

PARK NEWSLETTER



Monday 29th January 2018

Ensuring every individual achieves their best through high expectations for all; with a focus on confidence, creativity, care and aspiration.

★★★Stars of the Week★★★

Friday 19th January

Explorers (Year 1)

Samia in Aldrin Class

Piotr in Attenborough Class

Dovydas in Marco Polo Class

Scientists and Inventors (Years 2, 3 & 4)

Eesa in Einstein Class

Hannah in Marie Curie Class

Favor in Pasteur Class

Yusuf K in Da Vinci Class

Amaan in Edison Class

Sarah in Galileo Class

Arif in Berners-Lee Class

Alba in Brunel Class

Muhammad in Hawking Class

Leaders (Years 5 & 6)

Leila in Gandhi Class

Meena in Helen Keller Class

Farhaan in Rosa Parks Class

Elizabeth in Malala Class

Alioune in Mandela Class

Jessica in Pankhurst Class

Assistant Head Teachers' Stars

Miss Cook's Star of the Week

Safa in Aldrin Class

Miss Patora's Star of the Week

Ibrahim in Berners Lee Class

Mr Walker's Star of the Week

Erika in Helen Keller Class

★★★Stars of the Week★★★

Friday 26th January

Explorers (Year 1)

Nabilur in Aldrin Class

Elise in Attenborough Class

Samson in Marco Polo Class

Scientists and Inventors (Years 2, 3 & 4)

Jasmina in Einstein Class

Humayd in Marie Curie Class

Sufyaan in Pasteur Class

Sofia in Da Vinci Class

Rhisika in Edison Class

Thea in Galileo Class

Ismail in Berners-Lee Class

Melani in Brunel Class

Saihan in Hawking Class

Leaders (Years 5 & 6)

Yuvraj in Gandhi Class

Maisha in Helen Keller Class

Zahi in Rosa Parks Class

Modou in Malala Class

David in Mandela Class

Meeraj in Pankhurst Class

Assistant Head Teachers' Stars

Miss Cook's Star of the Week

Adam in Einstein Class

Miss Patora's Star of the Week

Bogdan in Edison Class

Mr Walker's Star of the Week

David in Malala Class

Thought for the Week

When given the choice between being right and being kind,
choose kind

Park Ponders

This week's Park Ponders question is...



Should you always keep a secret?

Our Attendance Stars

know Attendance and Punctuality Matters!

This week our Attendance Winners are:
KS1: **Aldrin (again!) and Marie Curie** 100% 😊
LKS2: **Da Vinci** 99%
UKS2: **Malala 100** 😊

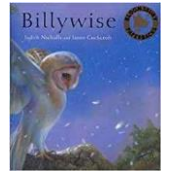


Overall attendance this week: 96.8% 😊
Overall attendance this year: 96.2% 😊
School attendance target: 96%

Our Punctuality Winners are:
Unfortunately we did not have a single class who arrived at school on time every day this week. Please ensure your children are in the playground at 8:50am ready for the bell at 8:55am.

Word of the Week

Key Stage 1: **trying**
The children will be reading the story 'Billywise'.
Key Stage 2: **happiness**



Value of the Week

This week, we will be thinking about 'mutual respect' in our values assembly.

Weekly Science Fact

This week's science fact to ponder and discuss is.....



A person's sneeze can travel at speeds of about 100 miles per hour! Imagine if your sneeze fuelled your movement!

This Week's Learning Power: Perseverance Persevere – be a Persevering Parrot!

We show that we are Persevering Parrots by:

- working hard
- practising lots
- taking a brain break
- trying new strategies
- asking for help
- discussing the solution with others
- working through a problem on your own
- and above all, not giving up!



Safeguarding your Children: Online Safety

Thank you to everyone who attended the Online Safety presentation last week. We hope you found it to be informative. We will share the presentation materials as soon as we receive them.



We are aware that there are a number of parents and carers who were unable to attend the presentation. Miss Critchley will be giving an online safety presentation in the near future for those parents and carers who could not make it. Details to follow next week.

Parent/ Carer Afternoon

Our parent/ carer afternoon is being held on Thursday 8th February. School closes at 1:00pm and the children will need to be collected promptly at this time.

Please log into your Scopay account to make a booking.

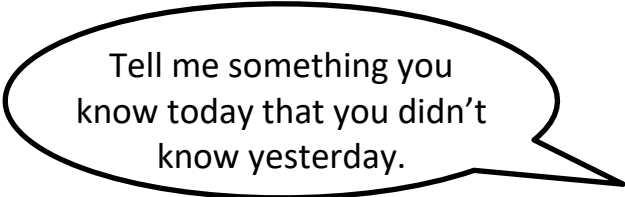
<https://www.scopay.com/school>

If you are new to our school and require a username, or you need help to make the booking, please visit the school office and our staff will be happy to help you.



Chatting with your Child

Do you get the same answer every day from your child when you ask about their day? Try asking this week's alternative question instead.



Caring outside of School

We were incredibly proud to hear of the fantastic, caring work of Jonah, one of our Year 6 children.

Jonah has selflessly given his time every Sunday evening for ten weeks, helping to set up 15 beds at a winter night shelter for homeless people. Over the past few years he has helped to create a cosy and safe space for guests in his church, Stratford Salvation Army. Jonah never complains and he always gives his time generously. Well done Jonah, we are very proud of you. You're an inspiration to us all.



Child Safety

Please could we remind parents that children should not be left at school unsupervised before the start of the school day. The playground opens from 8:35am but we cannot take responsibility for your child until their teacher takes them at 8:55am. The exception to this is Years 5 & 6 who go into school from 8:45am.

Sharing Assemblies

Our sharing assemblies are on a Friday at 9:05am. Please enter the school through the main office if you are attending sharing assembly.

Date	KS1	KS2
2.02.18	Einstein	Gandhi
9.02.18	No sharing	Mandela
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23.02.18	Attenborough	Edison
2.03.18	No sharing	Berners-Lee
9.03.18	Marie Curie	Rosa Parks
16.03.18	No sharing	Pankhurst
23.03.18	Marco Polo	Galileo
30.03.18 20.04.18	Pasteur	Hawking

Diary Dates

6.2.18	School Photographs (Individual Photos)
8.2.18	Parent/ Carer Afternoon
12.2.18 - 16.2.18	Half Term
19.2.18	Back to school
29.3.18	Last day of term
30.3.18	School closed – holiday
11.4.18 - 13.4.18	Optional Year 6 Easter School
16.4.18	Back to school

