



Dates for the Diary

Spring Term 2018

Monday 1st April 2019 – Reception Spring Concert 2:00pm

Tuesday 2nd & Wednesday 3rd April 2019 – Reception Spring Concert 9:40am

Wednesday 3rd and Thursday 4th April 2019 – Parents' Evening for Reception, Years 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5.

Thursday 4th April – ParentZone workshop for parents & Carers 9:00am

Thursday 4th April – Fundraising Coffee Morning 9:00-10:30am

Friday 5th April – Last day of term.

Monday 8th – Monday 22nd April Inclusive – Easter school holidays.

Tuesday 23rd April – Children return to school.

Dear Parent/Carer,

Next week is our final week of Spring Term with the children finishing school on Friday at the usual time. It is also Parents' Evening on Wednesday and Thursday evening, for all the children in Reception, Years 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

Please endeavour to attend this meeting as it allows you to see your child's books and discuss their learning, progress and wellbeing with their teacher. I, along with all the members of the Senior Leadership Team, will be available throughout the evenings should you wish to speak with us.

This week Year Three performed their entertaining assembly, "Pirates and Mermaids" which showed off their singing and acting talent. This coming week it is the turn of our Reception children to perform to their parents. Please come along and celebrate Spring with your Reception child and witness how they have grown in confidence during the year.

I look forward to seeing many of you next week.

Enjoy your weekend,

Selina Frazer
Headteacher

Comic Relief

We would like to thank everybody on behalf of Comic Relief for raising the sum of **£278.10**. This money has been sent to Comic Relief and will be used to benefit others.



11-15 Zip Oyster Photocard

For those children going to secondary school, please see the link below to apply for a Zip Oyster Photocard which entitles them to free / discounted travel.

<https://tfl.gov.uk/fares/free-and-discounted-travel/11-15-zip-oyster-photocard>

Speak to Mr Bellevue if you require any assistance in applying.

Fanfest & Kurling Final

LYG Kurling Final

On Tuesday 26th March, our Kurling team became the first school to represent Barking & Dagenham in the New Age Kurling London Youth Games final. The team played well in the group stages to come second in the group, advancing to the knockouts. Unfortunately it wasn't meant to be as we were knocked out by Enfield. The team thoroughly enjoyed themselves.



LYG Fanfest Festival

Alongside the Kurling final London Youth Games held a Fanfest Festival for pupils to enjoy and experience. The pupils had taster sessions in Basketball, Zumba and Wild Slyde. The Wild Slyde looked so much fun that even Miss Thomas had a turn! Faith from 5T said, 'I had so much fun trying all the different activities, I want to do it all over again!!'

Parent Hub

We would like all parents/carers to join us on Parent Hub.



Parent Hub is a FREE app that helps keep you up to date with what's going on at school. You'll receive messages, pictures, documents and newsletters, all in one handy place.

1. Download the Parent Hub app from your app store (iPhone or Android).
2. Create yourself an account.
3. Choose "Add a School" and enter:

@HuntersHallIPS

Attendance

Congratulations to 2G in Key Stage 1 who achieved 97.05% this week and 6N in Key Stage 2 with 100%

Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %	Class	Attendance %
RC	93.90	2G	97.05	4R	98.47
RL	96.15	2T	95.57	5M	97.78
RM	95.93	3B	98.29	5S	93.00
1E	96.30	3K	98.85	5T	95.73
1H	97.04	3R	96.58	6A	93.80
1HV	90.07	4AC	98.41	6M	98.47
2A	96.58	4P	94.07	6N	100



Nursery Ball

Today was a really special day for the Nursery children. To celebrate the end of our run of topics on fairy tales, in particular Cinderella which we had been working with for the past 2 weeks we decided to hold our own Ball. The children all came into school dressed as Princes or Princesses. Everybody joined in which was lovely. They all learnt how to bow, curtsy and do a Royal Wave before we went on a Parade around the whole school. We then danced, many of the children choosing to dance with partners before having a feast of juice and homemade cakes which we had decorated the day before.



Schools Out ~ Get Active



Easter holiday

Barking and Dagenham Healthy Lifestyle Team will be providing a variety of FREE activities for children aged 5-17 years old who live or go to school within Barking and Dagenham, to keep them active and healthy during school holidays.

Activities include Dodgeball, Cooking, Athletics, Street Dance and multi sports

Activities will be available from Monday 8th until Thursday 18th April 2019

You will be able to access the full programme list at www.newme.london/schoolsout

Rocksteady

On Monday we had a visit from Rocksteady Music School. Our children were able to sample the sounds of a range of electric instruments such as the drums, guitar and keyboard.

Rocksteady will be back with us in May.

Watch this space...



Firefighter Visit



On Monday 25th, our Reception children were visited by our local, courageous and selfless firefighters. They brought along one of their appliances and educated our children about how to stay safe.

Year 3 Production

It is without a shadow of a doubt that Year Three's production of "Pirates and Mermaids" was outstanding due to the acting; superb singing; wonderful costumes and overall performance skills.

We hope that you managed to watch it and laugh along with the many jokes and puns which the children delivered so well.



Choir

On Wednesday and Thursday this week, our Year 4 choir and Years 5 & 6 choir had the opportunity to sing at the Borough Music Festivals that took place at Village Infants/ William Ford.

Anybody who was lucky enough to attend marvelled at the high standard of performance. We are so fortunate to have Mrs Bright, our brilliant music teacher, working with us.

