



Sudbourne Newsletter Edition 4

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Head of School Comment

Welcome to the Summer term and what a fabulous start it has been! Children have returned to school displaying our learning values and working hard on following our consistent three school rules of being ready, respectful and safe.

Our new playground trim trail is ready to use! I would like to thank Ms Chevalier for her efforts in organising and taking a lead on this – we cannot wait to see the children enjoy this new play space.

It has been great to welcome Ms Gregory to Sudbourne and I can already see what a fantastic team member she will be. She will be in touch to arrange a meeting with any parent or careers, who have a child with a special education need.

Coach Simeon and Coach Kenny, from Enthuse Kids, have also joined us to deliver part of PE curriculum. They both bring a wealth of experience and passion with them.

I would like to highlight the important Reading workshop that Ms Clement will be leading next Thursday 4th of May at 8.45am and 5.45pm. We are now in a position to launch Accelerated Reader, across Phase 1 – 3 and this workshop will provide you with key information on how best to support your child at home.

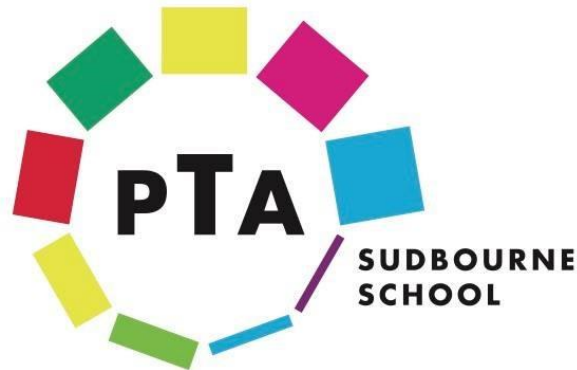
This newsletter contains a number of exciting events that have happened over the last week and some important key dates for this half term.

Have a lovely long weekend,

Miss Kingshott

Head of School

PTA



Jumble Sale:

Huge thanks to Lilia who organised the Jumble Sale again this year, and to Holly, Laura, Richard, Fatimah and all the other volunteers who manned the stalls, and to everyone who donated and shopped on the day! We raised a very respectable £241, all of which will go towards the next phase of the school playground. Thank you!

Year 6 Leavers Yearbook:

Calling all Year 6 parents! We need a few more volunteers to get involved in putting the Leavers Yearbook book together and also we need your content! Can you supply a photo of your child and a statement about their time at Sudbourne? Do you have photos of your child's year group over the years? Class trips, school fairs, the old school site, silly photos of their teachers... Is there anything else you would like to see included in the book? You can send these to the PTA email address (pta@sudbourne.com) or we can find a more secure way of sharing this information if you prefer - let us know. Please get in touch and get involved!



Road Safety Workshop

Phase 1 had the pleasure of the Kornflux group visit last week and run their 'Eyes Open, Stay Safe' workshop. They taught us how to be safe, whilst crossing the road in a fun and interactive role play session! Children learnt that when we approach a road, we should always stop, look, listen and think before we cross; even better if we can hold someone's hand and should always keep scanning the road for oncoming vehicles. We had a fantastic time and now feel much more confident and safe crossing the roads.







School Council



Last week, I had the pleasure of holding interviews for any child from Reception - Phase 3, who was interested in representing their class as a school council. Each child was invited to explain what qualities they had to make them an effective school counsellor. I was so impressed with the children's confidence and passion! The first meeting is next week, where we will be deciding on our actions for the Summer term. I really look forward to working with them, to make our school an even better place!

Ms Chevalier

School Councillors for Summer Term 2023

EYFS - RB: Toby and Elsa **RC:** Audrey and Amiyah

Phase 1 - 1C: Olivia and Rosalia **1/2K:** Axel and Harper Rose **2K:** Archie and Willow





Phase 2 - 3G: Leopold and Aisha **3/4C:** Rendall and Elliot **4G:** Edie and Iris

Phase 3 - 5/6V: Blake and Aroosh **5/6C:** Dia and Bonnie **5/6W:** Oscar and La'zeekqua



House Captains

We are delighted to announce our first house captains. They had to submit a written application about why they wanted the role and these simply stood out! Watch this space for how they will be used over the coming months!

