

Nonsuch is a fun, safe and creative school that makes hard work fun

We laugh, learn and persevere

We are determined to follow our dreams and be the best we can



NONSUCH PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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Dates for your Diary

Whilst every effort is made to give as much notice as possible of these dates, they are sometimes subject to change. The school makes every effort to give as much notice as possible.

What do these colours mean?

End/start school incl. INSET days

New to list

Changed date

Spring Term – 2nd Half

19/02 INSET Day – school closed
22/02 Girlguiding Thinking Day
27/02 Y4 Hooke Court Parent Meeting 6pm
28/02 Y3 Class Assembly 9am
28/02 Y1 Trip to Guildford Toy Museum
01/03 World Book Day
08/03 Y4 Class Assembly 9am
08/03 Parents' Evening 3.30 – 5pm & 6 -8pm
09/03 Parents' Evening 1.30pm – 5pm –
School Closes at 1.15pm. Nursery closed all day.
12/03 STEM Week
29/03 END OF SPRING TERM 1.15pm

Bertie - Be There Bear

Swans 99.4% attendance 15th – 19th January

Hummingbirds 100% attendance 22nd – 26th January

Puffins 99.7% attendance 29th January - 2nd February

Hummingbirds 98.7% attendance 5th – 9th February



Friends of Nonsuch

We hope all the children had lots of fun at the Valentines disco, and are looking forward to the next movie night on March 23rd as much as we are! We've been having lots of exciting discussions about the new playground and hope to make some big changes soon...

Have a wonderful half term from everyone at Fon!

Leadership & Management

Safeguarding

We would like to make you aware of the school procedure for children who have unexplained absences from school.

There have been public cases in the past where schools have not chased up the reasons as to why children are off of school. It has then transpired that there have been tragic circumstances around these absences, e.g. illness of a parent and a child unable to seek help.

We will do everything we can to prevent such situations occurring as I am sure you would agree that your child's safety is paramount to us all.

If your child is not going to be in school please call the office on 0208 393 9209, email the school on office@nonsuchprimary.sutton.sch.uk or use your Parentmail app to report their absence. Please do this before 9am each day of the absence.

If we have not heard from you by 9am then we will start to call all the contact numbers that you have provided in order to gain an explanation for the absence. If we still have not been able to ascertain where your child is then we will make a home visit. However if still haven't been able to get a response then we will report it to the police as your child will then be classed a 'missing child'.

This procedure is to ensure that we know where your child is and that you are all safe. Please let us know in good time why your child is absent from school. If you would like to talk to me about this please make an appointment to see me.

Sue Hawker

High Standards of Behaviour and Safety

Fundraising

Suzanne Humphris-Groce, LSA in Year 4, has a charity place in aid of Motor Neurone Disease Association in the London Marathon this April. Unfortunately her Auntie passed away from complications arising from this disease in January this year. If you would like to see more information or to sponsor Suzanne, please click on her link below:-
<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/suzanne-humphris-groce>

Joanne Harlow (mother to Harry in Duckling Class) is going to be running the London Marathon this April in aid of Evelina London Children's Hospital. If you would like to see more information or to sponsor Joanne, please click on her link below:-
<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/jo-harlow>

Thank you so much.

Sports Round Up

HANDBALL COMPETITION

Following on from the recent Handball Festival, the School Games Organisers decided it was time to organise the first Sutton Primary Schools Handball Competition. The competition was very high and our squad of year 5 and year 6 pupils started off very nervously but after a couple of the games their nerves settled and their skills and teamwork became evident and this meant they went onto win a couple of games. We were very proud how they all contributed to the team and hope that this competition becomes a fixture in the schools calendar.

SPORTSHALL FINALS

We were delighted that our indoor athlete's team progressed to the finals of the Sutton Indoor Sportshall competitions. The finals took place at Wallington High School and showed the Borough has some outstanding talent. We knew the competition was going to be very high but were very proud that a Nonsuch team was represented at finals – we finished a very worthy 7th place. The pupils pushed themselves to gain as many points as possible and to improve on their past personal bests. They did this and again showed great teamwork and positive attitude.

FOOTBALL

Last week, our Y5 Football team, which also included some Y4 children, played against St Dunstan's in the Y5 Cup at Sutton United's Gander Green Lane ground. It is fair to say that we dominated the match throughout and ran out winners by 5-0. This was a terrific team performance with the whole squad contributing well. I must reserve a small mention, however, for Liam in Y4 who scored four goals to add to Josh's single strike. We are now due to play the semi-final game on Tuesday 20th February so very good luck to them.



Sunglasses for Nursery!

Nursery would appreciate your donations of old pairs of glasses, any condition or style appreciated!

If anyone has any connections to opticians we would appreciate any merchandise or extra pamphlets.

Thank you in advance! Nursery team

Top of the Form

Year 6 pupils Ben, Ksenia, Matthew & Nadia competed in the Top of the Form general knowledge competition in January. After a tense ten-round quiz, the team made it through to the second round. Unfortunately the team lost narrowly in what was a very competitive and challenging quarter final. Well done to all of the team for their great effort!