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FOULDS SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents and Carers,

What a wonderful half term we have had. It might seem strange for me to say that with the numbers of covid cases we have had, the need to bubble and the staggered start and hometimes. However, despite these changes, the children have once again settled into learning in their new year groups very well. As I walk around the school, I can see our values of respect, responsibility, kindness, teamwork, resilience and self belief shining through, whichever classroom or playground I walk through.

The children have been working on their Foulds' Characteristics of Learning and how to recognise what zone they are in (Zones of Regulation). Both of these help them to be in the best frame of mind and ready learning. Everyone has shown great resilience; with so many changes having to be implemented and many children being out for different amounts of time, the children have not been phased, have continued to be enthusiastic learners and work hard.

The amount of work the children have done for 'This is Me' Month has been brilliant and it has led to many interesting discussions about the children's backgrounds and ancestry. The children have been really excited to look at the family trees and to watch each other's interviews - they have learnt so much about each other as well as about themselves. It has also been a wonderful opportunity for them to practice their presentation skills when sharing this information.

I want to thank you all for the wonderful donations that we have had this week. With the number of Harvest Festival donations we have received, we are able to split these between the Almshouses and the local food bank. Thank you for all the chocolate that is going to make for a wonderful tombola at the Christmas Fair this year. We also raised £111.37 so far for Cancer Research and that is before we add the staff donations into that. I am also looking forward to finding out who has won the PTA 'Guess the Pumpkin Weight' competition and wonder if anyone guessed the actual weight!

After half term we will be returning to normal (non-staggered) start and hometimes. Barnet Public Health have advised us however, to ask every child to take a lateral flow test on Sunday 31st October in the evening before returning to school on Monday 1st November. This is to try to prevent another outbreak at the start of next half term.

Wishing you all a safe and healthy half term

Kim Sanett

Inset Day ~ Friday 22nd October ~ School Closed
Half Term ~ Monday 25 October - Friday 29 October

Foulds' Staff Interviews Kim Sanett

1) How long have you worked at Foulds, what is your role and what do you like most about the school?

I am the Headteacher at Foulds and this is my fourth year at the school. What do I love most about Foulds? So many things! I couldn't work with better colleagues - everyone who works at Foulds is kind, funny, passionate and really cares and are all working towards the same goal - for everyone to be lifelong learners. The children are amazing; always challenging themselves to improve, funny, full of character and passionate to help to improve the world. The parents are also great and really supportive. Something else I love about Foulds is how once you have been at Foulds you really feel a part of the Foulds Family and it is always lovely to see our ex-families coming back to visit us and share their news.

2) What is the craziest thing that has happened at the school while you've been here?

Gosh there are quite a few! I would have probably said Ofsted visiting after I'd not long been at Foulds, but then we had Covid!! I think the craziest thing within the last two years has been the amount we managed to do as a school; changing the way we taught online, managing bubbles, helping everyone to feel connected, opening Foulds up to Whittings Hill children when they needed it...but the craziest was probably the fact that anyone managed to convince me to sing on two of the videos we sent out!

3) What is your life ambition?

I shared this with the children in Wednesday's assembly for This is Me month. My ambition when I was 10 was to become a Headteacher. My ambitions changed over time but that one remained and it is one that I have achieved. I haven't really got a personal ambition now - my ambitions are around how I want Foulds to grow and develop as a school. But I guess my big goal is to have a positive impact on as many children's lives and education as possible.

4) Where is your favourite holiday destination?

Anywhere warm where I can go scuba diving. In the UK I love going to a little town called Shoreham by Sea that I have visited since I was little and I spend as much of the summer there as possible. It is the place where I can feel really relaxed.

5) What did you want to be as a child?

From the age of 5, I wanted to be a teacher. At one point I wanted to be a marine biologist but other than that I always wanted to be a teacher!

6) Where are you from?

I was born and grew up in North London - in Southgate. I have lived in Cambridge, Australia and France at different times. My great grandparents were from Prussia (which of course no longer exists), Portugal and Poland.

7) Which celebrity would you love to meet?

Not a celebrity but I would love to meet the Queen. She has had such an incredible life and amazing experiences.

8) What is your favourite meal?

My mum's homemade fish and chips!

9) What is your favourite subject?

History was my specialism when I was studying but I love teaching all subjects. I especially love PE, Maths, English and History.

10) If you could go back in time what era would you go to?

World War Two - I am fascinated by this time period. It would also mean I could spend some time with my grandparents who were alive (and young) at that time.

Annual Flu Vaccination Rec-Yr6

Flu vaccinations will be carried out in school on **Monday 22 November** (letter to parents emailed out on 19th October). The consent process is electronic so, **if you have not already done so**, please click on the link in the letter

You will need to enter the unique code for our school which is CL101279

If the nursing team do not have consent from you, your child will not receive the vaccination.

Remember Remember the 5th of November

If you are going to an organised Display or having Fireworks at Home — Please remember the Firework Code



- ★ Keep fireworks in a closed box
- ★ Follow the instructions on each firework
- ★ Light all fireworks at arms length
- ★ Stand well back
- ★ Never go back to a lit firework
- ★ Never put fireworks in your pocket
- ★ Never throw fireworks
- ★ Keep Pets indoors



