

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

22nd November 2019

RICHARD COBDEN
PRIMARY SCHOOL



Music

Flute and Cello workshop - Year 1

Year 1 were excited to welcome flautist Susanna Bailey, cellist Timothee Botbol and The Musicians' Company representative David Wakefield to our school. The children were introduced to the flute and the cello and enjoyed listening to the professional musicians perform together. They explored the elements of music through some fun musical

games and were able to ask Susanna and Timothee questions about their instruments and life as a professional musician.



Camden Hockey Competition Winners

Many congratulations to our Year 6 Hockey B team for winning this year's Camden Tournament. They won three out of four games to top their group before beating Gospel Oak in the semi-final and Christchurch in the final. Our A team also performed brilliantly:



they reached the semi-finals and were awarded medals for finishing in 3rd place.



RICHARD COBDEN PARENTS ASSOCIATION

Upcoming event

Tuesday 17th December '19

Christmas Fair

Please use **easyfundraising** to shop with over 3,600 retailers.

We receive a small donation from the retailers every time you shop, to say, 'thank you' and it's **completely free too!**

Please sign up and help us at <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/richardcobdenpa/?invite=NA9Q01&referral-campaign=c2s>

We've raised **£100** so far with only 19 supporters signed up.

Year 3

3 Rowan's visit to the UCL Grant Museum of Zoology

Last week 3 Rowan visited the UCL Grant Museum of Zoology as part of their 'Alive!' topic learning. The museum is full of all sorts of animal specimens and the children thoroughly enjoyed seeing so many different creatures. The children took part in a scavenger hunt to find an animal for every letter of the alphabet, challenging themselves to find the most unusual specimen - particular highlights included a Japanese spider crab, an elephant heart and a jar of moles! There was so much to see at the museum and the adults were highly impressed with the scientific questions being asked by the children. The trip provided fantastic inspiration for Year 3's upcoming science learning, in which they will be researching the characteristics of different animals.



3 Hazel

Last week in our Art lesson was focused around Remembrance Day. We discussed the importance of Remembrance Day and the significance of red poppies as a symbol of support for the Armed Forces community. For our art, we dyed the "Ode to Remembrance" in black tea and tore the edges to give it an antique and worn look. After this, we drew some poppies over the "Ode to Remembrance" using black, red, yellow and green felt tips.



Certificates of Achievement

Well done to our most recent certificate winners who were nominated for achieving well in their learning or behaviour. These children will be presented with their certificates in assembly:

Reception: Musa Ali, Chloe Hartigan.

Year 1: Nasrin Ahmed, Yusuf Muhid, Yusra Mohamud, Musab Abdullahi, Kian Amirifard, Ahayean Rahman.

Year 2: Halima Akther, Yusra Ali, Mohamed Abdullahi, Dilawer Hadi, Zarah Ahmed.

Year 3: Hamza Bahassan, Zakariya Abdi, Sifann Haji Nebo, Sabirin Muqtaar, Kaizer Karim, Huda Osman, Tahiyah Rahman, Mohamed Mohamoud.

Year 4: Musa Mohamed, Tanisha Khan, Adibah Sultana.

Year 5: Rahil Khan, Hafsa Magan, Naila Choudhury, Sabrin Ahmed, Lennox Zulu, Ilham Yusuf.

Year 6: Darya Behnam, Sonam Naeem, Sulaiman Moalin, Zakaria Muqtaar, Sabirin Gurey, Sai Bhardwaj.



Maths Champions

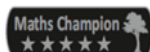
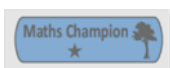
Congratulations to the following children who have been awarded their Maths Champion Badges:

A special maths award: Iqram Noor

1 Star: Yarah Moullin,

3 Star: Rawda Abdullahi

5 Star: Shayara Ahmed, Yeamin Mi-ah, Luqmaan Osman, Sonam Naeem, Ryan Lopes-Holgate, Nasiba Mohamed, Yasmin Ali, Dominika Zarembo, Arfan Hossain, Zaina Begum, Ayyub Bana, Mohamed Buri, Labiba Chowdhury



Best Attendance for last week:

W/C : 11th November

4 Cedar - 100%

2 Sycamore-97%

Well done everyone!

Keep up the good work!



Term Dates

MAKE SURE ALL HOLIDAYS OR JOURNEYS ABROAD ARE BOOKED IN SCHOOL HOLIDAY TIME. HOLIDAY LEAVE DURING TERM TIME WILL NOT BE GRANTED.
2019 – 2020 Academic Year

AUTUMN TERM 2019

Last day of term Thursday 19th Dec

SPRING TERM 2020

Staff INSET Day Monday 6th January

Staff INSET Day Tuesday 7th January

Start of Term for Children Wednesday 8th January

Half Term Mon 18th to Fri 22nd Feb

Children return Monday 25th February

Last day of term Friday 5th April 2019

SUMMER TERM 2020

Staff INSET Day Monday 20th April

Start of Term for Children Tuesday 21st April

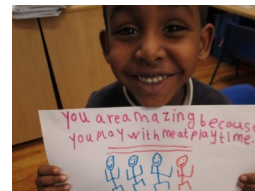
May Day Bank Holiday Friday 8th May

Half Term Mon 25th to Fri 29th May

Last day of term Tuesday 21st July

Year 1

As part of anti-bullying week, One Elm looked at kindness and the importance of being kind to those around us. We started with a Circle Time, in which the children had to say one kind thing to the person next to them. There were lots of lovely compliments including sharing Lego, playing nicely at playtime and being helpful! Next, each child was given the name of another member of the class and made a kindness card to make them smile.



Our Year 5 and 6 football teams

played their second round of matches in the Camden Southern League at Regent High School. Our girls drew 0-0 with St Mary's and beat Netley 1-0, with Yasmin scoring the winner. Our boys drew 1-1 with St Mary's with Ayyub scoring a superb equalizing goal. The boys drew 0-0 in their second game against Netley. Our boys are currently 3rd in their league and our girls are in 5th place. Well done to both teams for their excellent performances and good luck for their next matches!

