

LEAP NEWS

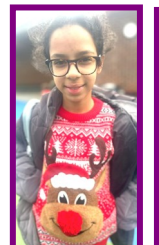
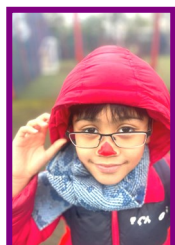
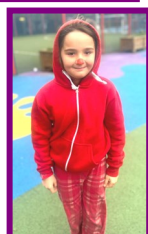
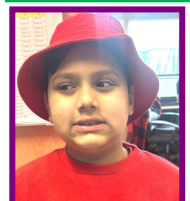
Friday 15 March 2024

SPANISH PHRASE of the week
¿Qué música te gusta? What music do you like?.....

Kingsmead, Gayhurst and Mandeville Primary Schools working in partnership

RED NOSE DAY

Gayhurst, Kingsmead and Mandeville celebrated Red Nose Day today, raising funds for Comic Relief. Children and staff wore red clothes and accessories. Thank you to everyone who donated coins. We will confirm how much LEAP has raised in next week's newsletter.



APPEAL FOR PARENT HELP

Do you work in PR or marketing or fundraising and would you be willing to help and advise the LEAP federation?

If so, please get in touch at

parenthelp@leapfederation.org

SPRING HOLIDAY CAMPS

All three LEAP schools are offering Spring Holiday camps from **Tuesday 2 April to Friday 5 April from 10am to 2pm**, with lots of sports and physical activities on offer as well as art sessions and cooking at the School of Food.

Gayhurst's camp will be at Gayhurst school and the Kingsmead and Mandeville camp will be at Kingsmead school. The camps are open to children in Reception class through to Year 6.

All parents of children in these year groups should have received registration forms to sign their children up for the camp. Please complete the registration form and return to your child's school if you'd like your child to attend.





SPRING TERM 2024

1st half of term: 08.01.24 - 09.01.24

Half term: 12 - 16 Feb 2024

2nd half of term: 19.02.24 - 28.03.24

GREEN POINTS	Class	Points	TOP ATTENDANCE
Phase 1 (EYFS)	Panther	82	Ocean 88% Mars 99.2%
Phase 2	Ocean	174	
Phase 3	Venus	105	



WEEKLY CLASS AWARDS

Jaguar class Lenny
Lion class Elif
Panther class Henry & Halima
Ocean class Lenni & Jayden

River class Kamari & Ruben
Forest class Hanif & Labelle
Mercury class Jesse & Amirah
Mars class Kelsey & Isis
Venus class Jerome & Amelia

YR 6 VISIT HACKNEY MUSEUM

Last week, Year 6 went on an exciting trip to Hackney Museum as part of their history unit looking at protests across history. The focus of this visit was protests that have taken place in Hackney over the last one hundred years, of which there have been many. Issues covered ranged from journalism into the working conditions faced by women in early 20th Century London, to campaigns by school children aimed at tackling fascism. The children were able to look at sources from the Hackney Archives, using these to make inferences about the different protests. It was truly inspiring to learn about how local people have campaigned on the issues that matter to them most, from issues of local politics to those with international significance.

"I loved learning about the SKAN magazine which was written by children." - Mame

"I've never enjoyed a school trip so much!" - Patrick



APPEAL FOR BOXES FOR YEAR 4

Donations of empty shoe boxes are needed for Year 4 for a project. Please bring to school office. Thank you!

SPORTS FESTIVAL

On Wednesday, a few children were chosen to participate in a Sports Festival held at Eastway. This was a multi-skill festival that focussed on balance, agility and coordination. The children enthusiastically engaged in each activity and demonstrated great teamwork. Well done!

"I really enjoyed it with my friends." - Irmak, Year 5

"I liked the different activities especially the activity with the football. You had to move through the cones carefully." - Malcolm, Year 5



SPORTS FESTIVAL CONTINUED.....



FAMILY GARDENING SESSION AT SCHOOL OF FOOD

Join the Hackney School of Food for a FREE group gardening session **Monday 25th March 3:30pm-5:30pm**. Come and explore the garden, learn how we grow our food and practice some gardening skills.

This is our first family gardening session and we want to hear what people would like from our garden space, so come along and tell us over some delicious food & snacks. This is a family session so kids and carers of all ages are welcome & remember to bring outdoor clothing that can get dirty!

You don't have to book but the School of Food would love to have an idea of numbers so email or text them to let them know you are planning on coming (see poster)

FAMILY GARDENING

At Hackney School of Food

When? 25th March 3.30-5.30pm

Food Provided

Join us for a FREE afternoon in the garden at Hackney School of Food!

Learn practical skills in food growing and gardening, with food provided.

This is an open session for children and adults, everyone welcome!

How do I sign up?
We'd love to know if you are coming
Text us on 07515112177 or email us at hello@hackneyschooloffood.com

Where to find us:
Hackney School of Food
Oswald St, Lower Clapton, London, E5 0BT

KEY DATES THIS TERM

Mon 25 March Drumming & Dance performances 2.15pm Yrs 1,2,3,4 & 6 + Family Gardening session at Hackney School of Food 3.30pm

Tues 26 March Parent/carer evening **school finishes early at 1:30pm**

Weds 27 March Gymnastic performances 3pm Yrs 3 & 4

Thurs 28 March Last day of term **school finishes early at 1:30pm**