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Nurture Inspire Flourish

Dear All,

The beginning of this half term has been very busy, starting with a trip to Stibbington. I had a lovely time with 12, Year 3 children from Pulloxhill, Ms Redwood-Worthy and Mrs Ashby. The children really enjoyed their 3 days away from home, where they undertook map work and carried out a river study amongst other activities. Everyone slept and ate very well! The children were delightful and were complimented on their behaviour. A big thank you to Mr Meads for taking the children to and from Stibbington.



Later this week I will make a return visit to Stibbington with the Year 3 children from Greenfield and later in March I will be travelling to Germany with a group of Year 4 children from Greenfield and Pulloxhill.

We continue to have Premier Dance coming into both schools to help the Year 3 & Year 4 children get their Easter dance together ahead of the services which will be held at the end of March. Cricket has also started across the Academy with Howard from the 'Chance to Shine' initiative returning for another year to give cricket coaching to children in Years 1-4 across the Academy.

Annette McCullion

WORLD BOOK DAY

Thursday 1 March was World Book Day. Children at Greenfield and Pulloxhill School enjoyed dressing up as characters from their favourite books for the day. Thank you to all those who helped provide such fantastic costumes. Lots of 'book themed' activities took place during the day, including a book swap. Thank you also for all the photographs we received of you and your children sharing a story. We will be creating a display of these shortly.

FOR THE LOVE OF MUSIC, HARLINGTON UPPER SCHOOL THURSDAY 22 FEBRUARY

Last Thursday evening, students from all the Harlington Upper feeder lower and middle schools went to HUS to make music with their students and put together a concert in just a couple of hours. There were performances from a Ukulele group, a small orchestra, massed p-bones, choirs of older and younger children as well as a choir involving everybody. The concert was a great success and everybody benefited from the opportunity to work with people at different stages in their musical development. Well done to all the children who performed at the event.



£10 NOTE

Please note that we will no longer be able to accept the old style £10 notes as of 1 March 2018 as these cease to be legal tender after this date. Please ensure only the new polymer notes are sent into school. Alternatively, please make payment through School Money.

BAKE OFF COMPETITION

Harlington Upper School invited representatives from feeder middle and lower schools to take part in their annual Bake Off competition, on Wednesday 28 February. They invited two Year 4 students from each school Nate and Emily from Pulloxhill and Kenzie and Abbie from Greenfield School, to form mixed teams of six.

The day started at 9am with team building activities and ended at 2.30pm after prize giving. During the day the teams undertook baking challenges along the theme of pastry, bread, and cakes. All the teams made bread rolls, Chelsea buns, pizza and brownies. Well done to Emily and 'Team Hollywood' for winning first prize and receiving a number of gifts!!

The winning teams dishes!



SCHOLASTIC BOOK FAIR

A Scholastic book fair has been arranged for the Academy and will be held on the afternoons of 22, 23, 26 and 27 March, 3.45-4.15pm at Greenfield School. Everyone is welcome to attend and purchase books. For all books bought, the school receives a percentage from Scholastic towards purchasing new school resources. A flyer will be coming home shortly for those who cannot to attend but would still like to order books.

PARKING - PULLOXHILL

Following a complaint from a resident in Fieldside Road, please park considerately around the areas at drop off and pick up and ensure that you drive safely and slowly. Parents should not be parking in the staff car park other than dropping off for Breakfast Club and picking up from After School Club. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

ATTENDANCE

Greenfield School	Pulloxhill School
Week ending 9 February 96%	Week ending 9 February 95%
Week ending 23 February 95%	Week ending 23 February 97%

DATES FOR THE DIARY

7-9 March	Greenfield Year 3 at Stibbington
20-22 March	Greenfield & Pulloxhill Year 4 trip to Germany
22 March	Ark Farm Visit for Ladybirds/Robins at Greenfield School - Ladybird children to be dropped at Greenfield at 9.15am
22,23 & 26,27 March, 3.45-4.15pm	Scholastic Book Fair, Greenfield School
28 March, 9.15am	Pulloxhill School Easter Service in the school hall
29 March, 3.30pm	Break up for Easter
16 April	Staff Training Day - school closed
17 April	Return to school after Easter holiday
20 April	Pulloxhill School non uniform day in exchange for a bottle for the May Fayre
23 April	Pulloxhill School Class and Team photographs
4 May	Pulloxhill School non uniform day in exchange for chocolate for the May Fayre
7 May	Bank holiday Monday
12 May	Pulloxhill School May Fayre
25 May, 3.30pm	Break up for half term
4 June	Return to school after half term
4-8 June	Greenfield & Pulloxhill Year 4 trip to Isle of Wight
20 July, 3.30pm	Break up for summer holiday

VACANCIES

Dawn Until Dusk have various positions at their Greenfield Club. If you are fun, creative and are looking for a job in childcare please contact them. They have Playworker positions available with various hours during term time and also hours available during half terms. Please contact joinus@kidsdawntildusk.co.uk or complete an application form on their website.

Parkfields Middle School require a Site Manager for April 2018; 52 weeks a year - 37 hours per week, Monday to Friday - with spilt shifts daily. Overtime payable for 'out of hours'. Salary Scale: NJC Level 4C (23-26) £21,268 - £23,398 p.a.