

News and events from Northwold Primary School



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Golden Achievement Pupils

Congratulations to the following pupils for being the golden pupil of the week:

Class	Pupil
N Mexico	Joey Banks
N Pakistan	Ayse Basatogrul
R Somalia	Tayon Marle
R Ireland	Inayat Patel
1 Bangladesh	Mambo Chibwape
1 Ghana	Munib Azhar
2 Barbados	Kamil Sliczniuk
2 Poland	Tia Dike-Stephens
3 Spain	Hevin Zengin
3 Nigeria	Maretha Webley
4 Brazil	Zaiba Hafesji
4 Jamaica	Richard McGonigle
5 Turkey	Zoe Marshall
5 Russia	Ameerah Seedat
6 China	Ahmed Teladia
6 India	Rafiat Olaide

Northwold Fundraiser for Philippines

As you have probably seen in the media the Philippines has been hit by a major Typhoon. Typhoon Haiyan has affected an estimated 11.3 million people - 4 million of children. We have to do something to want to help. Next Friday, 22nd November we will be having a dress down day and cake sale. We want every child to bring a contribution of at least £1.00. If you can send more it will make a difference. The children will spend the day making cakes to sell at the end of the school day. Parents are invited to come to our Cake Sale in the playground at 3.30pm. If you would like to make a

contribution to the Cake Sale, it will be much appreciated. If parents are unable to come to the sale your child will probably need to bring 50p to buy a cake.

All proceeds will go to UNICEF to help towards rebuilding lives for thousands of families displaced by this tragedy.

Academy Update

Many thanks to all the parents who came to the consultation meeting on Wednesday morning. It was really useful to have your feedback. Governors would like to hear your views on whether we should convert or not so please write to them or email them. The closing date for the consultation is next Friday, 22nd November. Governors will meet to consider feedback from staff and parents on 28th November and make their final decision on 4th December.

Enabling Enterprise Presentation Night

Enabling Enterprise had a Celebration Event on Wednesday 13th November, where they launched their Impact Report for 2012-13 and celebrated all the schools and businesses that they have worked with over the last year. They profiled Northwold in the report, as a school that has really embraced Enabling Enterprise and built on the programmes to make them have a lasting impact. As we are one of their profiled schools, we were invited to take part in the event by doing a presentation about EE and our experiences over the last year. Two of our Year 6 pupils Shyann and George did an amazing presentation. Here is the link to Enabling Enterprise's write-up of the day:
<http://enablingenterprise.org/archives/5487>

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- By walking away from the curb and walk towards oncoming traffic
- By never walking in the park or open spaces alone

They were also told what to do if they feel worried, to ask for help by going:

- to a shop, especially if it's a big shop like Tesco or a pharmacy
- into an optician or dental or doctors surgery
- to a police station
- if they see a police car to flag it down
- to a woman with children

Stranger Danger is a serious problem, so it is very important that you speak to your children regularly about it.

Y6 Enabling Enterprise Challenge Day



On Tuesday 12th November 2013, a group of year 6 children visited UBS investment bank in central London as part of the Enabling Enterprise Programme. The children were exposed to a number of entrepreneurial and team building skills. As part of the project, they were asked to design a 'Snack Shop' for the workers of UBS. This involved some high-level marketing research and accounting skills. They had to work in teams involving other schools to implement the entire project from scratch to a final presentation, which was done in the form of a 'Dragon's Den' presentation. The children thoroughly enjoyed the experience and made our school proud of their behaviour and excellent presentation and team working skills. There will be a follow up project later this academic year and the children are really looking forward to it.

Stranger Danger Assembly

On Monday one of our local community officers came in to speak to our Year 1 – 6 pupils about Stranger Danger. The children were told to keep themselves safe:

- By not walking home alone

The community officer also came in to speak to Year 4 Jamaica Class. She raised a concern about the number of children who have Facebook accounts. It is wrong for any of our pupils to have Facebook accounts. Whilst we can see that having an account can be fun we already know from past experience that it does make the children really vulnerable to bullying. We also know of cases of adults who prey on young Facebook account holders by pretending to be children – the last case involving a 50 year old man. Children don't know who they are chatting to online. If your child has a Facebook account – close it!

Year 2 Barbados National Gallery Trip

Barbados Class went to the National Gallery on Friday 8th November. We drew pictures of people from the paintings in the museum. 'I drew a lady with a blue and white dress.' Fatima on Ingres. 'I liked drawing the man with the beard and black hat.' Omer on Holbein. 'I liked the picture of the people sitting by the water.' Kamil on Seurat.



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Year 5 Residential Trip

At Kench Hill you could never get bored because there was always something going on. I never thought that we would be going for an exciting walk through the forest or an exhilarating trip to Bodiam Castle; I never knew the Bodiam Castle even existed! I learnt a lot there! When we learnt something it was always to do with the outdoors and it was always fun! Being at Kench Hill was not my everyday life as I don't live in the countryside and we don't have as big a garden! To me Kench Hill is all positive and not at all negative. Being at Kench Hill is (so far) the best experience of my life.

By: Luqmaan Sahar
Class: Year 5 Turkey



Saturday School

Our Year 6 Saturday School starts tomorrow Saturday, 16th November! Each session runs from 9.30 – 12.00. An iPad is available for one lucky pupil who attends every session, is always punctual and demonstrates excellent behaviour in and out of school.



Next Week's Menu

Monday	fish fingers	cheese and tomato flan
	chips and beans	
Tuesday	vegetable goulash	vegetable korma
	rice	
Wednesday	cheesy bean wrap	pasta bake
	a selection of salads	
Thursday	beef pie	courgette fritters with chilli jam
	mashed potatoes and mixed vegetables	
Friday	chicken jollof rice	veggie jollof rice

Baked potatoes, seasonal salads, fruit and yoghurts are also available.



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Class Assembly Rota-Autumn 2013

A slot is assigned to each class. Phase 1 class assembly will be on Fridays and Phase 2 on Thursday at 10:45. Please come and support your child.

Date Week Beginning	Phase 1	Phase 2
18.11.13	Ireland	India
25.11.13	Pakistan	Turkey
2.12.13	Mexico	Russia
09.12.13	In Class	Jamaica – Tuesday 10 th December

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2013-2014 School Calendar

September 2013						
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June 2014						
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July 2014						
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August 2014						
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School Closed/ Holidays



Teacher in-Service Day (no school for students)



Half Day



First and Last Day of School



Public Holiday

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