Roxeth Primary School



Newsletter

February 2018

HIGH SCHOOL SURVEY - will you choose a Harrow Secondary School when your child leaves Year 6? We want our brilliant children at Roxeth Primary to go on to do even better at a Harrow Secondary school. However we realise there is more choice and as a parent you have the right to ensure you make the best choice for your child. We would like the views of all parents especially those in year 5 & 6, to help us work closely with secondary school in Harrow, so they are always your first choice.

Please complete this anonymous survey:

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/harrowSchools

It will close at 12noon on Monday 12th March

Value of the month



Thoughtfulness

- * Thinking of others
- * Being generous
- * Taking time to think



STEM WEEK —Stem week was a 5-day celebration of Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths - featuring fascinating, entertaining and engaging activities, visits and workshops across all key stages. The children took part in hands-on activities that were designed to engage them in a fun and stimulating way which enabled to spark their creativity and imagination.

To give you a flavour of the creativity, inspiration and fun that STEM week brought to Roxeth,

have a look at the photos below.





























<u>Parent Reminder</u> - Let me please remind you that the main doors to the school are **not** opened until 8.40am. Please supervise your children in the playground until this time.



Y6 VISIT ROYAL ALBERT HALL - Even a snow blizzard doesn't keep us from learning in new and creative ways. Roxeth's Year 6 children can now claim to have performed their own musical compositions *live* at the famous Royal Albert Hall! In a workshop were they combined instruments and cutting edge technology, they explored the link between maths and music to create their own group and class performances. Their behaviour was considered so exceptional that they were even allowed a sneak-preview of the Cirque de Soleil Ovo spectacular to take place that evening - very

lucky children indeed!











KS1 SPORTS FESTIVAL-A mix of Y1 & 2 children attended the borough's KS1 Festival at Harrow Leisure Centre. It was a great afternoon involving a carousel of fun sports activities, designed to build the children's confidence and teamwork.







Diary Dates

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5-9 Mar	Book Week

8th Mar Y5&6 Cross Country Racing

Year 5 Exhibition in the hall

12-14 Mar Choir Showcase

14th Mar Y6 Author Visit @ John Lyon

16th Mar Year R play to parents

20th Mar Parents Eve

Song Festival

22nd Mar Parents Eve

23rd Mar 5A & John Lyon Greek Myths perf

RSA Quiz night

27th Mar String Festival

KS1 SATS prep evening for

parents

28th Mar Regen Easter Assembly

29th Mar END OF TERM SCHOOL CLOSES

AT 2pm

16th April Back to School

17th April Year 3 African Drumming begins

18th April Parent workshop resumes

1st May Class photo day

3rd May SCHOOL CLOSED - Polling Day

John Lyon Music Day

7th May BANK HOLIDAY SCHOOL CLOSED

28-1st May HALF TERM

RSA CLOTHES DRIVE - Thank you to all the amazing parents at Roxeth School for contributing to the RSA Clothes Drive. You raised an amazing sum of £324.00.



FOOTBALL - Our Year 6 boys have begun playing their football league group matches. Two closely fought games unfortunately ended in 1-0 losses to both Grange and St. Anselms. Showing great teamwork and a growing confidence, the boys managed to beat Earlsmead 1-0, before losing 2-0 to a very strong Welldon Park team. Danial has been showing great leadership from central defence as captain of the squad. One more match to play in the group.

Parent Volunteers For Our Garden

We are still looking for parent volunteers to help develop the garden areas for our children. If you can help, even for a short time, please contact the school office.



GENERAL DATA PROTECTION REGISTER (GDPR) - IMPORTANT INFORMATION From 25 May 2018 the law is changing and the new General Data Protection Register (GDPR) will become law. As an organisation that gathers and uses data (information) we are required to review our data handling and related procedures.

