



Dear Families,

We've had a wonderful final full week here at Peareswood Primary School, filled with exciting events and achievements to share with you.

Firstly, we were thrilled to welcome staff from one of our trust schools who visited to witness the fantastic learning happening here, particularly in our phonics sessions. They were deeply impressed by our children's behaviour and their evident enjoyment of phonics, which is a testament to their hard work and enthusiasm.

Our school was buzzing with talent as our children participated in the first rounds of Peareswood's Got Talent. The performances were outstanding, showcasing a wide array of skills and creativity.

We are delighted to announce our new Year 5 House Champions for the upcoming year. This decision was made by our Year 6 House Champions, who demonstrated exceptional leadership skills during the organisation and interview process. Their maturity and leadership skills only highlighted their readiness for secondary school.

This afternoon, our Year 6 family event was a truly special occasion, creating cherished memories for our children and families alike. Thank you to everyone who contributed to making it a success.

In exciting news, we are now officially recognised as a Reading for Pleasure school, achieving the prestigious Gold accreditation. This achievement is a result of the dedication and hard work of Mrs. Beresford and all our staff, children, and families who have embraced and promoted reading both within school and at home.

Looking ahead, we are eagerly anticipating the Peareswood's Got Talent Finals next week on Monday. Following the success of last year's event, we have selected Miss Margaret, Mrs. Thompson, and our Year 6 House Champions as judges this year. It promises to be an exciting showcase of talent!

Thank you for your continued support and involvement in our school community.

Yours sincerely,  
Mrs Ferla and the PWP Team

## Upcoming Events



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
<p><b>22nd</b></p> <p>PWP got talent-Final.</p> <p>Jacqueline Gems on KS1 playground at drop off.</p>	<p><b>23rd</b></p> <p>Jacqueline Gems on KS1 playground at pick up.</p>	<p><b>24th</b></p> <p><b><u>Last day of school</u></b>  <b><u>Back to school on the 5th</u></b>  <b><u>September.</u></b></p>

Our new wrap around service Jacqueline's Gems will be at the school for drop off on **Monday 22nd July** and for pick up on **Tuesday 23rd July**. They will be there to share information about the service and to answer any questions you might have about it.



## ELSIE



## ATTENDANCE

Current Attendance- 92%

Nursery AM- 70.8%	Nursery PM- 74.7%
Poplar- 91.5%	Lime- 96.9%
Bay- 92%	H/Chestnut- 94.1%
Box- 93.8%	Bamboo- 86.3%
Ash- 90%	Cypress- 96%
Palm- 91%	Acacia- 93.2%
Holly- 96.6%	Myrtle- 95.9%
Eucalyptus- 93.1%	Willow - 92.9%

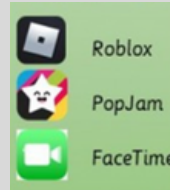
**Green**=met the minimum attendance rate

This week's free online safety guide focuses on supporting children to express themselves safely online. The guide takes a look at a range of tips such as celebrating their identity, supporting their interests and enabling emotional expression.



Parents please remind your children about the use of social media. There are strict restrictions on social media. Please make sure you are checking your children's phone regularly.

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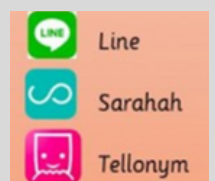
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**Congratulations!**  
We hope you enjoyed your well deserved Ice Lolly!



## PENALTY NOTICE FINES FOR SCHOOL ATTENDANCE IS CHANGING

**1 FIRST OFFENCE**  
The first time a Penalty Notice is issued for Term Time Leave or Irregular Attendance the amount will be:  
£160 per parent, per child if paid within 28 days  
Reduced to £80 per parent, per child if paid within 21 days.

**2 SECOND OFFENCE (WITHIN 3 YEARS)**  
The second time a Penalty Notice is issued for Term Time Leave or Irregular Attendance the amount will be:  
£160 per parent, per child to be paid within 28 days. No reduced rate will be offered.

The following changes will come into force for Penalty Notice Fines issued after **19th August 2024**.

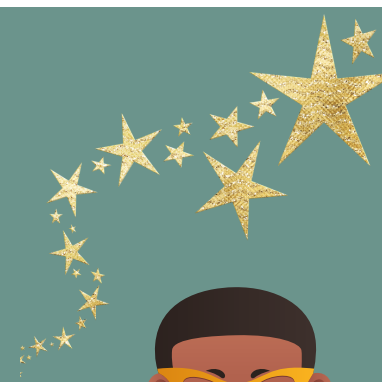
**3 THIRD OFFENCE AND ANY FURTHER OFFENCES (WITHIN 3 YEARS)**  
The third time an offence is committed for Term Time Leave or Irregular Attendance a Penalty Notice will not be issued and the case will be presented straight to the Magistrates' Court. Magistrates' fines can be up to £2500 per parent, per child. Cases found guilty in Magistrates' Court can show on a Parents future DBS certificate, due to failure to safeguard a child's education.

**10 SESSIONS (5 DAYS) OF UNAUTHORISED ABSENCE IN A 10-WEEK PERIOD**  
Penalty Notice Fines will be considered when there has been 10 sessions of unauthorised absence in a 10-week period.

## WELL DONE!



Class	Peareswood Champion
Nursery AM/PM	Everyone
Lime	Naomi
Poplar	Ivy
H/Chestnut	Harry A
Bay	Jasmine
Bamboo	Isabelle
Box	Marshall
Cypress	Pheobe
Ash	Alfie
Acacia	Alina
Palm	Alicia
Holly	Kenny
Myrtle	Fareedah
Willow	Daisy & Mia F
Eucalyptus	Fimi



Ready

Respectful

Safe

## SCHOOL VALUES

The new focus value this term are Kindness and Respect.

EYFS- Reception have been joining Year 1 out on their new playground at lunchtime and have enjoyed working collaboratively when playing games outside during this time.

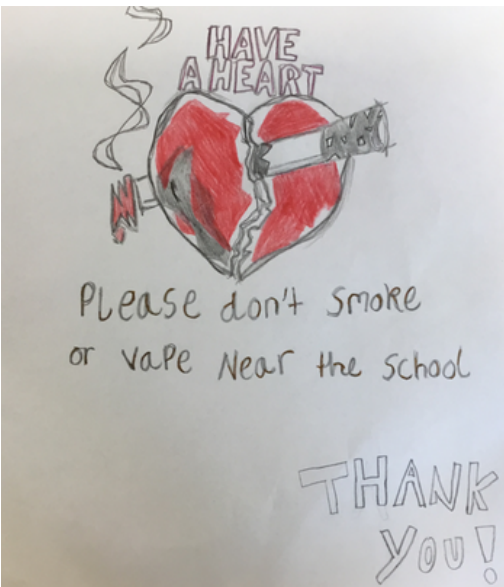
KS1- Year 1 used collaboration this week when working out which animals came from which habitats, using clues to figure it out.

KS2- Year 4 had a great time in the sun during their trip to Erith Park. They used their collaboration skills to play some teamwork games and had lots of fun.



Our Year 6 house champions are working hard to organise our final assembly of this academic year.

We would like to introduce our new year 5 house champions who have been chosen by our year 6 house champions through a interview process.  
**Well done to everyone who applied!**



Anvita from Myrtle class (Year 5) was chosen by Mrs Ferla as the winner of the Art competition for designing a poster to explicitly state no smoking or vaping around our school. She will have her poster put on the school fence in due course. Excellent work Anvita!

A massive well done to Nikol and Kiara for coming second in the gymnastics competition.

