# Perivale Primary School Newsletter



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#### Recognise and reward

Looking back on the 2022- 2023 school year at Perivale we can categorically state: it has been eventful!

As we end the year, I am pleased to confirm that Ms Porter will be remaining with us as our Interim Headteacher well into the next school year. This will ensure she and her team can build on the successes we have seen germinate in recent months.

On behalf of the Governing Board (GB) and School Leadership Team, I would like to extend a warm 'welcome' to Ms Porter, and we very much look forward to working closely with her, staff, parents and of course pupils, in continuing our journey of Perivale development to ensure the best outcomes for all.

The school has participated in several enrichment and review opportunities, and GB members have been very active in supporting the school. There was lots of good news from the Health Check completed by the local authority, and from a Safeguarding Audit. Thank you to all who led on these and contributed. There

have been governor visits, check ins, and of course committee meetings – thank you to both Rob Hawkes and Sandip Bhalsod for chairing these committees and for the admirable work undertaken around both curriculum and resources. To each governor and our clerk, Alan O'Neill – I appreciate all you have given in support of the school this year – you have made a remarkable contribution. These are for you



We unfortunately bade farewell to Sandip recently as he prepares to relocate to warmer climes. Farewell also to Sharine Tyndale, who as our SEND and EYFS lead, we will also miss. Our warmest wishes go with them in their future endeavours, and we will always be ready to welcome them back. We do already have two new proposed members in place to be co-opted. More about them on our return to school.

Perivale Parents – wonderful to see the formulation of the Perivale Parents, Teachers, and Friends Association, and a great start to your school partnership in organising events for our community. We look forward to future events and opportunities to collaborate. Thank you to the PTFA board and members for all their time and creativity in creating hours of fun and good spirit.

As a GB we thank every Perivale team member for not only doing what they do to create the Perivale magic, but for also going above and beyond for our community, and importantly for each other.

My wish is for everyone to have a restful and peaceful summer, and I look forward to more Perivale success in 2023 – 2024.



Mr. Chris Green

Chair of governors

# **Saying Goodbye**

As this academic year draws to a close, we say goodbye to some of our staff. This year we are saying goodbye to:





Mr. A Dedrick

Miss A. Patel Miss G Hodkinson

Some of the staff have only been with us for a short period of time and some have been with us for a year or more but they have all made a positive impact on the school and we will miss them all.

We wish them all the very best for the future.

#### **Year 6 Leavers**



Thank you to the PTFA who kindly paid for the Year 6 leavers t-shirts.

They are a fantastic memento for them to have as they move on to high school. We wish them all every success in the future.



## Year 4 trip to Whipsnade Zoo



Year 4 recently visited Whipsnade Zoo as part of their science topic 'Animals - including humans'. They attended a workshop and then had the opportunity to look around the zoo.

They were also able to touch some of the animals and look at them more closely to observe their habits and diets.

Everyone had a great time.



## Year 2 trip to Kidzania

Year 2 had a lovely time visiting Kidzania. We were really excited about taking the public transport to Westfield. When we arrived at Kidzania, we each received 50 Kidzos which we could earn or spend as we participated in role-play activities. The most popular job role had to be the firefighter! We put out the huge fire in the middle of the city and there were reporters and paramedics everywhere at the fire scene. It was an amazing day and we would love to go back again soon!



## **Year 1 trip to Hounslow Urban Farm**

On the 4th July, Year 1 visited Hounslow urban farm where the children had the chance to hand feed goats, sheep and llamas before getting up close to some more exotic animals such as African land snails, cockroaches and lizards. The children also got the chance to hold many of these animals and wear a snake around their neck. We took time to learn about some farm animals in a workshop and then experienced an owl flying over our heads before giving him a stroke. The children had an amazing day and were true Perivale ambassadors. We are so proud of how brave they all were when meeting the animals.



#### **DESCENDANTS 18TH ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS**



A number of our children were nominated for the Descendants Annual Achievement Awards. Noor was shortlisted for an award and was placed third in her category of striving to excel in education. She attended the award ceremony with her parents and received her certificate. Congratulations Noor on your outstanding achievement!

### 100% Attendance

Congratulations to the children who were here every day for the whole school year. That is an amazing achievement.



#### **Preloved School Uniform**



Don't miss the free Preloved School Uniform Shop at Ealing Broadway Shopping centre outside Tesco on 29th and 30th July. On the 29th donations will be received and on the 30th you will be able to go along and take any uniform you might need. For more information click here

## **Head Teacher/ Parents Meeting**

Please find the future dates for the Head Teacher/Parents Meetings

Date	Time
Thursday 7th September 2023	14:30
Monday 2nd October 2023	18:00
Thursday 9th November 2023	10:30
Tuesday 5th December 2023	14:30

# **Summer Term 2023/Autumn 2023 - Dates for your calendar**

Date	Time	Audience	Event
Friday 21st July 2023	13:00	Whole school	Last day of summer term
Tuesday 5th September	9:00	Whole school	First day of term
Thursday 7th September 2023	14:30	Whole school	Head teacher/parent meeting
Monday 11th September 2023	9:00	Year 1 parents	Meet the Teacher meeting
Monday 11th September 2023	14:30	Year 2 parents	Meet the Teacher meeting
Tuesday 12th September 2023	9:00	Year 3 parents	Meet the Teacher meeting
Tuesday 12th September 2023	14:30	Year 4 parents	Meet the Teacher meeting
Wednesday 13th September 2023	9:00	Year 5 parents	Meet the Teacher meeting
Wednesday 13th September 2023	14:30	Year 6 parents	Meet the Teacher meeting
Thursday 14th September 2023	9:00	Nursery	Meet the Teacher meeting
Thursday 14th September 2023	14:30	Reception	Meet the Teacher meeting
Thursday 19th September 2023	9.00	Reception, Year 1 and 2	Phonics workshop
Friday 29th September	9:00 - 10:00	Whole school	Macmillan coffee morning