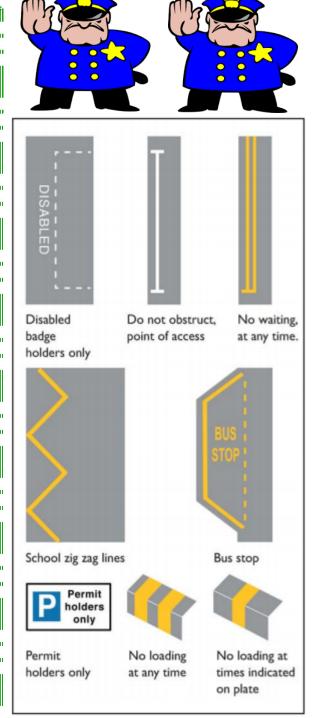
PROOF OF ATTENDANCE LETTERS - in light of the new GDPR laws we are updating the procedures currently in place. We will now only issue letters if we are contacted directly by the agency that has requested it. We will no longer be issuing 'to whom it may concern' letters. Roxeth school letters will only be sent to named individuals.

PASSPORT, VISA & CITIZENSHIP APPLICATIONS —we will no longer be able to offer a signing service for documents such as passports, visas and citizenship applications as we need to comply with the new data regulations.

SCHOOL DROP OFF & COLLECTION PARKING-

Concerns have been raised about parking around the school at peak times. Examples of poor parking have included blocked pavements, obstructed driveways, parking over dropped curbs, on zig-zag road markings and other access points. This seriously increases the risk of harm to children trying to safely cross the road. The School have asked local residents to contact Harrow Council or the police if their driveway is being blocked.

"Parking on the zigzags around schools means that" Children cannot see over your car when trying to cross the road, so please park in a safe place to avoid "accidents. If you park in a dangerous place you may " be issued with a Penalty Charge Notice (PCNs) for: • Stopping on school zig zag lines and zebra cross-"ings • Parking on double yellow lines and verges • Parking in residents' and disabled parking bays where a valid badge is not displayed • Parking in taxi ranks • "Parking outside marked bays • Staying too long in a " "time limited waiting areas • Failing to pay and display a valid parking ticket where there is a parking charge. Obstructing pedestrian and vehicle access points "where there are dropped kerbs • Double parking The" Police have a duty to enforce other traffi c offences, which can result in penalty points being issued on 'your Driving Licence. These include: • Dangerous parking • Causing obstructions • Parking pedestrian crossings



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BOOKINGS WILL OPEN
Tuesday 6th March

OPEN EVENINGS

Dear Parents/Carers of children in Reception to Year 5,

This term's Open Evenings will be held on Tuesday 20th March & Thursday 22nd March. Each appointment will last no more than ten minutes.

To book an appointment for Open Evening with your child's Class Teacher, please follow these steps.

- 1. Open your internet browser, such as Internet Explorer or Google Chrome
- 2. Type the following web address https://roxeth.parentseveningsystem.co.uk
- 3. Complete the fields with your information
- 4. Click login and continue
- 5. Choose the preferred open evening day you would like to attend and then click **continue**.
- 6. Select your child's class teacher and then click continue to book appointments
- 7. Click on an available time slot to book an appointment
- 8. To book this slot, click add appointment
- 9. You will see an on screen message to tell you this is complete, you have secured a booking with your child's Class Teacher.

If you experience any difficulties logging into our new Parent Evening booking system, please drop in to see by Monday 12th March.

Yours faithfully

Class Teacher



CLAREMONT HIGH SCHOOL ACADEMY

MUSIC APTITUDE TEST DATES FOR ENTRY IN SEPTEMBER 2019

We are pleased to announce 10 percent of new intake places will be for students who have an aptitude in Music. These places will be available for September 2019 admissions in accordance with our published admission criteria for 2019.

Parents/Carers are invited to make an application by Wednesday 23rd May 2018.

Application forms are available from the school website: www.claremont-high.org.uk

Students will be asked to complete a Music Aptitude Test on Saturday 9th June 2018

Auditions will be held on Monday 18th and Tuesday 19th June 2018.

Please return all completed applications to:-

Admissions - Music Applications

Claremont High School Academy

Claremont Avenue, Kenton, Harrow HA3 0UH

Tel: 020 8204 4442 Fax: 020 8204 3548

