the London Philharmonic Orchestra to the story of *Elephants in Custard*. In Art, we have been creating and experimenting with textured paint using flour, salt, glitter, pencil shavings and more!*

LKS2: To celebrate Book Week, Yr 3/4 have been putting their DT skills to great use, making their own books in various shapes and sizes and then filling them with some great stories and creating information texts. We've also been learning some great tips from Jeremy Strong, Marcus Rashford, and the poet, Joseph Coelho. In Maths, the children have been continuing with fractions and money, a theme that they continued in the My Bnk activities. All the children have also been practicing their skipping and the top 10 will be selected at the end of this half term as part of a virtual challenge across the borough.

*UKS2: The 5/6 children have donned their white coats and science goggles to plan and design their own experiments: finding out whether rusting is an irreversible change. They looked at different variables such as temperature, liquids, the amount of air and different materials. We have also been making books of our own version of *The Tale of the Three Brothers* and reading traditional tales from a variety of different cultures.*

For those celebrating Eid next week, 'Eid Mubarak'.

Kim Sanett

Week Commencing Monday 10 May at Foulds School

* Monday 10th	~
* Tuesday 11th	Cuffley Information Webinar (Yr 4 & 6) at 6pm (link already circulated)
* Wednesday 12th	School Class Photos
* Thursday 13th	Yr 5 Secondary School Transfer & Sayers Croft online meeting at 6pm
* Friday 14th	~

Reading In Funny Places

This week, is **BOOK WEEK** and we have some fun filled exciting activities ready for you all including a **whole school competition** called **READING IN FUNNY PLACES!**

So, can you have a good think about the idea of 'Reading in Funny Places'. Where could you read your book so that it makes us all smile and laugh? Perhaps you'd like to dress up too? It's completely up to you.



We would like you to upload your photograph onto your phase Google Classroom email (or forward to office@fouldsp.org) and attach a caption, explaining where you are as well as writing a brief summary of your book too. Would you recommend the book or story? Why? Maybe think about your favourite characters? Perhaps you could even choose to read a funny story.

Hopefully, lots of you will enter and the teacher's look forward to viewing your entries. I wonder who will be the ultimate **winner IT COULD BE YOU!**

Good luck and enjoy the competition—Mrs Strong



FOULDS PTA NEWS



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SILVER COIN CHALLENGE

RUNNING EVERY FRIDAY UNTIL MAY HALF TERM

CALL OUT FOR ANY SPARE SILVER COINS (5p, 10p, 20p & 50p)

COLLECTION BUCKETS WILL BE BY THE GATE ON ARRIVAL FOR DONATIONS

EACH CLASS IS RAISING MONEY TO SPEND ON SUPPLIES FOR THEIR CLASSROOM

£30 DONATED BY KRONOS AND RHEA FOR THE CLASS THAT RAISES THE MOST

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Kronos & Rhea

Silver coin challenge update:

Maple are in the lead with £43.45
Birch: £41.13
Oak: £38.70

As a school we have raised a total of £274.88 so far. Thank you so much to all who have donated.

Tomorrow is another chance to donate if you haven't already.

Overview of After school / Lunchtime activities, clubs & lessons

Activity	Date	Time
Football (Non Stop Action) YR3/4	Tuesday 20 April	3.15-4.15pm
Football (Non Stop Action) KS1 (FULL)	Wednesday 21 April	3.30-4.30pm
Cheerleading Club (Yr 5/6 Saracens) follow link to book https://bookwhen.com/saracenscheeranddance	Friday 23 April	3.15-4.15pm
Running Club (Yr3/4) Mrs Kent	Monday 26 April	3.10-4.05pm
Running Club (Yr 5/6) Mrs Kent	Wednesday 28 April	3.00-4.00pm
Running Club (Yr 1/2) Mrs Kent	Thursday 29 April	3.25-4.15pm
Please email the office for a registration details		
Gymnastics Club (Yr 3/4) Mrs Groom (FULL)	Monday 19 April	3.25-4.10pm
Gymnastics Club (Yr 5/6) Mrs Groom (FULL)	Thursday 22 April	3.15-4.00pm
Please email the office to register an interest		
Cricket Club (Yr 5/6) Navad Akhtar	Monday 19 April	3.00-4.00pm
Cricket Club (Yr 3/4) Navad Akhtar	Thursday 22 April	3.15-4.15pm
Please email the office for a registration form		

School diary of events

SRING TERM 2021

Thursday 6 May	Djembe Drumming session Yr3/4 (PM)
Tuesday 11 May	Cuffley Information Webinar (Yr 4 & 6) at 6pm (link already circulated)
Wednesday 12 May	School class photos with Diego Bonfanti
Thursday 13 May	Yr 5 Secondary School Transfer & Sayers Croft—Google Meet at 6pm (link to follow)
Monday 17 May	Barnet Sports Partnership working with whole school—sporting activities
Wednesday 19 May	My Bank Yr3/4
	Middlesex Cricket Club working with whole school
Friday 28 May	PTA Non-uniform day—Last day of the Silver Coin Challenge
	Finish for half term
	Half Term Holiday Monday 31 May—Friday 4 June
Monday 7—Friday 11 June	Yr6 School Journey to Cuffley Camp (week)
Monday 14 & Tuesday 15 June	Yr4 School Journey to Cuffley Camp (overnight)
Friday 18 June	Yr5 'Sleepover' in school (details to follow)
Tuesday 22 June	International Day in school
Thursday 24 June	New Reception Parents meeting at 6.30pm in the playground
Friday 25 June	Reception (current) Social Event on the playground at 4.00-5.30pm
w/c Monday 28 June	Parent/teacher consultations online (day and time TBC)
Friday 2 July	Reception trip to Celtic Harmony
Saturday 3 July	Foulds Sponsored Fun Run & Picnic on Christ Church field
Monday 5 July	Yr3/4 Sports Day (AM)
	Yr5/6 Sports Day (PM)
w/c Monday 5 July	Parent/teacher consultations online (day and time TBC)
Wednesday 7 July	EYFS reports home & attendance new classes details for all classes
Friday 9 July	Perform Workshops (AM) EYFS & KS1
w/c Monday 12 July	Yr6 Leavers' Production over 2 days (day & time TBC)
Tuesday 13 July	Reception Sports Day (AM)
	KS1 Sports Day (PM)
Thursday 15 July	Yr 5/6 Interhouse Sports
	Yr6 Leavers' Disco (parent-run)
Friday 16 July	Yr3/4 Interhouse Sports
Wednesday 21 July	School finishes at 3pm
Wednesday 1 September	INSET DAY—School closed
Thursday 2 September	Children back to school



