



The Devonshire Hill Times

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Spring 2 Term has already brought lots of exciting opportunity and success, take a look at the most recent events. We wish you a restful Easter Break and look forward to even more excitement in the Summer term.

Pendarren– Year 6

This year's trip to Pendarren was filled with even more excitement than usual following a last minute announcement that Year 6 would in fact be able to attend. The residential trip had been cancelled due to poor weather conditions. An excited cheer rang through the year 6 corridor when the good news was announced to the pupils. Participants definitely did not allow the cold snowy weather get in their way! Take a look at the school website News Archive to see Year 6 pupils and staff in full swing while abseiling, crate climbing, canoeing, and horse riding. There may even be the odd snow angel and snowball!!



Climbing and Abseiling



Horse Riding



Navigating in the Snow

Reading Garden

Year 2 have been planting a variety of seeds as part of their Topic 'Flowers and Insects'. So far they are waiting for potatoes, tomatoes and sunflowers to grow their first shoots. After the success of last summers mini allotment supported by Year 5 pupils we have decided to create a new Reading Garden where the children can enjoy growing and reading over the warmer spring and summer months. If anyone would be willing to donate any amount of seedlings or cuttings of fruit, vegetables or plants and flowers they will be gratefully received to help support the success of this project– no matter how big or small, just one plant will help.



Year 5 planting up seedlings

Important Dates:

Thursday 29th March
World Book Day- £1 donation

Last School Day Spring 2

Friday 30th March
Good Friday Bank Holiday -
School Closed

Mon 2nd - Fri 13th April
Easter Half Term

Monday 16th April
Inset Day– School Closed

Tuesday 17th April
First day of Summer Term

Friday 20th April
Boys Primary Football League

Friday 20th April
Haringey Stay and Play
School Field 3.30pm-5.30pm

Wednesday 25th April
Coffee Morning

Friday 27th April
Girls Primary Football League

Thurs 3rd May
Polling Day– School Closed

Mon 14th - Thurs 17th May
Year 6 SATs Exams

Friday 18th May
All Home Learning completed

Mon 21st - Fri 25th May
Year 2 SATs Exams

To everyone celebrating
this half term...



Happy Easter!

Apollo– Brass Quartet

Our Year 5 pupils have completed their sessions with the Apollo String Quartet and are now learning all about brass instruments with a Brass Quartet. Their introduction involved an explanation of the science behind how brass instruments work and a comparison of four different brass instruments which included a trumpet, a French horn, a trombone and a tuba. The children were able to discover the range of notes played by each instrument and the variation in tones between all four instruments. Why not have a listen to how all four play together on the online News Archive– www.devonshirehill.com



Y5 listening to the brass quartet



Reception learning how to be safe internet users

Online Safety Assembly

This term our pupils and parents/carers attended a very important assembly which offered lots of useful information to support internet safety. Each assembly was relevant to an age related audience and expressed the importance of using the internet safely while outlining the key steps to take towards being a safe internet user. Well done to all of our pupils who took the subject very seriously while staying engaged and providing some excellent responses. We thank all parents/carers who came along and hope that you took some valuable information away with you to help support internet safety from home.

For those who were unable to attend we have provided access to some resources which can be used to support e-safety from home can be found on our website– www.devonshirehill.com/online-safety-assembly/

World Book Day



Show your love for reading!

Thursday 29th March



Come to school dressed as your favourite book character.

£1 Donation

Family Play Session

You are invited to join us for a Family Play Session. This event supports Haringey's 'Weekend of Play' project.

Friday 20th April / 3:30 - 5:30pm

The school field will be accessible for our families to bring their children and encourage sport and play together.



Please note the following:

- All children must be accompanied by an adult
- You may bring your own healthy refreshments

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