House Captains			
			
Windmill	Brockwell	Electric	Ritzy
Lukas Nora	Amelia Lorcan	Jahulka Emilio	Hamza Tova

Visit to Trinity Academy

We were delighted to be chosen to go to Trinity Academy for the Science Workshop, but we couldn't help wondering what we were going to do when we got there?

When we arrived, we were given the grand tour of Trinity by a student. The place was huge!

When we finally started the workshop, the first question they asked was, “Does anyone know what a Bunsen Burner is?” But nobody knew, so they showed us a Bunsen Burner. It was fantastic – the flame was able to go from orange to blue. Blue was much more powerful than the orange!

Next, we watched a video about fireworks and how people make them. Then we used elements like sodium and lead and held them over a blue flame and we were amazed at how the element changed colour – Wow it was amazing!

We couldn't help wondering how certain elements could change colour when hot? We noticed that most of them changed to a yellowish or orange-red colour when heated, whereas other changed to a greenish colour. We learnt that this was to do with the amount of oxide or electrons in the element.

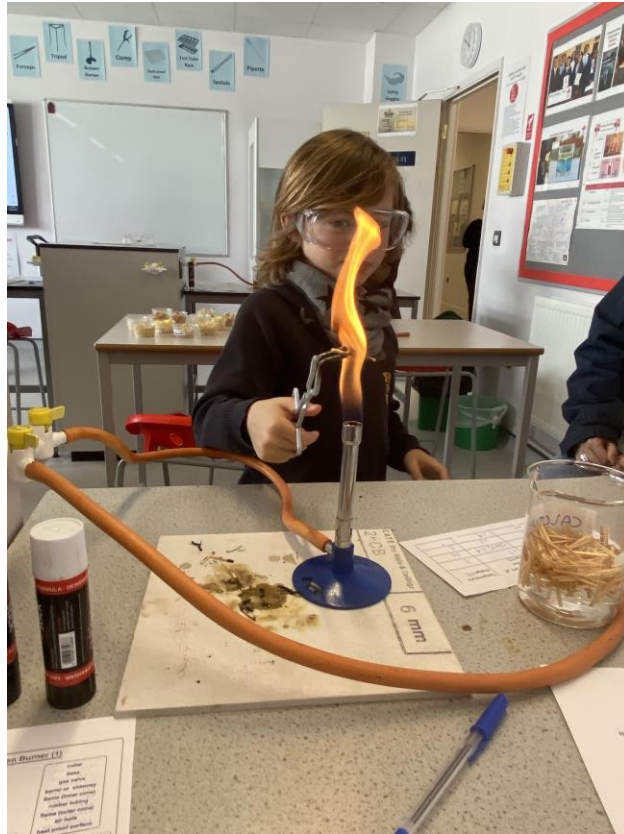
We especially enjoyed burning the food to see how much energy would be produced. We found out that the higher the difference in temperature the more energy was produced.

This was followed by making a periscope. It was great because we learnt how light helps to see objects from a distance. When we looked through the periscope from the top it made things look longer, but if you looked at the periscope from the bottom it seemed as though things that were far away were much closer.

One of the best parts about the day, was being told that we could take the periscope home!

Written by Desire (5/6W) and Ryan (5/6V)







National BMX Races

Over the Easter break, two of our pupils competed at the first of the season's National BMX races. The first day, saw one make it through to the quarter finals. Sadly, he then crashed! On the second day, he demonstrated our value of perseverance and again made it as far as the quarter final. His older brother rose to the occasion and made it into the final, getting 10th place. Next up for this biking duo is a National Youth road bike tour, on the Isle of Man.

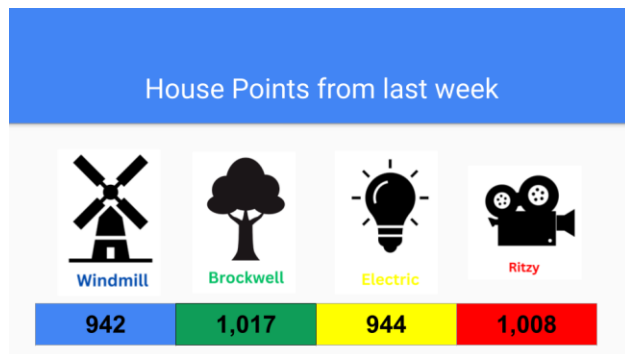
We cannot wait to celebrate your success!







