

Dear Parents and Carers



Harvest Festival

The Cavendish Harvest Festival was a great success. The children sang wonderfully, thanks to the fantastic work of our music teacher, Mrs Jones.

There was a great turn-out of parents/carers, which made the occasion very special. We had lots of food to give to 'The Upper Room', a local charity that supports London's homeless, so a big thank you on their behalf for your generous donations.

Beat the Street Update

Beat the Street is now into its third week and many Cavendish children along with their parents/carers are taking the opportunity to take up the challenge and at the same time, stay fit and healthy. Cavendish is still currently around mid-table in the competition, so please take part and keep putting on those walking shoes!

MyMaths

Just a reminder to parents to have a look at the MyMaths resource, if you haven't had the chance to do so. All

parents should now have the passwords and logins to access this valuable maths resource. Please ask Mr Shand if you need any advice or help.



Parent Workshop

On Thursday Cavendish hosted a workshop on healthy eating and oral health. Parents and carers were given useful advice on, for example, avoiding continuous snacking and not rinsing after brushing teeth. There were surprising facts about the high amount of sugar in food products and about healthy alternatives. We had very positive comments about the session from those who attended and we are hoping to arrange a future training session for the children on how to brush their teeth effectively.

Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair will be running next week alongside parents evening. Unfortunately we have only had 2 parents volunteer their time to run the book fair. If you are available at any time before or after school to help please let the office know.

Head lice

There have been reported head lice in year 1 and year 3, please could you ensure that you check all siblings hair and if you do find there to be any head lice please treat immediately and inform the school office. Thank you for your co-operation.

Dates for your Diary

Monday 16th October

Book Fair all week (Volunteers Needed)
Parents Evening 3:30—7pm

Tuesday 17th October

Year 6 to Benjamin Franklin House

Wednesday 18th October

Parents Evening 3:30—6pm

Thursday 19th October

Cross Country Competition 3:30—5pm

Friday 20th October

Mufti Day—Spooky Disco (Tombola Gifts)

23rd—27th October

Half Term

Monday 30th October

Inset Day—no children

Tuesday 31st October

Year 3 to National History Museum

Thursday 2nd November

Year 6 to Houses of Parliament

Friday 3rd November

Spooky Disco

Attendance

The school sets an attendance target of 96.6% in line with the National Average. To date the school attendance percentage is 97.5%.

Class	Attendance
Year 3	98.8%
Year 1	98.5%
Year 2	97.9%
Year 5	95.6%
Year 4	95.5%
Reception	93.9%
Year 6	92.4%
Nursery	91.7%

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