

# **Upcoming Events**

Tuesday 12th — Tri Golf KS1 Wednesday 13th Nursery Spectacular North Wednesday 13th Disco—South 3.15pm—4.30pm North site Early Years and KSI 3.30 pm—4.30 KS2 (Years 3,4,5, & 6) 4.45pm—6pm Thursday 14th Nursery Spectacular South Thursday 14th Quick Sticks Hockey Friday 15th Young Voices performance 9.10am North site dining hall Monday 18th—Friday 22nd Half Term Monday 25th School starts

Thank you to Sparrow class for wrapping up our internet safety week with a very informative assembly this morning.

Year 4 Swimming 25th February - 8th March The Year 4 children will have 2 weeks learning to swim at the Olympic park. Learning to swim is a life skill. The children will get a bus to the swimming pool and back.

Don't forget to book a place at the holiday club. We can only take pre-booked children. Please don't think that you can turn up on the day and be guaranteed a place. We have lots of children coming from other schools and have a set number of staff for the club.

You can pick up an application form from the office or the from the website.



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Thank you to everyone who joined us for our Internet Safety day on Tuesday. We hope that you enjoyed it and learnt some fun things. Some parents raised concerns about us promoting TT Rock stars when we are saying children need less time looking at screens. TT rockstars is a fun way for the children to have guick recall for their multiplication facts. The game wants the children to be quick, so it shouldn't be something that they spend too long on. There is a competition at the moment between the Year 3 & 4 classes to see who tops the leader board. If the children are experiencing problems logging into the app at home, it will need to be updated before they can access it, the old version no longer works.

### New Parent Council

In the next half term we would like to set up a Mission Grove Parent Council. The aim of the Council is to give parents a greater opportunity to learn about and monitor the effectiveness of teaching and learning within the school, and for us to hear what parents and carers think about the pupil's learning. The Council will meet every half term. We would like one Parent Council member per class (Reception to Year 6). If you would like to be considered as the representative for your child's class then please look out for a form that will be sent out on the school APP next week.

### Parent Governor

We are also looking for a new parent Governor. Rabel Syeda, has been on the Governing Body for 4 years and during that time has supported the school at many events and shared the views of parents in neetings. She is coming to the end of her term in office and we would like to thank her every much for all that she has done during her time as a Parent Governor. If you are interested in being a Parent Governor then please get a pack from the main office.

# PE /Jewellery

Please can you remember that children should not be wearing jewellery at school. If you could remove earrings on the day that is your child's PE lesson that would be appreciated.

## Attendance

We have not had above 93% attendance at all this week. Please make sure that you are not taking children out of school unnecessarily. If they are unwell please let us know so we can mark them as sick.

Well done to Miss Beath and the netball team.



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER





It's not every day that a child gets to sing with over 8,000 other children, along with a bona fide 80s star, although this is what some of Mission Grove's choir got to do on Monday night. Straight after all their rehearsals for the Christmas festivities, Mission Grove Voices got stuck into practising for the Young Voices concert at the O2 Arena, where they got to sing 9 songs and 4 huge medleys. They also got to sing backup for Spandau Ballet star Tony Hadley, Basement Jaxx singer Sharlene Hector and Britain's Got Talent finalist Beau Dermott. The children gave it their absolute all and were impeccably behaved throughout. We will be hosting our own Mission Grove Voices assembly on Friday morning, 15th February, on the North Site so please come along.



Some children represented the school at a Curling competition this week. Ali said "The competition was in Cann Hall Leisure Centre. There were different schools and it was fun. I enjoyed it."

Sarfaraz said "I had fun, I really enjoyed pushing the shooter and trying to get it on the target. I won four stickers, a certificate and had a great day." Qadar said he had to push the shooter onto the target." It was fun."





Mission Grove @The O2

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