House Winners

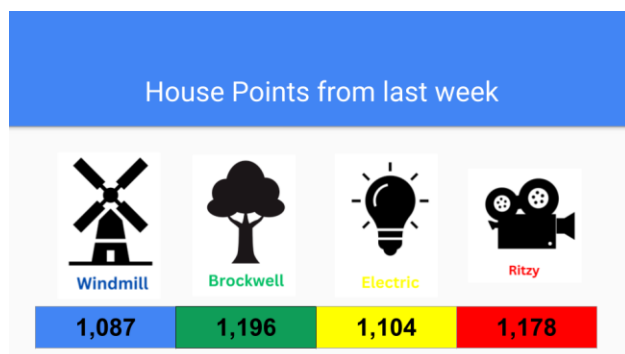


Last week's (21st April 2023) winner was - **Brockwell** with **1,017**

Well Done!

This week's (28th April 2023) winner is Ritzy with 1,178

Well Done!



Sudbourne Superstars!



Well Done to the children who were awarded as our Sudbourne Superstars for producing outstanding work in a curriculum area.

W/C - 17th April 2023

Nursery - Lyla: for accurately recalling key aspects of Jack and the Beanstalk

RB - Aiden - For really trying his best with odds and evens in maths.

RC - Wren: For believing in herself and writing three sentences!

1C - Bea- For being an exemplar this week at consistently making quiet transitions.

1/2K - Godstime- For his determination in English this week and for his fantastic oral recount!

2K - Faith - For your hard work in Maths this week. You have been really focused and it shows in your work. Well Done!

3G - Phoebe - For her work in English this week. You have continued to challenge yourself and produced a great piece of descriptive writing.

3/4C - Biniam - For working really hard in times table rockstars

4G - Max- For his fountain of knowledge that he is always willing to share.

5/6V - Ethan - For his hard work and focus this week in all subjects, especially maths.

5/6C - Marcel - For working extremely hard in maths, he has been focussed all week

5/6W - Lazeekqua - For making a fantastic start to the week. She has also shown how proud she is of her work as her books are beautifully presented.

W/C - 24th April 2023

RC - Ophelia- for being able to hold a sentence in her head and write it beautifully. Well done!

1/2K - Nivean - For determination in reading and English.

2K - Stanley - For his hard work in Literacy he has been working hard to complete his work independently

3G - Youcef - Fantastic effort in his work in all subjects. You have blown me away this week!

3/4C - Valdino - for his hard work in handwriting. You have worked so hard on your joins.

5/6V - Tawhid - for his hard work on his third person narrative in English.

5/6C - Zahni'Yah -For working hard across all subjects this week - well done!

5/6W - Rakiyah - For growing in confidence in her contributions to her English lessons

Hot Chocolate with the Head!



Well Done to the following children that had Hot Chocolate with the Head for demonstrating one of our school values.

W/C - 17th April 2023

RB - Skylar - For persevering with her phonics and writing

RC - Keyva: For always working nicely with her partner during carpet time!

1C - Orla- For her perseverance through tremendous change. She still puts her head down and gets her work done.

1/2K - Isobel- perseverance- for persevering with her goals and showing a conscious improvement every day!

2K - Rae - For working hard to show integrity all week. Keep it up.

3G - Rhea - For showing kindness all week towards other children and staff.

3/4C - Noumoult - for showing perseverance and resilience in all subjects on a daily basis.

4G - Aaron- even though it was his first week, he has shown great kindness and aspiration

5/6V - Olivia - achievement - for doing such wonderful work and bringing her wonderful, bubbly smile into our lessons

5/6C - Racquel - perseverance - for always working hard and never giving up when she feels challenged - well done!

5/6W - Agha - aspirational always wanting to challenge herself

W/C - 24th April 2023

RC - Akari- for being a wonderful role model by demonstrating how to be kind in class. Well done!

1/2K - Ocyrus - For his perseverance in English writing golden sentences.

2K - Noah - For his perseverance in class. He has been trying really hard in lessons and been trying to keep focused.

3G - Lily - For showing integrity during whole class carpet sessions.

3/4C - Daniel - For his aspiration to do his very best in maths. He is always willing to contribute to our lessons. Well done Daniel.

