

Stars of the Week

Gabriella	Independent climbing in soft play
Reyon	Self-occupying and independent climbing in soft play
Cerim	Ordering numerals 1-5
Tristan	Showing adults what he needed the toilet by pointing to his pad
Nana	Hard work using her new communication device AND signing in phonics
Oscar	Initiating interactions, engaging in his work and being regulated all week
Anya	Lovely use of topic language across the week and for working really hard in communication group with Tim
Olivia	Engagement in accessing some of her workstation tasks, independently mark making and putting task into the ‘finish’ box
Eda	Engaging in a communication session and blowing a bubble
Gaspard	Independently typing his name with no visual support

Shout-out to Nuurto for taking initiative throughout the week

Shout-out to all of the team members in Mercury Class who have worked really hard this week

Shout-out to all team members who supported a colleague out in the playground this week

Happy International Nurses’ Day for Thursday to our wonderful school nurses Paola and Amanda

Technology and Literacy

What a privilege I always have to walk around the school and see pupils’ learning in action. I went into Mars Class this week and Nandi and Darcy proudly showed me what they had been working on. I ask Nandi to send me a photo and a description of what the learning was about. This is her direct quote;

“Nandi and Darcy made a audio story. We wrote the script and then recorded it. The story was about chocolate!!!”



Save the Date

We are delighted to announce the date for our joint Summer Fair with Ronald Ross

Saturday 9th July 2022 (times tbc)

If parents, carers or staff can help with planning, setting up and/or packing down please email Jo at friends@greenmead.wandsworth.sch.uk



Key Diary Dates

Crazy Hair Day
Wednesday 25th May

Queen's Jubilee Wow Day
Friday 27th May

Half term
30th May – 3rd June

Pupils and staff return to school
Monday 6th June

Spring/Summer Evaluated IEPs to be sent home
Thursday 23rd June

INSET day (no school for pupils)
Friday 24th June

Additional school closure in lieu of Queen's Jubilee
Friday 1st July

Summer-Autumn IEPs to be sent home
Friday 8th July

Summer Fair with Ronald Ross
Saturday 9th July

Parent/Teacher Evenings with End of Year Reports
Monday 11th and Tuesday 12th July

End of term (1pm finish for pupils)
Friday 22nd July



This week Pluto pupils learnt about the animals that live in the savanna. They made a diorama and elephants.

Sign of the Week



This week's sign is Rainforest!
Move your hands and arms as if you are moving through a Rainforest and pushing vines aside!

Crazy Hair Day

In honour and celebration of Ethan (a former pupil at Greenmead) his family are raising money for the Skylarks Charity.

We'd love to be able to contribute to this and are going to be holding a Crazy Hair Day in Ethan's honour on **Wednesday 25th May**.

Please donate what you can for the charity and come in with your most fabulous crazy hairstyles. We will be taking photos of our celebration to send to Ethan's family.



Note from our Chair of Governors

“The governors are working with Wandsworth to appoint a replacement for Toni Edmonds-Smith. The advert will go out later this month with a view to interviews in July. Considering the notice periods which teachers and senior leaders are required to give, it is likely that the school will not have a replacement for the headteacher position in September. However, I am delighted to say that our deputy head, Miss Roxanne Hammond (Rox), will take on the headteacher’s role until the newly appointed person can take up the position.” Paul Nicholls

Now that there is a plan in place for the interim I will be using the rest of my time at Greenmead to work with Rox to put interim plans into place so that there is a smooth transition into the new academic year both for our current pupils and their families and those who will be coming to join us in September.

Goodbye

We are very sorry to have to say goodbye to Jaq who has been working as a support staff member across the school. She started with us just before the first lockdown and has been a real asset to us in being able to use her skills both in the classroom supporting pupils, to support with the making of communication aides and other resources, offering admin support to the leadership team in terms of liaising about home learning, minuting annual reviews and general admin work in the front office. We wish her well as she moves onto a new role. Thank you Jaq.

AFC WIMBLEDON



Family Fun Day

AFC Wimbledon are opening their new stadium for everyone to celebrate being back at Plough Lane. There'll be fun for all the family!

SUNDAY 15 MAY 2022
10AM TO 5PM

**CHERRY RED RECORDS STADIUM,
PLOUGH LANE, LONDON, SW17 0NR**

- Live music, DJ & Disco Bus
- Festival style food
- Cocktail bars & drinks from the Phoenix pub
- Shopping stalls
- Picnic area on the pitch
- Inflatables & face painting
- Stadium Tours
- Wimbledon legends (past & present) + surprise guests
- 5-a-side football tournaments on the main pitch run by the AFC Wimbledon Foundation
- Beat the keeper games & much more...

To help raise funds for **Dons Local Action Group** there'll be games including a raffle and tombola as well as our abseil challenge from the stadium roof.

Registered Charity no. 1154198.

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FREE ENTRY - NO TICKET REQUIRED
VISIT www.donslocalaction.org/family-fun-day