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NEWSLETTER

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Thank you to everyone who has supported the school throughout the year. I really appreciate your help in classrooms as well as the way you work with the class teachers and support the events we run. I would also like to thank the PTA for another successful year of fundraising.

I would like to say a fond farewell to Y6 children and parents. I wish you every success in your new schools. I look forward to hearing about your progress!

End of Term Reminders

Reception - Year 5 will finish at 2.00pm on Friday 21st July. To Year 6 parents: Mrs Tunkel will bring the children across to the field at 1.30pm.

Autumn Term: Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th are INSET days, **the children return to school on Wednesday 6th September 2017.** I hope you and your family have an enjoyable and restful summer break!

Miss Lisa Walker

Thought Of The Week:

The only time you should look back is to see how far you have come.

The following children received trophies for special awards in our final assembly of the year:

Star Pupils: Reception: Jino Johnson, **Year 1:** Sanya Çağ, **Year 2:** Kotaro Kimbara, **Year 3:** Miruna Micu,

Year 4: Farah Hussein, **Year 5:** Lyndsey Entsua-Mensa, **Year 6 :** Yusuf Aziz.

Effort Award: Artemis Aryanpour, **Maths Award:** Chloe Silverman, **Playground Pal Award:** Lilly Grace Dunne, **Play Leader Award:** Riani Doshi, **Netball Award:** Theo Silverman, **Swimming Award:** Aaliyeh Pooya, **Music Award:** Jessica Powell

Congratulations to Joel Meakin and Zakariya Aziz who were recorded in the Golden Book for their outstanding work.

Congratulations to Lalintha Wijayatilleke for obtaining her Achievement 1 and 2 certificates in Swimming.

Congratulations to Ramin Hashemi for achieving his Most Improved Dancer Certificate.

Congratulations to the following children who were awarded team points in assembly this week:

- **Reception Class:** Maya Badiani, Zacharia Christodoulides, Zakariyya Pooya, Karina Vagjiani, Saffron Sahota, Martin Fozilov, Thewjaan Kaludura and Betsy Boxall.
- **Year 1:** Hannah Clark and George Livesey
- **Year 2:** Kotaro Kimbara, Hubert Zalucki, Maaria Ahmed and Samyar Sohani.
- **Year 3:** Nayon Miah, Lisiana Hajrizi, Maja Kozak, Senomee Kosgallana, Nahom Elias, Aaron Talwar and Seline Yaman.

- o **Year 4:** Abbie Wood, Wania Khan, Rushil Lakhani, Shenon Kosgallana, Farah Hussain, Kiara Mikniche, Shain Shah, Sienna Shah, Temilade Odejide, Benjamin Thompson, Khyle Hirani, Max Plesner, Oliver Richardson, Shan Chag, Maisy Kettle, Felix Zhang, Anshika Saxena, Carmen Jemiolo, Daniel Jay, Sanuk Jayasekara, Athena Tang, Sophie McNicholas, Jenry Adeyemi, Leeyah Aledmar, Abbie Wood, Maya Zalucka and Salman Abdullahi.
- o **Year 5:** Bradley Pourali-Bazardeh, Mason Gosling, Rachel Koffman, Umar Abdul-Kadir, Nia Savanna Burrows, Lyndsey Entsuq-Mensah, Tamana Rabi, Theo Silverman, Gabi Koxak, Atena Barani, Sara Dhanji and Oscar Clark.
- o **Year 6:** Isaiah Ocheja, Toluwalase Odejide, Reuben Taylor, Chloe Silverman, Emma Seewoo, Methuli Jayasekara, Dillan Talwar and Amelia Moqrane.

Congratulations** to Betsy Boxall, Shana Twarowska, Nisbat Badami, Hannah Clark, Shay Vaghjiani, Zainab Mokaddem, Haniya Khan, Maaria Ahmed, Ben Edgar, Lamar Faisali, Aaliyah Pooya, Nayom Miah, Natasha Rahman, Sienna Shah, Chetinder Srj, Rachel Koffman, Tamana Rabi, Lakesha Patel, Methuli Jayasekara, Riani Doshi, George Adeyemi and Oliver Powell who were issued with a **special Headteacher's Award!