5/6V - Ryan - kindness towards so many other children

5/6C - Kai - Achievement across English and maths. He has been reflective and hard working! Excellent attitude Kai.

5/6W - Rose - showing all of the Sudbourne values, especially recognising she should be celebrating her

Dates for Diary



- **Tuesday 2nd May** - School closed to all children, due to NEU strike action
- **Wednesday 3rd May** - Ritzy House celebration event
- **Thursday 4th May** - Reading workshop for parents at 8.45am and 5.45pm for Phase 1 - 3
- **Friday 5th May** - King Charles III coronation celebration
- **Tuesday 9th - Friday 12th May** - KS2 (Year 6) SATs week
- **Wednesday 10th May** - Charlie Morris celebration event
- **Thursday 11th May** - Relationship, Sex and Health education workshop for all parents 5.45pm
- **Monday 15th - Friday 26th May** - KS1 (Year 2) SATs week
- **Monday 22nd May** - PTA Fun run, playground at 3.30pm
- **Wednesday 24th May** - Phase 3 trip to the British museum - details to follow
- **Friday 26th May** - Last day of term.

Community News!



Low Cost/No Cost Family Fun in London

Please look at the organisations' websites to double check times and arrangements

South London Gallery – Sunday Spot Family drop-in **FREE**

Sunday 30th April, 2pm – 4pm (children aged 5-12yrs with parent / carer)
65 Peckham Rd, London SE5 8UH, 020 7733 6100, www.southlondongallery.org

Free, drop-in workshop for families

Join artist **INaSaNIkTY** in a sculpture making workshop using just newspaper and tape! Families are invited to expand their imaginations and think about the possibilities of what art can be. All materials provided, no booking required.

Clapham Picturehouse cinema - Kids Club - 'SING'

Saturday 29th April, 11.45am

Tickets: £3.30. No unaccompanied adults.

76 Venn Street, London, SW4 0AT; 020 7326 9649; www.picturehouses.com/cinema/clapham-picturehouse

An enterprising koala puts on the world's greatest singing show in this hilarious animated comedy.

Buster Moon is a koala whose pride and joy is his theatre. But the once grand building has fallen on hard times and looks set to close its doors forever unless Buster can find a way to revive its fortunes. The one idea he has is to put on the world's greatest singing competition - but will he find the next Leona Lewis or the next Honey G?

Eid in the Square 2023 - **FREE**

Saturday 29th April, 12pm – 6pm

Trafalgar Square, WC2N 5DN www.london.gov.uk/events/eid-square-2023; Nearest tube: Charing Cross

This celebration of Eid-al-Fitr, which marks the end of fasting for Ramadan, will take over Trafalgar Square for a family-friendly day of activities and events. Live music and performances will fill the main stage and street food stalls will offer fayre from India, Venezuela, Somalia and more. You'll also find stalls dedicated to face painting and Mehndi, plus a 'Creative Art Zone' with calligraphy, storytelling and drama workshops.

Museum of London Docklands – Dodger: A Family Adventure **FREE** (drop-in)

Open Monday – Sunday, 10am – 5pm (activity running every day until 7th June). Suitable for age 7+

Museum of London Docklands, No 1 Warehouse, West India Quay, E14 4AL

DLR: West India Quay / www.museumoflondon.org.uk/museum-london-docklands

Explore the museum's collections by taking part in our brand-new trail for families based on the BAFTA-winning BBC TV series, Dodger. Go on a journey around the museum's galleries and help Dodger, Fagin and the gang stay one step ahead of the police in this immersive self-paced experience, set against a converted 19th-century sugar warehouse. Pick up your free trail map on arrival at Museum of London Docklands and let the adventure begin. Or, download [the digital map](#) and take it with you

Horniman Museum – Nigeria 60 exhibition - **FREE**

Horniman Museum & Gardens, 100 London Rd, Forest Hill, SE23 3PQ / www.horniman.ac.uk

Suitable for families; Opening times 10am - 5.30pm

60 Years of Independence contains the Horniman's collection from 1960s Nigeria and objects collected by designer and artist **Odunso Sikoko**; Coleman from the same period.

Chess Club at the Library - **FREE**

Every Saturday at **West Norwood Library**, 12 – 4pm and **Clapham Library**, 2 – 4.30pm

Come along for Chess Club for all ages and abilities – all welcome!

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