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KS2 Accelerated Reader Leader Board

Week beginning 8 May 2023

CLASS	WORDS READ
5AC	5 794 132
4GB	5 205 578
4LW	4 715 542
4CS	4 715 542
5LS	4 291 130

Well done everyone!

SUMMER FAIR

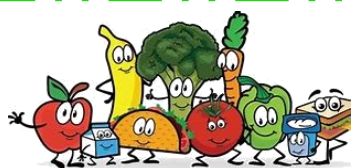
Unfortunately, due to a number of significant reasons, we are unable to proceed with a Summer Fair at Peters Hill this year. This has not changed our intentions of ensuring that we host events in the future and we will be in touch soon with information for events in the 23-24 academic year. We will communicate these to you as soon as possible including requests for volunteers during the planning stages. Thank you for your understanding.

SCHOOL HOLIDAY ACTIVITIES

Children can keep busy over the school holidays with fun activities taking place across Dudley borough leisure centres and the Dell Stadium.

For further information, please go to:

<https://www.dbleisure.co.uk/school-holiday-activities>



Click [here](#) to view our lunchtime information and menus



Attendance

We have had some great attendance scores over the past two weeks.

Well done to everyone!

Please ensure that children are arriving punctually each day. School doors open at 8.35am and close at 8.45am.

Highest attendance:

2KA - 96.35%

WELL DONE!!

Ambition**Belief****Compassion****Pride****Respect**

COOKING IN YEAR 5

Last week, children in Year 5 made apple crumble. They used the skills of rubbing in, the bridge hold, cutting and weighing. The children also created some excellent toppings and enjoyed eating their crumbles. The smell around school was amazing!



YEAR 6 VISIT TO SILVERSTONE

Year 6 had a fantastic time at Silverstone! They took part in workshops, got to explore the technology and research behind racing and had chance to try on some racing overalls and helmets. They also visited the interactive museum and saw some amazing vehicles and exhibits! They were lucky enough to get to walk some parts of the circuit too and see groups of motorbikes using it!



ONLINE SAFETY

Staying safe online is extremely important for children. There is lots of information available for parents on our website which will be continually updated.

The following link will take you to our e-safety page:

<http://petershillprimary.org/Community/E-Safety>

TERM DATES

Please click [here](#) to view the term dates for this academic year. These can also be found on our website under the 'Useful Info' Tab.

COOKING AT HOME



Well done to the children below who have been cooking at home.

Elizabeth tweaked the apple crumble recipe she made at home to produce a lovely berry crumble.



Jayden made some lovely white chocolate chip cookies.



Ellawese also had fun baking apple crumble at home.

NEW Health and Wellbeing Newsletter for Children and Families in Dudley

The Children & Young People's Public Health Team have launched a termly newsletter for children and families, which provides information about what's available to support their health and wellbeing.

If you have any questions, please contact the Children & Young People's Public Health Team cypteam@dudley.gov.uk

To view the newsletter for children and families, please click [here](#)



The MARSBalloon Project

MARSBalloon is an exciting project to carry out Mars-analogue science experiments without having to put on a spacesuit! Year 5 have prepared capsules containing a light bulb, water, and soil with a green bean seed to be sent in the balloon.

The balloon will carry over 150 student experiments to an altitude of 30km, more than twice the height of commercial airliners, where they will be above 99% of the Earth's atmosphere. Along the way they will experience conditions very similar to the surface of Mars including temperatures of -50°C , pressures 1/100th that of sea level and an increased radiation dose.

The whole flight lasts approximately 4 hours and the MARSBalloon team will chase after the balloon to recover the experiments after landing, allowing them to be returned to the students for analysis.



COOKING BLOG

As you are aware our cooking blog is now available to view on our website.



We would like children to use the recipes they have practised in school at home and then send us a photograph of the finished dish to cooking@petershillprimary.org

These will then be published and shared on our blog to celebrate their success.

Children should only use recipes they have made in school but may tweak them slightly (e.g. different flavourings) if they prefer.

BOOK OF FAVOURITE

RECIPES

Does your child or family have:

- A favourite family recipe.
- A recipe that has been passed down from generation to generation that you still love to cook.
- A recipe of your own that you have created that is unique to you.

If so and you are willing to share it with the school community, please email the following details to:

cooking@petershillprimary.org

- Your name
- Your child's name and class
- The title of the recipe
- A list of ingredients
- The method used to produce the finished recipe
- Feel free to include a photograph of the finished recipe

A selection of recipes will then be collated and made into a book which will be available to order for a donation to school fund. Any money raised will be used to purchase additional resources for school.

TALK LIKE AN EXPERT DAY

As part of 'Talk Like an Expert Day', children have been taking part in various Speaking and Listening activities over the course of the week to demonstrate what they've been learning about this half term. Activities have covered a wide range of curriculum areas and have included retelling traditional tales, persuading people to visit California and debating whether the Vikings should have invaded Lindisfarne. For more information about what everyone got up to, please take a look at the class blogs.

SPRING TERM 2023

Dates for
the Diary:

5 June 2023

6 June 2023

7 June 2023

7 June 2023

Sports Days - further details to follow:

30 June 2023 - Year 5

4 July 2023 - Year 4

5 July 2023 - Year 3

11 July 2023 - Year 2

12 July 2023 - Year 1

World Environment Day

Reception—Year 5 Class Photographs

Nursery Class Photographs

Year 6 Group Photograph

13 July 2023 - Reception

18 July 2023 - Year 6

19 July 2023 - Nursery

All sports days start at 9.00am