

Cannon Lane Primary School Key Stage 1 Newsletter

Summer 1st Half Term 2016



Dear Parents and Carers,

What another wonderful half term Year 1 and Year 2 children have had! There have been many memorable achievements, celebrations and learning experiences. Enjoy reading about some of the different highlights...

Happy Birthday your Majesty!

We thoroughly enjoyed celebrating the Queen's birthday at the start of the half term. Children enjoyed looking at pictures and video clips from the past and the present. They also patriotically sang the national anthem and 'Happy Birthday' to her majesty whilst enjoying their own tasty treat.

Marvellous Maths

Throughout this half term, children have put lots of effort into developing their mathematical skills. In Year 1 children have particularly enjoyed learning about money: using different combinations of coins, adding coins together and making change. Whereas in Year 2 have worked hard on understanding fractions and applying this to shapes, amounts and problems. Teachers have been really pleased that children are more confident in applying their knowledge to problems and real life situations. Thank you for supporting this at home and please continue to support children in using maths in real life situations. For example, using money at the shops, measuring ingredients for a recipe and telling the time.

Spectacular Strings

Children in Year 2 have developed their musical skills throughout the year through participating in the Harrow Strings project. They have enjoyed learning to play the violin, viola and cello and now can play a range of different songs. We would love to share this with parents and carers on Thursday 7th July at 10.15 in the downstairs hall.



Celebrating Queen Elizabeth's birthday



Year 2 children playing the cello

Walk to School

The children have been trying hard to walk to school every Wednesday. If they walk to school every Wednesday for the month they get a badge. A couple of weeks ago was 'walk to school week' where the children were encouraged to walk every day. We have talked to them about the benefits of this and the safety aspects. Also, we are asking pupils in Harrow to design a walking mascot! Pupils can draw a picture of a mascot that will help us promote walking to school. The winning design will be transformed into a real life mascot, which will be used in schools throughout the borough. What an exciting opportunity!



We are enjoying walking to school every Wednesday

Key Stage 1 Mini Olympics

Ten children from Year 1 and 2 represented Cannon Lane brilliantly whilst participating in a variety of Olympic events. Throughout the day, the children demonstrated enthusiasm, skill and resilience and this resulted in finishing 2nd out of over twenty schools.

Well done to all of the children involved: Daniel (2M), Andrea (2M), Ellias (2LH), Vannha (2LH), Aryaan (2KH), Saiish (2KH), Kai (1M), George (1D), Dev (1A) and Alex (1S).



Fun at the mini Olympics

Upcoming Events

Summer Fair and Circus- Sunday 19th June

Sports Day- Friday 1st July

Year 2 Animal Workshop in school- Tuesday 5th July

Year 1 School Trip to Bird World- Wednesday 6th July

Year 2 Strings Concert- Thursday 7th July

On behalf of all of the staff in Year 1 and Year 2, I would like to thank you for your ongoing support.


Please feel free to come and see me if there is anything you would like to discuss.

With very best wishes,

Mrs N Brown,

Assistant Headteacher for Key Stage 1

Class Assemblies

	Class	Date of Assembly
	1D	16 th June



Well done to 1S and 1A for their recent amazing assemblies!