

## News and events from Northwold Primary School



### Golden Achievement Pupils

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

| Class        | Pupils                   |
|--------------|--------------------------|
| 1 Bangladesh | Toyosi Niyi-Oluwu        |
| 1 Ghana      | Fortune Dias De Oliveira |
| 2 Barbados   | Kajal Kaur               |
| 2 Poland     | Mark Fall                |
| 3 Spain      | Dakarai McKenzie         |
| 3 Nigeria    | Bethany Merrifield       |
| 4 Brazil     | Sana Gharbi              |
| 4 Jamaica    | Abdullah Pandor          |
| 5 Turkey     | Yagis Mutlu              |
| 5 Russia     | Jarred Elero             |
| 6 China      | Hussein Omer             |
| 6 India      |                          |

### Welcome Back

A warm welcome back to you all. It was great to see so many smiling faces in the playground and around school this week. We hope you had a fun-filled and restful summer with your children and that they are ready for the year ahead. It is shaping up to be another phenomenally exciting year at Northwold.

### New Staff

We have a number of new faces at Northwold this year. We have Ms Rodriguez (Mexico), Ms Smith (Pakistan), Ms Shahid (Ghana), Ms Hanley (Poland), Mr Richard (Jamaica), Mr Scott (Turkey) and Ms

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Bokciu (Russia) who are joining the teaching staff. Ms Burley has moved from Year 6 to Somalia Class in Reception and is our new Early Years Leader. We extend a warm welcome to them all.

### Class Coffee Mornings

Class coffee mornings will begin in the week commencing 14<sup>th</sup> September. First up on Monday 14<sup>th</sup> will be Brazil class, followed by Jamaica on Friday 18<sup>th</sup>. A full timetable will be published in the next newsletter. It's a great chance for parents to meet the class teacher and one another. We look forward to seeing you there. Wednesday Coffee Mornings will start in October – we will publish more details nearer to the time.

### New email addresses

We now have new email addresses. They are as follows – [office@northwold.amayatrust.com](mailto:office@northwold.amayatrust.com). In other words you change 'hackney.sch.uk' to 'amayatrust.com'. **All school email addresses have made this change.** (The old ones will work for a little while and we'll let you know when they are going to be closed down).

### Viney Hill

There are a few remaining spaces for the year 6 trip to Viney Hill. If you would like your child to go please see the staff in the office or Miss Sams.

Get in touch

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## P.E. Kit

For health and safety reasons, all pupils are required to wear a school PE kit. The school PE kit includes:

- Northwold T-shirt in house colour
- Black tracksuit bottoms/black shorts
- Trainers/Plimsolls
- Jumpers may be worn during colder terms when outside

If for any reason your child is unable to bring the correct PE kit, they may bring other t-shirts/tracksuit bottoms appropriate for PE with a letter.

Black Tracksuit bottoms are available to purchase from the office for £4 (sizes 5-6, 7-8 & 9-11).

If your child doesn't have a Northwold T-shirt, please ask about it in the Office.

Please send your child's PE kit in on a Monday and have them bring it home on Friday. Your child's PE day is as follows –

**Monday – Year 2 and Year 6**

**Tuesday – Year 1 and Year 3**

**Wednesday – Reception and Year 5**

**Thursday – Nursery**

**Friday – Year 4**

## African Threads, Hackney Style – Hackney Museum

This fantastic exhibition explores Hackney's historic ties with Africa through fabric and fashion over the last 400 years. The exhibition launches on 1<sup>st</sup> October 2015. Click here to read more - <http://www.hackney.gov.uk/museum-exhibitions.htm#.VfUibjZREY9>



## e-Safety – SMART Rules



Welcome back to a new and exciting school year. What are the SMART rules for internet use? Discuss them with your child –

- S stands for SAFE
- M stands for MEETING
- A stands for ACCEPTING
- R stands for RELIABLE
- T stands for TELL

Which one is most relevant to your child? Visit <http://www.kidsmart.org.uk/beingsmart/> and discuss the rules in more detail.

If there are any areas of e-Safety you want to know more about, please feel free to discuss it with Mr Braune, your child's teacher or one of the school's leaders.

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## Next Week's Menu

Week 2

|           |                            |                             |
|-----------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Monday    | Pizza                      | 2 Bean Enchilada            |
|           | Wedges and Salads          |                             |
| Tuesday   | Vegetable Chow Mein        | Mixed Bean Bake             |
|           | Boiled Potatoes and Salads |                             |
| Wednesday | Jollof rice                | Mediterranean & Basil Pasta |
|           | Salads                     |                             |
| Thursday  | Quiche                     | Lasagna                     |
|           | Boiled Potatoes and Salads |                             |
| Friday    | Escovitch Fish             | Couscous Casablanca         |
|           | Couscous                   |                             |

Remember! If you don't like the food that's on offer we also do jacket potatoes with fillings every day.

Every day, for dessert, there is fruit and yoghurt.

## Term Dates for 2015-16

There are still 3 INSET days to be allocated.

| Autumn Term 2015                      |   |                                       |   |
|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|
| First Day                             | Half Term   | Finish                                | Number of Days                                    |
| Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> September 2015 | Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> October to Friday 30 <sup>th</sup> October 2015 | Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> December 2015 | 70 days (35 first half-term, 35 second half-term) |

| Spring Term 2016                    |   |                                      |  |
|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--|
| First Day                           | Half Term   | Finish                               | Number of Days                               |
| Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> January 2016 | Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> February to Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> February 2016 | Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> March 2016 | 54 (30 first half term, 24 second half term) |

| Summer Term 2016                   |   |                                   |  |
|------------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|--|
| First Day                          | Half Term   | Finish                            | Number of Days                               |
| Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> April 2016 | Monday 30 <sup>th</sup> May to Friday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2016 | Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July 2016 | 69 (34 first half term, 35 second half term) |

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