



The Campsbourne Weekly

Campsbourne School's Weekly Newsletter

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Every Child Matters

9th September 2017



Attendance and Punctuality
for week ending
9th September 2017

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1 Riley		
1 Brooks		
2 Seurat		
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Key Dates Autumn 2017
NSPCC Keeping Children Safe
Online Parent Workshop
Wednesday 20th September
at 9am

Jeans for Genes Day
Friday 22nd September

Y4, Y5 and Y6 Open Morning
Friday 6th October

Emotional Health - Parent
Workshop
Thursday 12th October
9.30 – 10.15

Y2 and Y3
Open Morning
Friday 13th October

Rec and Y1
Open Morning
Friday 20th October

Parents' Evening
Monday 13th and
Wednesday 15th November

Energykidz Dates
October – 23rd-27th Oct
Christmas – No Holiday Club
February Half Term – 12th-
16th Feb
Easter – 3rd-13th April
May – 29th May – 1st June
Summer – TBA

Hello Everyone

I hope that you have all had a wonderful summer holiday. Staff have been busy preparing classrooms and getting ready to introduce a number of new programs to improve provision this year.

Empiribox is our new science program which focuses on getting the children out of their seats and working in teams on engaging and practical science experiments / activities each and every week. We are also introducing new **reading programmes**. In Year 1 children will be enjoying Daily Supported Reading which provides them with the opportunity to read in a small group with adult support every day so that they enter year 2 as confident and fluent readers. This program is rolled out in Reception classes in the new year. In Key Stage 2 children will be enjoying Destination Reader which focuses on comprehension and teaches them key skills which they need to be able to engage with and explore the meaning within stories and information books. The new **Forest School** Space has now been finished and with all the rain we have had over the summer it is looking fantastic. Forest School begins next week in year 1 with Janine Shaw and will continue after half term with year 2. Janine will also be running a lunch time gardening club and an arts and craft club which will focus on using natural materials found in the park. Thank you to the parents who helped to set up the **art room** which is now ready to use. Our resident artist will be in later this term before half term to work with year 2 and at the end of the term with year 3.

Writing Superstars

We would like to congratulate Adelaide Carter, Lottie Pemberton, Niahm Clayton, Niara Kontoh, Sarah Rodriguez and Lauren Shearer who took part in the *Once Upon A Dream, London Dreamers* competition and will have their stories printed in the anthology which is due out later this year. They received over 35,000 entries so to be selected for the anthology is an amazing achievement. If you would like to find out more about this competition and others that are run please go to the Young Writers website www.youngwriters.co.uk

Keeping Children Safe Online Parent Workshop (Wednesday 20th September)

O2 and the NSPCC have joined forces on a mission to help all children and their families in the UK stay safe online. Together, they're offering useful tools, support and guidance to help parents and carers have conversations with their children about their online lives. As part of this, they're running free **online safety workshops for parents and carers** and will be hosting one at **Campsbourne School at 9am on Wednesday 20th September**. We would like to invite all parents and carers to join. The hour-long workshop will help parents and carers understand their child's online world and build confidence to have those important conversations that can help keep children safe online.

Children's Emotional Health – Parent Workshop Thursday 12th October at 9.30am

Avril McDonald is the award winning author of the 'Feel Brave Series of Books' (little stories about big feelings), and we are pleased to inform you that she will be visiting our school on Thursday 12th October. Avril will be delivering a whole school assembly and working with the children across years 1 and 2 telling the Feel Brave stories and demonstrating fun exercises and games that help build emotional health and wellbeing. Avril is a professional learning and development provider for teachers and educators in the field of 'Innovative pedagogy in emotional health' and we have arranged for her to give a 30min talk to our parents where she will give five simple strategies to take home and use to help with self-confidence, anxiety, change/loss/grief, worries and calming down and making relationships. The [Feel Brave](#) Series of books aim to help children manage tough emotions and reach their potential. Each book tells a story about a real life situation that children may face, and offers a really simple solution to cope with it. Children will fall in love with Wolfgang and his friends who subtly help to show them simple strategies to deal with situations such as: Self-Confidence, Anxiety & Fears, Change, Loss & Grief and Worries & Calming Down.

Drama Club

Drama Club takes place on a Monday, 3:30-4:45pm (with a snack break from 3:30-3:45) for children in Reception - Year 2 (KS1). In the drama club they will play lots of games which work on their communication skills and develop their imaginations whilst also having lots of fun and building confidence! In the second half of term we will start work on a short piece that they will present to parents in the last session of term. This term the theme is 'The Sheep Pig' so we will be getting to know all of the farm yard animals, making our own farm yard and helping the Sheep Pig run the place! The club costs £45 per child/per term. The term is 10 weeks from Monday 18th September - 27th November (Half Term on Monday 23rd October). The presentation would be on Monday 27th November. If you would like more information or to book please email Jennie Eggleton at theplayingspace@me.com
Have a lovely weekend

Jonathan Smith (Head Teacher)



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