

NEWS CORNER

The latest news and information about
Mulberry Wood Wharf Primary.



24th May 2024

Blue Whale and Tiger Class news...

As we come to the end of the summer 1 term, Blue Whale and tiger class reflect on all the learning that's been taking place this term. We started off with our big question, 'What if Jack forgot what plants need to grow?' This opened an exploration on life cycles of a bean plant, and we recorded the growth of our own bean plant. We then introduced ducklings into our school and looked after them for a short period. This opened many discussions about the science of life cycles and what ducklings need to grow.

We have also had many celebrations this term. This week we celebrated Numeracy Day. The children and staff came dressed up in different representations of numbers, symbols, and all things numeracy. It was wonderful to see the creativity in each individual outfit. To celebrate numeracy day reception made domino biscuits and represented a number using domino dots. They also learnt how maths is incorporated through cooking as we used our numbers to measure ingredients, count our decorations, and how long the biscuits will take to bake.

We have thoroughly enjoyed the learning and exploration that has taken place this term and are excited to introduce our new topic for our last term.



Updates from Sarah Jane

Well, what a busy half term it has been for us all, yet again, the children at Mulberry Wood Wharf have blown me away with their curiosity, kindness and wonderful, unique personalities.

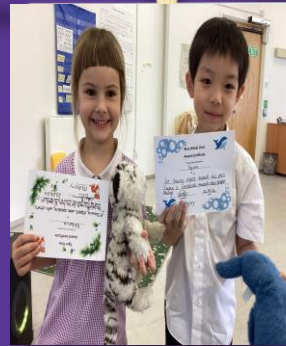
I hope you have the most wonderful half term break and that you enjoy lots of family time. Here are some ideas of things you can do over the break.

I am heading to Yorkshire and the Lake District for some fresh air and outdoor activities, I am hoping the sun comes with me!

1. Visit the Paddington Bear experience at the South Bank Centre
2. National History Museum - 'Birds: Brilliant and Bizarre'
3. Go see the new reptile house at the London Zoo
4. Avoid being eaten by the Enormous Crocodile at the open-air theatre in Regents Park
5. Go see the Disney exhibition at the royal docks
6. Visit the Science museum and go to the games exhibition
7. Visit a new London Park and go on a minibeast hunt
8. Bake something new
9. Send someone a postcard

Panda Class news...

Panda class have been working on finding a half and a quarter of shapes and quantities. The children have been focusing on using key vocabulary to explain their reasoning. Noa shared 'I have 10 cubes, when I split them into 2 equal parts... I have 5 cubes each. 5 is half of 10'. Children applied their fraction understanding when we made Maths smoothies by halving strawberries, representing the amount of fruit on ten frames and thinking about capacity when pouring their smoothies. Lots of pupils loved drinking their smoothies! We celebrated our Maths confidence during Numeracy Day with so many wonderful creations of costumes, discussions of where and how we use numbers every day and how will children use maths for their dream jobs. Aila shared 'she wants to be a baker and she will use her maths learning in measuring ingredients, timing how long to bake things and pricing her cupcakes and cookies'. Panda Class have loved sharing their superb home project this week too. The writing that was produced for each fact file, the map skills and creative drawings and models is mind blowing. Thank you for supporting and encouraging pupils to take part in our home projects.



STAR OF THE WEEK

This week's value is
RESPECT

Panda Class' stars:

Isaa

For always showing great listening and being confident to share ideas.

Yashveer

For showing respect by following instructions and working hard to stay on task.

Blue Whale Class' star:

Siyuan

For showing respect towards his peers. Siyuan is considerate towards other people's feelings.

Tiger class' star:

Victoria

For showing respect when speaking with others. She patiently waits for her turn to speak or raises her hand when she wants to share her ideas.

In recognition, all children have been given a certificate and their class mascot to take home for the weekend. We are looking to hearing about the adventures they get up to at the weekend.



UPCOMING DATES TO REMEMBER

- 3rd June – Summer 2 return to school
- w/c 10th June – Y1 phonics screening
- 17th June – School closed for Eid
- 21st June – Summer show
- 28th June – Summer fete (school closing at 13:30pm)

TABLE OF THE WEEK

Every week we reward children for positive behaviors around lunchtime, such as good manners, playing with the resources safely and with kindness, and trying new food. Well done to:

- Nephi
- Amaara
- Nikita
- Vytis

ATTENDANCE
(Target 97%)

The winning Class this week is **Blue Whale 92%**

Panda 91%
Tiger 83 %



UNDERSTANDING THE DIGITAL WORLD

Parents learn how to keep your children safe online.

In today's digital world, it's crucial for parents to grasp how their children use platforms like Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, and YouTube.

Scan the code below to join our 1-hour workshop to see how best to manage their usage

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Spring ADVENTURE

INDOOR & OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES, LIGHT SNACKS & MUCH MORE !!!

TIME 12PM - 3:45PM

MAY 27TH, 28TH, 29TH & 30TH

AGE 5 - 16 YEARS

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Spring Fun Day

Come along to Wapping and Bigland Children and Family Centre for our spring fun day!

- Bouncy castle
- Face painting
- Smoothie bikes
- Screening of Finding Nemo (scan to book)
- Baby play area
- Stalls

Wednesday 29 May 2024
11am - 3pm

Wapping & Bigland Children and Family Centre, 15 Richard Street, E1 2JP