STAR PUPILS



Friday 23rd April

Rowan	Nell	For a wonderful attitude to learning and embodying all of the school values, especially resilience. Nell, you are ALWAYS doing your best, and we are so proud of you!
Birch	Heath	For an excellent start to the Summer Term! You have shared some fantastic information about Dinosaurs and are always enthusiastic about learning. For always working hard and trying your best - well done Heath!
Maple	James	Incredible Maths progress and great effort in Literacy also. A very good team player in PE plus a top buddy to your friends!
Hazel	Ranim	Has tried ever so hard since coming back after the holidays. You are expanding your use of vocabulary and putting extra effort into your writing. Well done Ranim.
Willow	Nirav	For your great focus & positive attitude. You have also been a really great team worker
Beech	Noah	For brilliant attitude all week, working so hard and trying your best plus superb input to our work on Ruby's Worry and for being a smiley superstar!
Oak	Ella JP	For a great start to the Summer Term! You have been taking on teacher feedback and putting in lots of effort into all areas of your learning. Well done!
Chestnut	Nate	For working hard on improving your handwriting and for an excellent performance in word wheel.
Elm	Lucien	For a really positive start to the Summer Term; showing great resilience and teamwork. Well done Lucien!

Friday 30th April

Rowan	Isa	For really listening, being so kind and doing some super writing. Great work Isa, you're doing so well!
Birch	Aisha	For having a great week at school - working hard and having a good attitude to learning. For trying hard on your dinosaur information page.
Maple	Nile	For having a very positive, enthusiastic and competitive approach both in the classroom and on the sports field.
Hazel	Olly	For enthusiasm in writing and participating well in class.
Willow	Jayden	For your enthusiastic focus, great teamwork and making really useful links between your learning.
Beech	Adetola	Adetola—you more than deserves to be our star of the week this week. Your literacy skills and understanding are wonderful and you've been a superstar in class all week. Thank you Adetola.
Oak	Harry	For taking on feedback and including a lot of detail into your writing on the Tale of The Three Brothers.
Chestnut	Dylan	For day on day, week on week, being a steady, hardworking learner and for being unflappable!
Elm	Tom	For your mature approach to learning; being a positive role model to those around you.

FOULDS NOTICE BOARD



PARKING

Would parents/carers please remember to park considerately; not on the zig-zags outside the school nor over our neighbours' drives, thank you.

SCHOOL MEALS



Please use **ParentPay** to keep on top of your child's school meal balance, thank you

ABSENCES

If your child is sick or will not be in school for any particular reason please could you telephone the office on **020 8449 2714** as soon as possible in the morning to let us know.

This is particularly important if your child is on the 'Walk to School' register.

Please note children must not return to school for 48 hours following the last bout of either sickness or diarrhoea or both together. Many thanks.

NAMING UNIFORM & KIT

A reminder that all school uniform and kit should be clearly labelled.

LOST PROPERTY

If your child has lost a **named** item of school uniform, call the school office and we will have a look for it!

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Diego Bonfanti will be in school on Wednesday 12th May to take class photos.



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CUFFLEY CAMP—YR 6 SCHOOL JOURNEY 2021

A reminder that instalments can be made at anytime to help spread the cost of the Yr6 School Journey from Monday 7th to Friday 11th June. Final date for payments is **28th May 2021** and should be paid via ParentPay

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CUFFLEY CAMP YR 4 2021

A reminder that instalments can be made at anytime to help spread the cost of the Yr4 overnight trip to Cuffley Camp on Monday 14th to Tuesday 15th June. Final date for payments is **28th May 2021** and should be paid via ParentPay

HADLEY RANGERS FOOTBALL CLUB

DO YOU WANT TO START A NEW TEAM OR BRING YOUR CURRENT SQUAD TO A NEW CLUB?

HADLEY RANGERS ARE LOOKING FOR PLAYERS AND PARENTS WHO WANT TO JOIN US FOR NEXT SEASON...

U7s - CURRENT Y1 PUPILS, U8s - CURRENT Y2 PUPILS, U9s - CURRENT Y3 PUPILS, U10s - CURRENT Y4 PUPILS

- WE PROVIDE COACHED TRAINING ON SATURDAY MORNINGS ON THE ALL WEATHER PITCH AT MACCABI IN ROWLEY LANE
- A DEDICATED GOAL KEEPING COACH
- HOME GAMES ARE PLAYED ON SUNDAY MORNINGS AT ST JOHN'S SENIOR SCHOOL

...PLEASE GET IN TOUCH USING THE DETAILS BELOW IF YOU'RE INTERESTED

Respect

Please contact Rob Dean on 07831741147 or robertfraserdean@hotmail.com for details