



Newsletter

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This Week in Art

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Year 2 had a lot of fun recreating a scene from "A Midsummer Night's Dream" through shadow puppetry! Their narration of the story was so confident too! Gorgeous moments!

Year 1, 3 and 4 have completed their stunning Mother's Day competition entries to meet the deadline! Year 4 works featured are by:

Ollie, Linus, Swiss, Lazlo, Lamis, Frankie, Baxter and Meera.

Year 3 works featured are by Felix, Holly, Harrison and Harry. And Dorothy, Thomas, Reon and Nour.

Don't they look so impressive?! We must have winners, surely?!

Ms. Davies



Book Week and World Book Day

Thank you to all of the staff, children and families that have helped to make Book Week such a success! It has been so wonderful having a whole school week with collaboration across the whole school. All year groups have worked incredibly hard on 'A Midsummer Night's Dream'. A full round up of all the excellent work will be published in next week's Newsletter. It was so lovely to see every class involved in a Globe project drama lessons during the course of the week!

We were absolutely blown away by the dressing up day yesterday to celebrate World Book Day. The efforts of all those involved (including staff!) was really phenomenal! We knew that all of the Heber children and families would rise to the challenge of a Shakespeare themed dress up day and we were not disappointed! It was incredibly hard to pick one costume winner from each class.

The winners were:

Nursery – Beatrix (Titiana)	Reception C – Cameron (William Shakespeare)
Reception P – Lennie (Puck)	1DT – Henry (Romeo) 1H – Bruno (Oberon)
2JP – Jonah (Puck)	2S – Evie (Cleopatra) 3N – Louis (Oberon)
3KE – Molly (Hermia)	4N – Kai ('Off with his head!')
greater than hate')	4C – Alice ('Love is
Toby Belch)	5W – Betsy (Richard III) 5K – Rowena (Sir
	6A – Jacob (Puck) 6F – Marius ('Outbreak')





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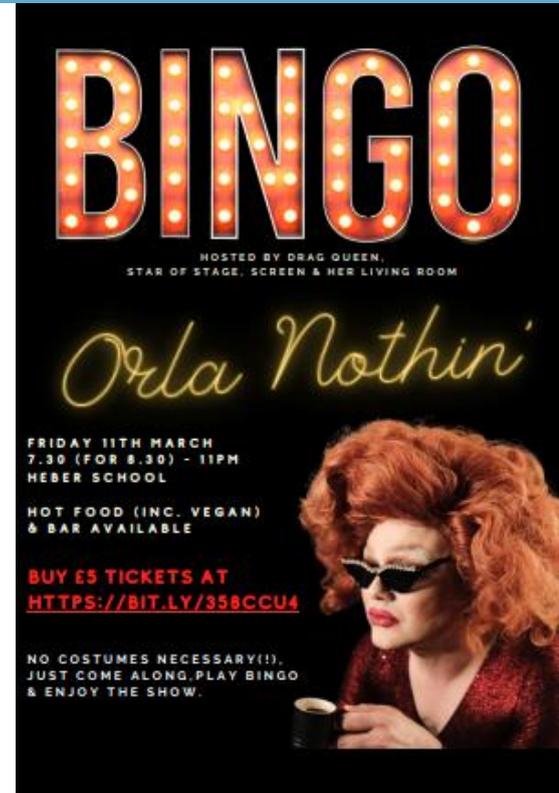
March P&F Dates for the Diary

Hopefully you'll have seen some comms this week around up and coming events you don't want to miss, but just in case you've missed them, here they are again!

Friday 11th March: DRAG BINGO NIGHT in Heber School Hall. There'll be hot food and cold bevies to get you going. There'll be party anthems, dabbers and dance-offs. Something for everyone - so book your £5 ticket today at [HTTPS://BIT.LY/358ccu4](https://bit.ly/358ccu4) to avoid disappointment! No costume required...

Tuesday 22nd March: 9-10.30am COFFEE MORNING at Heber School. Have a chat with other parents/carers and P&F folk over a hot drink and nice slice!

Saturday 26th March: EASTER EGG HUNT AND EASTER FAIR at Heber School. Get the Easter vibes started early with seasonal crafts, games, face painting and delicious food and drinks to boot. All years are getting involved so come join the fun at what's lining up to be a great Saturday out!



Talking to Our Children About the Invasion of Ukraine

I am aware that Russia's invasion of Ukraine may be a distressing and concerning topic for some of our children and they may have questions or be seeking reassurance. We will not introduce the topic to the younger children, but we are aware that children will be bringing different knowledge, questions and feelings into school from what they see and hear outside regardless of their age. Our teachers are prepared to respond appropriately to these.

During class time, our children in Key Stage 2 often watch Newsround and discussions around the topics are had in class. The DfE has compiled useful advice and information to help guide these discussions which I have shared with our whole staff so that they can be prepared to support the children and answer their questions. This information could be useful for you at home. It covers:

- How to talk to young people about distressing complex, emotive news stories
- How to spot mis- and disinformation and how to help pupils do the same

To access this information, click [here](#)

Other Helpful Websites for Parents/Carers:

- <https://www.apa.org/topics/resilience/kids-war>
- <https://www.verywellfamily.com/how-to-talk-to-kids-about-war-4147597>
- <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/support-for-parents/talking-about-difficult-topics/>



I hope this is helpful, as we try to support our children to make sense of a tragic situation, and my thoughts are with those of you who are directly impacted by these events.

