

PAPILLON HOUSE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

28th May 2021

Dear Parents/Guardians

Thank You to you all for your support throughout this half-term and, indeed, the school year. I hope you have a lovely half-term and, hopefully, the sun will finally shine.

Community Visits

This week some of our young people from Admiral and Emperor Classes went walking at Reigate Hill. Peacock Class went to feed the ducks at Fourwents Pond and spent some of the time playing in the mud fortunately, they were able to retrieve the wellington boot that got stuck! Today Caterpillar Class have been to Box Hill and when they came back to school that had a Teddy Bears' Picnic.

Star of the Week

Our "Stars" this week are:

Caterpillar	Jamie	<i>"Very good reading"</i>
Meadow	All the children in the class Aiden, Ariana, Bailey, Joseph, Liam, Logan S	<i>"Working very hard during this half-term"</i>
Peacock	Zack	<i>"Fantastic cycling on the hand peddle bikes"</i>
Swallowtail	Louis	<i>"Fantastic maths work and a very good week"</i>

Congratulations to all our "Stars" throughout this half-term and to all our children and young people who have each excelled in their own way. Well done.

Assembly

At our "Zoom" Assembly this week Freddie sang "Cauliflowers Fluffy" as part of Swallowtail Class's topic on "Healthy Eating." At the end of the assembly Freddie spontaneously gave a message to the whole school to "Be Kind to our Friends." Well done, Freddie. *Katie Lonnborg, Acting Head Teacher*

Therapy

Congratulations, to Tabitha who has been promoted to Occupational Therapy Practitioner. Well done, Tabitha and thank you, as always for all your hard work and your commitment to the Team, our children and young people.

Papillon House School Class Display Awards

This half-term all our classes have competed for Best Class Display. The awards were present as follows:

1 st Place	Monarch Class for their interactive display about Transport
2 nd Place	Caterpillar Class for their very sensory and tactile display on "Going on a Bear Hunt"
3 rd Place	Admiral Class for their display about the Planet Earth.

Well done to these classes and all those who took part. It should be noted that Admiral's Class had a "secret weapon" in Yara who gave an excellent video presentation of their display, to myself and Katie. The competition will resume after half-term and, I am sure, will be just as fiercely contested.

School Policies

Our latest policy to be updated is our Behaviour Policy. This is now available on our website and I would encourage you to read it. Thank you.

Update on COVID-19

We currently have no children or staff with COVID-19 or self-isolating. This is extremely good news and we are very hopeful that this will continue.

Our updated COVID-19 Risk Assessment is also on the website.

Diary Dates

A reminder that we return to school on Monday 14th June.

Below is a list of events taking place this term. I will send you further information nearer the time.

DAY	DATE	TIME	EVENT
Monday	14 th June		Start of Summer Term 2
Friday	2 nd July		End of Year Reports
Monday	5 th July	3.30-7pm	Parents' Evening
Wednesday	21 st July		End of Term

Have a lovely half-term.



Gillian Hutton
Director