

The Fairley Flyer

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What's been happening recently at Fairley House...

Welcome to the Summer Term

Fairley House was welcomed into the Summer Term with a noticeable difference; the school was much quieter than usual due to approximately 27 children and 2 members of staff being absent. Due to the chaos of the volcanic ash eruption last week children from Fairley House are stranded all over the world in countries as far away as New Zealand, Australia, Dubai, India, Thailand, Brazil, Mexico, America, the Caribbean and Hong Kong! Further children are stuck all over Europe in France, Italy, Spain, Berlin, Switzerland and Greece! Luckily only two of our staff have been stranded; Sheree Cumming in Australia and Aidan De Gruchy in Kentucky. We hope to have everyone back and catching up on missed work by next week.

New Pupils and Staff Beginning at Fairley House this Term

The Junior Department would like to welcome Harriet as a new pupil to the school. Two new members of staff have also joined Lambeth Road; Priya Karia (Speech and Language Therapist) and Monica Convey (Occupational Therapist) who will be starting next week as she has been stuck in Uganda.

The Senior Department would like to welcome three new children:

Thomas, Matthew and Adriana. We wish them all the best of luck whilst at Fairley House.

Friday 23 April - Happy St George's Day

Lambeth Road celebrated St George's day with a story telling session all about St George and had a special lunch with sandwiches using red and white ingredients, Cumberland sausage and ice-cream! The children have also made St George's flags and coloured pictures of knights.

Many children have also done some superb projects during the holidays and the staff are going to be very busy deciding who is going to win the Project Cup this term.

Some of the teachers at the Senior Department were in the English spirit and wore St George's Day hats and ties! During Lunchtime scones with jam and

cream were served to all the children and staff to celebrate the day.



Photo of Miss Doekes and Mr Bentall tasting the St George's Day Scones

Lambeth Road raised money through their Readathon

The children at Lambeth Road have raised a fantastic £243.50 through their sponsored Readathon, congratulations! The money will be shared between 2 children's charities, The Roald Dahl Foundation and CLIC Sargent.

Lambeth Road Class Captains

On Friday 23 April all children at Lambeth Road voted who they wanted to elect as their class captains for this half of term. The following children are Class Captains:

Willow Class - Lucia

Maple Class - Esme

Oak Class - Joseph

Pine Class - Naila

Well done to these pupils who were elected!

Unfortunately as a few of Year 4 are still stranded around the world, House Captain Meetings will not be held till next week.

Causton Street House Captains

Children at the Senior Department had their House Meetings where they elected their new House Captains and Vice House Captains for this term.



Photo of pupils in Churchill House giving their individual speeches to try to gain votes to be elected House Captain

Dahl House

Captain – Tyler
Vice Captain - Oliver

Churchill

Captain – Alexander
Vice Captain – Zinzan

Da Vinci

Captain – Alexander
Vice Captain – Patrick

Oliver House

Captain – Stratton
Vice Captain – Alexei

Junior Department Star Badges

Maple

Star of the Week – Henry

Willow

Star of the Week – Lucas

Due to many of Year 4 children still being absent Stars of the Week were not awarded for Oak and Pine Classes.

Senior Department Top Credit Scorers

This week's top credit scorers are:

Florence	56
Issam	48
Henry	40

What's happening next week...

Monday 26 April - Internet Safety Meeting

Childnet will be coming to Fairley House to provide internet safety training next Monday. All staff and children will be trained during the day **and there will be a training session in the evening for parents from 5pm to 6pm. Please make every effort to attend.**

Tuesday 27 April - Yr 6 Cricket Match

Year 6 Boys have a Cricket Match vs Knightsbridge School at 2.30pm at Burton's Court. Parents are welcome as spectators.

Reminders

After-School Clubs

After-school clubs start again on Tuesday 4th May and end on 17th June. The new clubs included for this term are Homework Club, Choir, French for Beginners Club and Sports Club. Sports Club will include basketball, hockey and cricket. Anyone who wants to do their homework during school can attend the homework club which will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Club letters have gone out today so please send them back promptly.

Error Term Dates 2010 - 2011

As Monday 3rd January is a Bank Holiday, there has been an amendment to the Spring Term Dates as follows:-

Inset: Tuesday 4th / Wednesday 5th January
Term starts: Thursday 6th January
Term ends: Thursday 7th April
Inset: Friday 8th April

Open Mornings

Westonbirt Girls School in Gloucestershire are holding an Open Morning on Saturday 8th May 2010 at 9.30am to 12.30pm for all girls and parents who wish to have an informal tour of the school and grounds. For more information please contact Belinda Holley on 01666 881303 or registrar@westonbirt.gloucs.sch.uk

St Teresa's Girls School in Dorking are holding a Senior School Open Morning on Friday 14th May from 10.00am to 12.30pm.

The School is also having a Boarding Taster Weekend for girls currently in Years 4 and 5 on Friday 14th May to Saturday 15th May. The weekend will include games, craft and cookery sessions, swimming, DVD session, a scavenger hunt and much more! For more details on St Teresa's Summer Term Events and to reserve places please see their website at www.sfteresaschool.com or call Patricia Boardman on 01372 452037.