

After School until 5:30pm

## Parklands Community Primary & Nursery School



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# **Gold Award Winners**

£6

Reception – Kayden, Ivy-Rose & George G Year 1 – Kajus Year 2 - Robyn Year 3 – Nansi Year 4 – Annie & Dean Year 5 – Leighton Year 6 – Thomas H

# September Social - School Fair 3:15pm-6pm, 17<sup>th</sup> September



Join us on Tuesday 17th September for our school fair. Enjoy fun stalls and help us raise money for our school. This will be a great way for families to mix, especially our new families.

## <mark>Own Clothes Day</mark> Raffle & Stall Prizes Needed Friday 13th September

We invite children to come in their own clothes on Friday and in return donate raffle prizes such as bottles, toiletries, stationery, chocolate etc.







It is a warm welcome to all the children who have started in Nursery, Reception and indeed new pupils across the school. The children have been fantastic and settled brilliantly back into the Parklands way.

<b>Clubs</b> Sign up on School Spider		
Monday	Multi-Sports	Years 4 to 6
	Fun & Fitness	
	Wellbeing	Years 1 to 3
Tuesday	Football	Years 1 to 3
	Lego	Reception & Year
	Study Club	Year 5 (invite only)
Wednesday	Gymnastics	Years 4 to 6
Thursday	Gymnastics	Years 1 to 3
Friday	Multi-Sports	Years 1 to 3
	Fun & Fitness	
	Football	Years 4 to 6

# **Dates for your diary**

Fridays 2:35pm – Celebration Assembly 9<sup>th</sup> October - Parents Evening 22<sup>nd</sup> October – Halloween Movie Night 23<sup>rd</sup> October, 1:45pm - Poetry Recital & Coffee Afternoon 28<sup>th</sup> October – 1<sup>st</sup> November – Half Term 4<sup>th</sup> November – Autumn 2 Starts 4<sup>th</sup> November – Y5/6 Visit to Safety Central 5<sup>th</sup> November – Flu Spray 6<sup>th</sup> November – Flu Spray 6<sup>th</sup> November – Remembrance Parade 17<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Movie Night 18<sup>th</sup> December – Whole School Christmas Play

## Cake Sale - Donations Needed

Please bring in cake donations for the fair on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> or Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September.

## **Uniform & PE Kit**



The children look so smart in their uniform. Thank you for following the school rules. Please, please put your child's name in all their clothes. Children must also be in Parklands PE kit on PE days. Dojos are awarded every day for children in correct uniform/ PE kit.

It's important for children's safety and happiness that they don't wear jewellery. This is because it's easy for it to get lost or broken. Accidents are also easy, especially during an active playtime or PE lesson. Small stud earrings are permitted.

# Retirement

We would like to share with you that Mrs Gorman has now retired from school. Many of you will know Mrs Gorman who has been both a parent and staff member here for many years, as well as a pupil on the old site. Mrs Gorman has been a committed member of our school community, and we are very grateful to her for her contribution to the school. Children will talk to you about Mrs Gorman ensuring they eat plenty at lunchtime so they have plenty of energy for afternoon learning; children will have enjoyed reading to her; staff will talk about how much she loves our school and how generous she is. Governors and staff members, together with Concordia Trust would like to thank Mrs Gorman for her hard work and wish her every success for the future.

## **PE Days**

Monday – Year 1, Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 Tuesday – Year 3, Year 4 and Year 6 Wednesday- Year 1, Year 2 and Year 5 Thursday – Year 2 and Year 6

Children in the Early Years (Nursery & Reception) are typically active for at least half of the day. Through planned activities and provision, we aim to ensure that they feel out of breath for at least 60 minutes over the full day. Once the Reception children are settled, we will introduce more formal PE lessons.

## Day in the Life Of....

Following the success of the 'Day in the Life of Year 2' we will be rolling this out to all classes. Parents/family members will be invited to join their child for a school dinner followed by learning in class. Dates to follow...

#### **School Dinners**

Our wonderful cook Hannah has been promoted within Edsential. However, Kate, who worked alongside Hannah, has taken over as head cook. We are in safe hands; dinners continue to be delicious. We have a new and improved 3-week menu which was voted on by the children in the summer term. This has been emailed to you and is also on the school website under 'parent information - school dinners'. Each day there is a main choice which is also available as a vegetarian option. For example, on Monday it will be sausage roll which is available also as veggie sausage roll. This Monday will start Week 2. Dinners are free for all children in Reception, Year 1 and 2, as well as those entitled to benefit related Free School Meals. For all other children. they cost £2.95.



Congratulations to Ms Hughes who has had her baby. Little Freddie Michael (5lbs 7oz) joined us a little early at the end of August. We wish Ms Hughes, and her partner Matthew, lots of love.



Each week, we celebrate children for their achievements. Children receive a range of certificates, and we take a moment to talk about each individual. We also give all our children a book on their birthday. Children are most welcome to bring in their medals, trophies, and certificates from their hobbies at home. Friends and families are welcome to join us in the hall every week from 2:35pm.