

# The Fairley Flyer

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## What's been happening this week at Fairley House...

### **General Knowledge Quiz**

Twenty children went into last Friday's General Knowledge Quiz after it was announced in Assembly and they each received 5 credits. A special well done to those who got all the questions correct and wrote excellent new questions which will be used in the following weeks. This week's special questions are by Isabel, Miranda and Georgia.. Well done!

**Ms R Langton**

### **Thursday 21 January**

On Thursday, Year 5 were transported back in time and attended a lesson at the Fairley House Board School of 1899. They were taught by a Victorian teacher who relished the opportunity to tell them about all the punishments she could give them. These included finger stocks, back boards, the Dunces's cap and the dreaded cane!



**Photo of the Victorian teacher checking the children's hands are clean**

The children did some cursive handwriting (although NOT with their left hands, as the Victorians thought being left-handed was a mark of the devil) and some 'rithmetic (one of the 3 Rs) with an abacus,

All-in-all a very informative, if terrifying, lesson! Thanks to the Freshwater Theatre Company for their visit.



**Miranda receiving the Dunces's Cap**

### **Thursday 21 January**

Anne Ryan, a Governor of Fairley House School and former parent visited the school and saw some lovely Maths work from Mr Bolton's class. She was very impressed with all the children's behaviour. She also came over to Causton Street and saw the Victorian teacher in action and very much enjoyed her visit.

### **House Captain Elections**

Congratulations to all the children below chosen as House Captains.

### **Junior Department**

The children at Lambeth Road elected their new House Captains for this term.

They are:

1. Jake who is re-elected for Nile House
2. Agatha for Amazon House
3. Simon for Thames House
4. Clayton for Ganges House

### Senior Department

The children at Causton Street elected the following new House Captains for this term:

#### Dahl House

Captain - Eleanor

Vice Captain - Oliver

#### Churchill

Captain – Cameron

Vice Captain – Zinzan

#### De Vinci

Captain – Lydia

Vice Captain – George

#### Oliver House

Captain - Alexei

Vice Captain - Nicole

### Friday 15 January, 2pm – Tag Rugby Match

Fairley House vs Hurlingham School at Wandsworth Park was a successful match with a good end result of 30-30.



Photo of the children that played in the Rugby Match

### Junior Department Star Badges

#### Oak

**Stars of the Week** – William and Jack

**Maths Stars of the Week** - Joseph, Archie and Jake

#### Pine

**Star of the Week** – Naila

**Maths Star of the Week** – Max

#### Willow

**Star of the Week** – Phoebe

### Senior Department Top Credit Scorers

This week's top credit scorers are:

Henry	43
Frederick	29
Elmo	29

### What's happening next week...

A lot of Sport!

#### Wednesday 27 January, 2pm

Year 5 and 6 boys have Tag Rugby Match vs Dolphin School at Wandsworth Common

#### Thursday 28 January, 2pm

Year 6 Football Match vs Hampshire Schools at Battersea Park

#### Thursday 28 January

The Junior Department have Tag Rugby Game vs Eaton House at Clapham Common at 2.15pm.

#### Friday 29 January, 2pm

Girls Netball Match vs Hampshire Schools at Millennium Netball Courts, Battersea Park

### Reminders

Clubs for the spring term began this week on Tuesday 19 January. Clubs are being held every Tuesday and Thursday and they will start at 3.30pm. Parents are reminded the clubs last an hour so please kindly pick your children up from the school after their club has finished at 4.30pm.

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