

Eton Wick C of E First School

NEWSLETTER 6 - 2020/2021

Friday 16th October 2020

HEAD BOY AND HEAD GIRL ELECTIONS

This week, we held our elections for Head Boy and Head Girl in Year 4. We had 6 candidates in total who each did a wonderful presentation to the whole school (via Zoom). So much effort and thought were put into each of the presentations. Each child put a cross in the box of their voting paper, and the results were incredibly close, which is testament to the effort they all put in.

Our New Head Boy and Head Girl are: Reuben Stone and Bella Bainton.

The Deputy Head Boy and Head Girl are: Aami Asif and Cameron Harris

A huge well done to all who put themselves forward: Aami Asif, Bella Bainton, Barney Farmer, Cameron Harris, Reuben Stone and Amelia Taylor-Scott.



AMAZON WISHLIST

Thank you for the donation of books this week, which we have received from the Amazon Wishlist. Should you wish to donate an item, please visit our wishlist here:

https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/2EP0LY4LKBGDJ/ref=nav wishlist lists 1? encoding=UTF8&type=wishlist



ETON WICK ADMISSIONS LEAFLETS

We had a great response for posting Eton Wick Admissions leaflets through letterboxes. Thank you to everyone who has volunteered and given up their time to help us out.



RAINBOW OF HOPE

Yesterday, while waiting in the queue after school, a parent spotted this wonderful rainbow over our school with this message:

I'm sending it to you all as a symbol of hope and good vibes for the Eton Wick school children and staff \odot



EXPRESS DAYS

We were hoping that the children could share their books with you outside on the playground. However, we think the weather next week is going to hamper this, so we've taken the decision to cancel these sessions.

Instead, we will be sending you all through a small presentation of some of the learning this term from each class.

Maths and English books will be available to look through at parent evenings after half term.

PARENT/TEACHER CONSULTATIONS

As long as guidance allows, we will be holding parent/teacher consultations between 3:45pm and 6:00pm on Tuesday 3rd November and Thursday 5th November.

Each slot is 10 minutes and will give you an opportunity to hear how your child is getting on at school and give you a chance to have a look through their books.

A link is being sent to you to sign up. If you have siblings, please can we ask that you leave a 10-minute gap between each sibling. There will be a stringent one-way system in place, which means you will have to leave the building through one exit and make your way back to the front of the school for the second appointment. Masks will have to be worn at all times. Should guidance change, these meetings will take place virtually at the same time slots which you sign up for.

GAZEBO, MATCH FUNDING

Very sadly, due to the deteriorating wood and safety, our long-standing gazebo has been condemned, and has been dismantled. We would love to replace it with a new one, and Mrs Tarbox is hard at work getting grants. Should you know of any company who is able to help out in any way, such as match funding, please contact Mrs Tarbox.



SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

Tempest the school photographer will be in next Thursday to take individual photographs. They have been advised not to take sibling photographs as the photographer cannot have contact with the children which they would normally do to get the pose right.

BOOK FAIR

Our Autumn book fair is always a popular event for families, with commission from the book sales going towards books for the school library.

Due to current restrictions, the event is looking slightly different to previous years. A book fair leaflet was emailed to parents last week where they could browse and select books.

To place an order parents need to complete the form on the back of the book leaflet, following the steps below:



- 1. Write out the order.
- 2. Call the highlighted telephone number to make payment to Scholastic.
- 3. Record the transaction code on the order form which will be given at time of payment.
- 4. Return the order form including the transaction code to school by email to office@etonwickschool.org.uk.

The order line will be open to **Sunday 1st November**, with all paperwork needing to be emailed to school by **2nd November** for us to place the whole school order.

We hope you find this system easy, and allows your children to still access a large range of books from the fair without the usual books cases.

If you have any questions please contact the office.

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

Quartz:: Pricilla Whyte

Sapphire: Fleur Titmuss

Diamond: Inayah Naseem

Opal: Nathaniel Wood



KS1: Reggie Vinall

KS2: Maja Jablonska

GOLDEN BOOK

Maths: Charlie Carter



ASSEMBLY PRAYER

Dear God in Heaven
Thank you for our head boy and girl.
Help them to do well and show respect.
Please forgive us if we don't make good choices.

Amen

Written by Amelia Taylor-Scott and Laila Touray – Year 4