



# Godwin Newsletter 9th June 2017

## Head Teacher's Message

Dear Parents and Carers,

Election fever grasped us this week, when the whole school immersed itself in 'Election Day'. The children learnt about our parliamentary system, formulated policies, wrote their party manifestoes and then crafted crowd-pleasing speeches. Party candidates delivered these with passion and enthusiasm before the electorate went to the ballot box. At the end of the day we were paid a surprise visit from local MP Lyn Brown, who took time out of her busy schedule to act as the Returning Officer.

As well as being a lot of fun, our Election Day provided an opportunity for us help the children develop an understanding of their civic duty, and to make them aware that citizens' responsibilities go hand in hand with the rights that they enjoy as being part of a democracy. The day was a victory for the British Values of Democracy, Individual Liberty and Mutual Respect." Congratulations and well done to the Year 5 pupils who represented the school at the Newham Tri-Golf tournament this week. As always, they were a credit to the school and performed very well.

Enjoy the weekend



### Half Price Book Fair

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June

3.20pm – 4.00pm in the Dinner Hall



Come to the Scholastic Half Price Book Fair for fabulous summer bargains!

### Diary Dates

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June – GOSH Dress up day

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June – Staff INSET school closed to pupils

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Class Photographs

Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Production

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July – Year 6 Production

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Years 3, 4 & 5 Parent/Carers Assemblies

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July – Community Picnic

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> July – Last Day of Term

## **Carers Week**

12<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup> June

FREE events for those who provide unpaid support to a family member, friend or neighbour.

12<sup>th</sup> & 14th June 10am-4.00pm

Shrewsbury Road Surgery  
Information sessions

More information at

[carers.team@newham.gov.uk](mailto:carers.team@newham.gov.uk)

## **GOSH Dress Up Day**

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June

All pupils and staff are invited to dress up in a glamourous, opulent, stunning or handsome style - £1 donation.

All proceeds to Great Ormond Street Hospital.



## **Thank you**

A BIG thank you to all who supported the pupils of Year 6 at their Enterprise Fair at the end of last term.

They raised a fantastic £1069.43 towards their Southend visit next month!

## **Attendance**

Our top three classes for attendance week ending

26<sup>th</sup> May were:

3T – 100%  
5S – 98.7%  
3A & 6J – 98.6%



## **Punctuality**

Our best on time classes for week ending

26<sup>th</sup> May were:

3A & 5S – 0 lates  
3B & 6W – 1 late  
3T – 2 lates



## **Achievement Awards**

Congratulations to the following children who received Achievement Certificates in assembly today:



Tilly – 3A

Kristina – 3B

Aaron – 3T

Rosa – 4A

Tanisha – 4C

Suzy – 4D

Tavia, Amaan, Maria, Bryn, Usmah & Lola – 5A

Tafazzul – 5S

Kira – 5V

Kiyarna – 6J

Zain – 6S

PJ – 6W



**EXCELLENT!**