

# Newsletter

Issue 3

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2016

## Be in line at 5 to 9!

Please make sure that your child is **in their class line at 8.55am**. (not walking through the gates or down the road). Too many pupils are arriving at school late! This delays the start of lessons, takes up extra teacher time and impacts on the children's education.



### STAR PUPIL WINNERS



**Reception** – Amelia, Eliza, Tahiyah. **Year 1** – Samuel, Zainab, Sofia.



**Year 2** – Shuma, Ali Hamja, Tahrima. **Year 3** – Ibrahim, Abu Bakr, Habeeba.

**Year 4** – Habibur, Khalilah, Jessica. **Year 5** – Kaia, Suki, Brooklyn.



**Year 6** – Kawsar.



### ATTENDANCE WINNERS

Nursery Blue, Reception Red, Year 1 Blue, Year 2 Green, Year 3 Blue,  
Year 4 Green, Year 5 Green, Year 6 Green.



### EARLY BIRDS

Nursery Blue, Reception Red & Blue, 1 Blue, 2 Green & Blue, 3 Blue, 4 Blue  
& Green, 5 Green, 6 Blue & Green.

### CAKE WITH KEVIN

Here are this week's 'Cake with Kevin' winners! Due to the popularity of this weekly event, we will now be **doubling** the amount of weekly winners! Good luck to all our fantastic star pupils!



### SCHOOL CLOSURE

MONDAY 31<sup>ST</sup>  
OCTOBER 2016

SCHOOL WILL BE CLOSED TO  
ALL PUPILS ON MONDAY 31<sup>ST</sup>  
OCTOBER DUE TO STAFF INSET  
DAY  
ALL PUPILS ARE EXPECTED TO  
RETURN TO SCHOOL ON  
TUESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER AT  
8.55AM

**PUZZLE OF THE WEEK**

Every week we will be featuring a puzzle for pupils to solve. If you think you've got the answer, write it on a piece of paper and place in the box in the dinner hall. We will draw one correct entry out at random and they will win a prize!

Yesterday the date was 6/10/16,  $6 + 10 = 16$

On 14th of February this year the date was 14/2/16,  $14 + 2 = 16$

On the 4th of December this year the date will be 4/12/16,  $4 + 12 = 16$



How many other dates can you find **this year** that follow this pattern? Can you find them all?

**ROOM 13 ADULT ART CLASSES**

From this term, we will be opening up Room 13 for our parents and carers. If you would like to learn to draw or paint then this is for you! All classes will be held in the Room 13 studio at Old Ford Primary Academy on Thursday afternoons from 1.45pm - 3.15pm. The classes will be led by our professional Artist in Residence, Paul Briginshaw and are for all abilities. If you are interested in taking part, please leave your name and contact number with the administration office. There will be a small charge of £3.00 per session plus the cost of materials.

**ROOM 13**

Room 13 is our on site, pupil managed art studio. Our pupils work under the expert guidance of Paul our Artist in Residence. Every week we will be featuring the work of one of our talented Room 13 artists.



'From the shadows' (acrylic on canvas) by Riyaz

**The last day for autumn term 1 is  
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2016**

Half term holiday  
Monday 24<sup>th</sup> October to  
Friday 28<sup>th</sup> October 2016

All pupils are expected to return  
to school on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup>  
November at 8.55am

**ZUMBA**

**ZUMBA WITH HENA**

**STARTS MONDAY 3<sup>RD</sup>  
OCTOBER 2016**

**9:00am – 10:00am**

**Lower Ground Hall**

**£2 a session Women only**

**TAKING HOLIDAY DURING SCHOOL TIME**

Please do not take your children on holiday during term-time. Taking holidays, when children should be at school, can help to create gaps in their learning.