



WEEKLY NEWS Friday 6th December 2019

Message from the Headteacher

Please take time to look at our Bow Arts Bee display on the first floor corridor. Each class spent a day with our artists Sara and Heather. They worked on a variety of mark making and drawing activities; children drew bees and flowers taking great care to add detail. Children learned about the fact that bees are endangered. They learned how important bees are to us as human beings; they pollinate and help plants to produce food.



Star of the Week

Abid Year 4

I was chosen to be **Star of the Week** because I am kind and caring to my fellow pupils.

My mum was very proud.

Whole School Attendance

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Nursery -92%
 Reception -94%
 Yr 1—93%
 Yr 2— 97%
 Yr 3— 91%
 Yr 4—97%
 Yr 5—98%
 Yr 6- 93%
 Well done to Yr 5 -98%

Parents Events

Toy Library- Tuesdays 9:00 am
Coffee Morning – Wed 9:00 am
Dads’ Football- Thurs 9:00
at Thomas Buxton

Bagel & Books Breakfast

On Wednesday we hosted our first Bagels and Books breakfast. Thank you to all parents and carers who attended and read with their children. We will run our next Bagels & Books session in February.

Important Dates

Mon 9th – Wed 11th Dec - Scholastics book Fair – Music Room
Wed 11th Dec dress rehearsal for the concert (children to wear concert clothing)
Thur 12th Dec 2:15pm- whole school Christmas concert for parents
Thur 12th Dec 4pm Scholars launch event at Swanlea Yr 5&6
Thurs 19th Dec Christmas fayre 2:15- 4:00
Thur 19th Dec last day of term
Fri 20th Dec- Fri 3rd Jan 2020 Christmas holiday
Mon 6th Jan 2020 INSET day – school closed for children
Tue 7th Jan- school starts
Mon 17th Feb- Fri 21st Feb 2020 half term holiday
Mon 6th April to Fri 17th April 2020 Easter holiday
Mon 25th May- Fri 29th May 2019 half term holiday
Friday 17th July 2020 last day of term

WD Play

Please contact Forida on 0207 7391511 admin@williamdavis.towerhamlets.sch.uk if you would like to book your child/ren in to **WD Play** our daily after school club- childcare.
 Charges: £5 one hour; £8 two hours
 3yr olds: £7 one hour, £10 two hours

Christmas Concert

Please come to our annual Christmas concert at **2:15 on Thursday 12th December**. This year it is a whole school event. Please can your child wear a **red or green t- shirt, tinsel or a festive jumper**.

Monday 6th January 2020

Monday 6th January is an INSET day for staff – school is closed for children.

Consultation on school admissions arrangements

The council is consulting on its school admission arrangements for the 2021/22 school year. Changes are being proposed to the published admission numbers for seven schools in Tower Hamlets.



Please visit the council website to view the proposals and complete the online questionnaire, which must be submitted by 3 January 2020.

www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/SchoolAdmissionsConsultation

Please view details of the consultation on school admissions proposals here www.towerhamlets.gov.uk/SchoolAdmissions

Scholastics Book Fair

We will be hosting a book fair with books from Scholastics in the **Music Room** from **3:30-4:15 on Mon 9th – Wed 11th December**.

Our Communication Targets To be a Successful Communicator you need to:

- use a wide vocabulary &
- be polite, respectful and listen to all

Hats, Gloves and Scarves

Please ensure children are well dressed for the cold weather.

Christmas Fayre-we need help!

Please help us make the Christmas Fayre a success for the children. We need:

- raffle prizes
- festive food to sell
- parents who can help to run festive activities/ stalls

Please see Annika or Charlotte if you can help on **Thursday 19th December**.

Scholars Launch Event

Parents of Yr 5&6 children selected for the Swanlea Scholars programme are invited to the launch this Thursday at 4pm at Swanlea.