★ Star Pupils ★

	ROWAN	BIRCH	MAPLE	BEECH	HAZEL	WILLOW	CHESTNUT	ELM	OAK
24/9 SELF BELIEF	Rory Riley	Sonny Thea	Millie Noah	Harrison Rida	Raffi Lynne	Salma Flossy	Maya Joseph	Hattie Burron	Harry Julia
1/10 KINDNESS	Alex Armela	Alexia Tia	Elsa Charlie	Aisha Stefania	Leo Talitha Nancy	Ryder Jonathan	Jasper Josh	Bethany Dylan M	Iniya Bruce
8/10 RESPONSIBILITY	Barney Ada	Ivan Nell	Albert Carrie	Marnie Jordan	Nirav Evelyn	Betsy Rochelle	Heidi Toby W	George Poppy	Yagna Victoria
15/10 GROWTH MINDSET	Benjamin Alice	Zack Gioia	Orla Matthew	Thomas N Artie	Jake Betsie	India Elise	Lucy Kinan	William Liliana	Scarlett Jayden
21/10 RESPECT	Nina Kaspar	Dylan Scarlett	Edmund Georgia	Oliver B Lily	Persephone Conrad	Luka Alman	Pieter Florence	Jessie Olivia	Alphee Sanvi

School diary of events

AUTUMN TERM 2021

Friday 22 October	INSET DAY—school closed
	Monday 25th—Friday 29th October HALF TERM
Monday 1 November	Previously cancelled Hazel parent/teacher consultations (online –same codes)
Thursday 4 November	Young Shakespeare Workshop for Yr5/6 (am)
Friday 5 November	Non uniform day (PTA) for donations of bottles for Christmas Fair
	Football vs St John's, N20 (A) –k/o 3.30pm (tbc)
Friday 12 November	Football vs Cromer Road at OECC—k/o 3.30pm (tbc)
Friday 19 November	KS1 Perform Workshop (am)
Saturday 20 November	PTA Race Night & Disco
Monday 22 November	Nasal Flu Spray Vaccination for Rec to Yr6 (am)
Tuesday 23 November	Football vs Livingstone (A) - k/o 3.30pm
Friday 30 November	Football vs Sacred Heart at OECC—k/o 3.30pm (tbc)
Wednesday 1 December	Yr 5/6 Trip to Imperial War Museum, Duxford
	Apple visit The Painted Pot (am)
	Pear visit The Painted Pot (pm)
Saturday 4 December	PTA Christmas Fair
Friday 17 December	Finish for Christmas

SPRING TERM 2022

Tuesday 4 January	INSET DAY—School closed
Wednesday 5 January	Children back to school
Friday 11 February	INSET DAY—school closed
	Monday 14th—Friday 18th February HALF TERM

Dear Parents/Carers,

Please find below the term and holiday dates for the academic year **2021/2022**, which you may find useful for future planning of holidays etc.

Please note the extra day off on Monday 6th June for Jubilee Bank Holiday

Autumn term 2021

School closed:	INSET DAY Friday 22 nd October
Half term:	Monday 25 th October - Friday 29 th October
Last day of term:	Friday 17 th December

Spring term 2022

School closed:	INSET DAY Tuesday 4 th January
Beginning of term:	Wednesday 5 th January
School closed:	INSET DAY Friday 11 th February
Half term:	Monday 14 th February - Friday 18 th February
Last day of term:	Friday 1 st April

Summer term 2022

Beginning of term:	Tuesday 19 th April
School closed:	Monday 2 nd May (May Day Bank Holiday)
Half term:	Monday 30 th May - Friday 3 rd June
School closed:	Monday 6 th June (Jubilee Bank Holiday)
Last day of term:	Thursday 21 st July
School closed:	INSET DAY Friday 22 nd July

FOULDS SPORTS NEWS

Foulds vs Dangrove

We kicked off on a pitch that we had not seen before, It was bobbly, short and skinny but it didn't make a difference to Foulds' unbeaten run.

Early on, our speedy winger capitalised on a goalkeeper error and made no mistake by belting it into the roof of the net..... 1-0! In quick succession, our solid defender wellied it wide but then an opposing defender stuck their foot out and it deflected in. Goal! 2-0. Heading towards half-time, the gaffer decided to mix things up a bit and make a few subs. Soon after, two more goals came and we were heading into half-time very comfortably.

The half-time team talk was about staying focused and not losing our heads. We made a couple of subs including a keeper and then the second half got under-way. Dangrove came out more determined and Foulds found it harder to break them down. However, that didn't stop Foulds from getting two more goals. The second last goal was the result of some great football and then we finished off with an easy tap in. In the last minute, the Foulds keeper made a fabulous save leaving Foulds with a clean sheet.

Eventually the final whistle went and Foulds came out with a nice 6-0 win - a good friendly to get us off and ready for the new season!

By JL





FOULDS PTA NEWS



Foulds School

Christmas Fair

4th DECEMBER

- Live Music
- Kids Games
- Meet Santa
- Inflatables
- BBQ
- Covered Bar
- Tombola
- Hot winter cocktails

12 to 4pm

Outdoor Fun
for all the family!

**SATURDAY 20TH
NOVEMBER**

Proudly sponsored by Perk
Coffee Bar

NEIGHBOURHOOD
perk
COFFEE BAR

Race Night & Disco

FEATURING

*Horse Racing on big
screen lots of
competitive fun!*

Pizza included

BYO drinks



****SELLING FAST**
LIMITED NUMBER OF TICKETS AVAILABLE!**

Pay via PayPal
fouldspta@gmail.com

£12 PER TICKET

**7.30PM TO LATE
IN SCHOOL HALL**

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!

PARENTS OF PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN

If your child was born between 1st September 2017 and 31st August 2018, they will need a place in a Reception class during the school year which begins in September 2022

The way to apply is online at www.eadmissions.org.uk
If you have any queries, please contact the Admissions Team at the London Borough of Barnet on

020 8359 7651

The closing date is 15 January 2022

SECONDARY SCHOOL

INFORMATION

Closing date for online Year 6 secondary transfer applications is
31 October 2021

CONGRATULATIONS

To Shelby who has passed her Royal Academy of Dance, Grade 4 with Merit