Miss Rosenberg



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Victorious Netball Team

Match report written by Alice Atkins (ex-Heber pupil)

The Heber Netball Club made its debut on the court against local primary Ivydale this Thursday after school. After a quick warm up, the girls walked out onto the court, desperate to get playing. The starting 7 put out an incredible performance and, thanks to the combined efforts of Ruth and Esme, we took an early lead of 5-0. We continued this effort throughout the match into Q2 and Q3 (3-0) and (6-0) respectively, with fresh legs rolling on. The third quarter was all-action and featured 5 consecutive goals from Esther, as GA, including the one that Mr Neve-Dunn called the 'wonder basket'. Our defenders, Ciara, Florence and Anissa, worked tirelessly to keep the ball out of Ivydale's attacking third and they did so successfully, entering the final quarter with a staggering score of 14-0. In the final minutes of the match, Ivydale had a surge of enthusiasm and managed to pop two into the hoop, which was met by a great roar from both sides!

The final score was 15-2 to Heber with Esther scoring 8, Ruth 4 and Esme 3. We concluded the day with some music & Heber chants in the minibus home as well as Esme R being appointed as captain. A massive well done to the whole team for putting all their Wednesday morning training into practice and for cheering each other from the side lines.

Well done to all the players- Bonnie, Ciara, Florence, Ruth, Esther, Anissa, Parker, Zoe, Esme R, Esme D and Esme W

Stars of the Week

Congratulations to the following children who were chosen as the Star of the Week for demonstrating our school values this week:

- Reception – Rafe (RC) and Freddie (RP)
- Year 1 – Lennon (1DT) and Ava (1H)
- Year 2 – Elliot (2JP) and Lily (2S)
- Year 3 – Sam (3KE) and Ruby (3N)
- Year 4 – Aminah (4C) and Hushai (4N)
- Year 5 – Maya (5K) and Shameeka (5W)
- Year 6 – Esme (6A) and Ayman (6F)

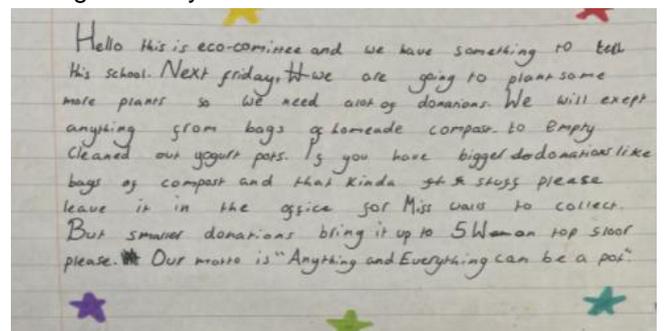
Academic Excellence Awards

This week in our Merit Assembly we celebrated the successes of a child from each class, who excelled in their learning and produced some outstanding work. Well done to the following children:

- Reception – Jake (RC) and Sienna (RP)
- Year 1 – Kaya (1DT) and Reuben (1H)
- Year 2 – Jessica (2JP) and Grace (2S)
- Year 3 – Reon (3KE) and Melodie (3N)
- Year 4 – Dalal (4C) and Baxter (4N)
- Year 5 – Grace (5K) and Daniel (5W)
- Year 6 – Kaya (6A) and Marius (6F)

Plant a Flower/Seed Day

Next Friday Mar 11, Heber will begin planting seeds for the school grounds! We are asking for any kind donations from our Heber community - this can be yogurt pots, compost, seeds or any spare plant pots! Any donation will be greatly appreciated, and we are very excited to see what the classes grow this year!





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March

Tuesday 8 th	Y3-4 Football Match vs Harris East Dulwich (Away)
Thursday 10 th	3N – Museum of London
Friday 11 th	3KE – Museum of London
Friday 11 th	Plant a Flower/Seed Day
Friday 11 th	Drag Bingo Night
Tuesday 15 th	2S – Guildhall Art Gallery and the Monument
Wednesday 16 th	1DT – Postal Museum visit
Wednesday 16 th (2:20pm)	Reception P Class Assembly
Thursday 17 th	Year 1 Art Exhibition – ‘ Forest of Land & Sea’ - Mangroves
Thursday 17 th	Y5-6 Netball Match vs Peckham All Stars (Away at Harris)
Friday 18 th	Red Nose Day
Monday 21 st	Year 4 interactive workshop – Earthquakes and Volcanoes
Tuesday 22 nd (9.00am – 10.30am)	P&F Coffee Morning – School Hall
Wednesday 23 rd	1H – Postal Museum Visit
Wednesday 23 rd (2:20pm)	Reception C Class Assembly
Saturday 26 th	Easter Egg Hunt and Easter Fair
Monday 28 th	2JP – Guildhall Art Gallery and the Monument
Tuesday 29 th – Thursday 31 st	Parents’ Evening

April

Friday 1 st	Last day of term – School closes at 2pm
Monday 4th – Monday 18th School Holiday	
Tuesday 19 th	First day of the Summer Term – Children return to school
Tuesday 19 th – Friday 22 nd	Years 3 and 4 swimming
Monday 25 th – Wednesday 27 th	Year 5 residential trip – Isle of Wight
Thursday 28 th (10:30am)	Reception P – East Dulwich Wildlife Centre
Thursday 28 th (1:00pm)	Reception C – East Dulwich Wildlife Centre

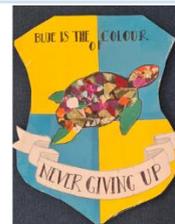
House Points



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Weekly Total	341	347	379	353
Term Total	2939	2919	2914	2898