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Newsletter 23

Friday 10th July 2025

Dear Parents and Carers

We have enjoyed another action-packed week in school.

Year 6 have just returned from a wonderful afternoon of Junior Citizens – an activity programme designed to support children as they make the transition to secondary school.

Our youngest children had a glorious day at Hampstead Heath. Thank you to my amazing staff for organising these events, and to all of the parents who supported. I appreciate all you do to make learning memorable for our children.

Best wishes

Ellie Green

Miss E Green - Head Teacher

In this week's newsletter you will find information about the following:

- EPS Values Celebration
- Sports Day House Team Champions
- EPS Star Awards
- Teaching Staff Thank You
- Tea Time Club Consultation
- EPS/Salaam Peace Boys Football Match
- EPS Healthy Eating Awards
- Moments Matter – Attendance Counts

EPS Values Celebration

**Respect – Resilience - Kindness -
Positivity – Honesty – Aspiration**

Congratulations to EPS Values Award winners. It is my favourite moment of the week to hear the teachers talk so enthusiastically about the amazing achievements and values of our children.

Banyan:

Musa - Kindness

Ginkgo:

*Deo - Resilience
Zoya - Respect*

Hornbeam:

Aleks - Resilience

Redwood:

Raima - Resilience

Pine:

*Darius - Respect
Mohib - Positivity*

Tamarind:

*Adam S - Positivity
Cosmo - Positivity*

Kingswood Residential

I am very proud of you all!

Thank you to everyone who came along to support today. It means a lot to us all.

Sports Day House Team Champions

The overall champions of EPS Sports Days:

Team Sapphire



Thank you to everyone for taking part and making these events filled with energy and enthusiasm.

EPS Star Awards



Reading Stars:

Sabiha - Banyan



Spelling & Handwriting:

Mohammad - Pine

Jannat - Banyan



Times Tables & Number Rock Stars:

Oleksandra - Banyan

Teaching Staff Thank you

You will receive your child's report today. We would like to invite you to join us in school on **Wednesday 16th July from 14:45** to look at your child's books and to thank their teachers and TAs. I will also be available if you have any questions or ideas to share.

Tea Time Club Consultation

We are in the process of a 30-day consultation regarding the future of our EPS Tea Time Club. It is not financially viable as losses amount to tens of thousands of pounds each year.

However, we are totally committed to finding a solution for our working families and there will be a wraparound care offer from September.

The consultation is a process to find the best, sustainable solution. For example, this could mean EPS staff taking children to a local provision at another school each day. Please be assured that you will not be left without wraparound care in September. If we have not found a permanent solution by the end of term, we will continue with our own Tea Time Club until October half term.

EPS/Salaam Peace Football Match

Our Year 5 boys played a football match against Jenny Hammond School yesterday. Despite the blazing heat, our team were composed, resilient and enthusiastic throughout. Each quarter was a tough game but the boys kept calm to claim victory with a sudden-death penalty shootout.

Well Done to Haitham, Nathan, Osman, Marcel, Kaya and Milosz for taking part. I am proud of you all.

Thank you to Sab and Simon from Salaam Peace for organising this match.

EPS Healthy Eating Awards



Pear: Amaris, Nasar **Banyan:** Yuxin, Musa
Hornbeam: Muhammad **Gingko:** Adam B
Pine: Hawa, Osman **Tamarind:** Cosmo

Please remember we are a healthy school. Crisps, sweets or chocolate bars are not allowed.

Moments Matter – Attendance Counts EPS Celebrate Good Attendance

Week beginning: 07/07/25

Class:	Team Attendance:	
Pear	87.5%	
Banyan	96.5%	3rd
Gingko	95.1%	
Hornbeam	96.4%	
Oak	94.0%	
Pine	97.8%	2nd
Redwood	94.0%	
Tamarind	97.9%	1st
Whole School	96.8%	

Please remember that holidays during term time cannot be authorised. If you take your child on holiday during term time, they miss out on valuable learning experiences both academically and socially.

Whole school attendance since September is 95.09%

Diary Dates: Summer Term



Monday 14th July -Year 4 & 5 British Museum Trip
Monday 14th – Friday 18th July – Year 6
Swimming

Wednesday 16th July 14:45 –
Thank You Teachers & TAs

Wednesday 23rd July –
Last Day of the Summer Term@ 13:45