CLASSES FOR NEXT ACADEMIC YEAR

<u>CLASS</u>	<u>TEACHERS</u>	<u>TEACHING ASSISTANTS</u>
Reception Class	Mrs Rose/Mrs Swinburne	Mrs Plaistow and Mrs Luisa
Year 1	Ms Lumb-Evans/Mrs Kikuchi	Mrs Kortach
Year 2	Ms Ayala/Mrs Shulemaja	Mrs Hodis/Mrs Scott
Year 3	Mrs Afford	Mrs Pathak
Year 4	Miss Costello/Mrs Shulemaja	Mrs Pathak
Year 5	Mrs Chopra	Mrs Scott
Year 6	Mrs Tunkel/Mrs Shulemaja	Mrs Shamia

Mrs Shulemaja will be teaching years 2, 4 and 6. She will be in year 2 on Mondays, Year 6 on Tuesdays and Year 4 on Wednesdays.

Mrs Chopra is joining our teaching staff this year to cover Mrs Reynold's maternity leave.

MEET THE TEACHER

Below is the list of dates and times to come and meet your child's teacher for next year. Please make every effort to attend as they are an important and integral part of our Home/School Partnership.

- Year 1: Tuesday 12th September 3.20pm
- Year 2: Thursday 7th September 3.20pm
- Year 3: Wednesday 13th September 3.30pm
- Year 4: Friday 8th September 3.30pm
- Year 5: Thursday 14th September 3.30pm
- Year 6: Monday 11th September 3.30pm

MESSAGE FROM MRS SWINBURNE

Dear Parents and Children

I have been at Courtland for 18 years and have enjoyed working with you all.

Thank you for your kind words and good wishes on my retirement. I hope you have a wonderful summer break - Fondest Wishes, Susan Swinburne

Although Mrs Swinburne is retiring from her role as Deputy Head she will be returning one day a week to teach Reception Class on Fridays. We would like to take this opportunity to thank her for all her years of service, dedication and professionalism towards the children and staff at Courtland.

REQUEST FROM RECEPTION CLASS

Over the summer please could you collect your plastic bottle tops and corks from wine. Also if you or anyone you know is throwing away any old/not working electrical products please can reception have them e.g. laptops, remote controls, game consoles, phones etc. Thank You. Mrs Rose

COST OF SCHOOL MEALS IN SEPTEMBER

The cost of school lunches for the first half of the Autumn Term is £70.95 (from 6th September to 20th October 2017). The amount for the second half term is £79.55 (from 31st October - Wednesday 20th December 2017). The total for this term is therefore £150.50. **Payment must be made in advance;** if you wish to pay weekly, it is £10.75 per week, payable in advance on Monday morning for that week. Please send your school lunch payments to the school office as soon as possible (cash or cheque payable to Courtland School). You may also pay by card to the LBB Catering Services on 020 8359 5055 and they will reimburse the school. Please check your current balance with Mrs Hall.

YEAR 2

Year 2 Parents/Carers, may I remind you that now that your children are about to go into Year 3 in September the Universal Free School Meals will end. Therefore if your child would like a school lunch you will need to let Mrs Hall know by the end of this term. School lunches cost £10.75 weekly and must be paid half termly in advance. Please see below for the cost of the next half terms lunches. If you think you may be eligible for Free School Meals please come and talk to Mrs Hall.

REMINDER:COLLECTING YOUR CHILDREN

Please may we remind all Parents/Carers not to come down into the playground to collect their children at the end of the school day. Also, KS1 children should not be in the playground while Parents/Carers are waiting to collect KS2 children. Please ensure your children are not playing in the playground but are waiting at the top of the stairs with you. We ask that Parents/Carers wait at the top of the stairs and the children will be directed up to you. This is for health and safety reasons as well as keeping a calm transition at the end of the school day. Thank you all for your cooperation.

DEFIBRILLATOR

Courtland PTA would like to try and raise £1,000 to buy a defibrillator for Courtland School. In order to donate please visit Natalee Powell's Just Giving Crowdfunding page and help make this happen:

https://crowdfunding.justgiving.com:443/natalee-powell?utm_id=63

With Just Giving Crowdfunding anyone can raise money to fund their own project - anything from setting up a foodbank, to buying a wheelchair for a relative or even saving a local football club. So if you want to raise money to make good things happen start your own Crowdfunding page today! <https://crowdfunding.justgiving.com>