



It has been a pleasure to welcome Y6 back to school this week after a great week away at Kingswood on School Journey. Thank you to Mrs Lipinska for leading the trip and to Tim, Ryan, Mr Mtya and Miss Baiza for helping.

World Book Day

World Book Day takes place on Thursday 5th March. We are holding a 'bed time' theme for the day so children can come to school in their pyjamas and onesies. The whole school (Nursery to Year 6) will be reading 365 Penguins. There will be class buddy-ups from 2.30pm which parents are invited to. A letter is coming home today with all of this information.

Ms Hussein

After having her baby girl Salwa, Ms Hussein has decided not to return to teach at Heathmere after her maternity leave ends. She will be coming in next Friday to say goodbye. Please join us in our Friday morning assembly next week if you would like to. I am sure you will join me in thanking Ms Hussein for everything she did for the children she taught at Heathmere and wishing her and her family all the best for the future.

Measles

As you will be aware, there was a measles outbreak in Wandsworth before Christmas and we had several cases here at Heathmere. If your child has not been vaccinated, there are vaccination clinics available. These are free for all children.

Clapham Junction	27 th February 4.15pm – 7.15pm	York Garden Children's Centre SW11 2UG
Putney	5 th March 3.45pm – 6.45pm	Putney Leisure Centre SW15 1BL
Tooting	10 th March 4.15pm – 7.15pm	Tooting Leisure Centre SW17 ONE

Training Day

School is closed on Monday 2nd March for a teacher training day.

	Events	Clubs 3.30pm – 4.25pm
Monday 2 nd March	School Closed – Teacher Training Day	
Tuesday 3 rd March	Y4 swimming	Y4/5/6 Move It with Matt and School Ambassadors
Wednesday 4 th March	Y4 Rackets Cubed 3pm – 6pm Y3 to Tower of London	Y1 – Y3 Dance with Rachel
Thursday 5 th March	World Book Day Craig Jenkins (Story Teller) in Reception and Y6 height and weight	Y1/2/3/4 Dodgeball with Tim Y5 Football team with Matt
Friday 6 th March	Attendance assembly	

School Improvement

It has been a particularly busy week at Heathmere. We have welcomed 37 Newly Qualified Teachers to school on Wednesday and Thursday to learn about inclusion. They spent time looking around the classrooms and seeing how we meet the needs of all children here within the classroom. There was lots of positive feedback and the teachers were impressed with what they saw at Heathmere.

Pocklington Court

You will be aware of the building work that is taking place on Alton Road, at the bottom of Bessborough Road. The work is due to increase and as a result, double yellow lines are going to be put into place outside Pocklington Court, meaning that there will be no parking here. I will keep you updated as I receive more information.

Coronavirus

I am sure that you have seen lots in the media about the spread of coronavirus. There is a letter coming home today to explain more about this.

Attendance

Our half termly attendance assembly will now take place next week. Apologies for the delay but we were not able to get all the certificates and badges ready for today.

For the week: 10.02.2020							
Class % Attendance Expectation is 95%				Class Punctuality (Number of Lates)			
RB	86%	3R	93%	RB	10	3R	6
1M	98%	4HD	90%	1M	0	4HD	3
1H	88%	5T	96%	1H	1	5T	3
2HM	95%	5G	92%	2HM	3	5G	2
2DM	93%	6L	100%	2DM	1	6L	1
3L	99%	6B	91%	3L	1	6B	3

Attendance winners this week are **6L!**

Punctuality winners this week are **1M!**