

NEWSLETTER



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Dear Parents,

"Peas corp" event:

At the time of writing we wait in eager anticipation of the "foot patrol", "air support" and clowning 'Peas Corps' as part of Southwark Council's Blackfriars Stories series of events. 100 years ago during the First World War a German Zeppelin airship was shot down in flames over Blackfriars Bridge on 1st October 1916 – this event is a way of commemorating that event that turns it around from tragedy to gentle comedy without belittling the original historical event. The children prepared for the arrival of the 'Peas Corps' making banners and bunting to welcome the visitors. Please have a look at our website for some photos!

Harvest:

Thankyou to those parents who attended our harvest assembly this morning and to everyone who was able to contribute to our harvest table.. There was a reading, a song and Ania Cannon from London city mission explained how our harvest contributions positively affect the lives of local disadvantaged people.

Dates for the term:

As you will all know, we keep you up to date with events at the school with our news-letter and also on the calendar on the website. Any new events that have not been listed before are always highlighted in red (this is clearer when looking at the news-letter online). To reinforce a couple of dates for you, please remember that **individual photos** are being taken on Thursday 6th October, there is an INSET day on Monday October 31st and autumn term parent consultations will be on the 8th and 9th of November.

Children's learning at Friars:

Year 2 have been reading Sidney, Stella and the Moon by Emma Yarlett . Kaleb did an excellent piece of writing to persuade all the people in the story to help look for the missing moon.

We need the moon Why do we need the moon back? be cause
the worves/need something
to how at Also nocturnal
animals need to see
at night we need the
moon so astronauts to can
explore Due need the
monn back so the aliens
have a home. We need
the moon back because
its important. It's # # billion years Olds 41 billion years out. Low of great reasons to find the moon! Well
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Dates for the Autumn term

Tuesday 4th October—Y5 Australia workshops; Y6 jazz project pm **Wednesday 5th October**—Y1 to BFI film festival

Thursday 6th October—individual photos being taken

Tuesday 11th October—Y6 jazz project pm

Wednesday 12th October—

Secondary transfer application workshop for Y6 parents 9-10am

Thursday 13th October—open morning for prospective YN/YR parents 10am (2017/18 intake); Football—Friars vs Charlotte Sharman @ GMH park 3:45

Friday 14th October—Secondary transfer application workshop for Y6 parents 4:30—5:30pm

Tuesday 18th October—Y6 jazz project pm

Wednesday 19th October—open morning for parents 9:10—10:10 Friday 21st October—last day of Au1.

Week beginning 24th October—half term break

Monday 31st October—INSET day. School closed to children

Tuesday 1st November—Y6 jazz project pm

Thursday 3rd November—Football— Friars vs Townsend @ GMH park 3:45 Monday 7th November—Y5/6 bikeability training; Y1 to London Aquarium Tuesday 8th and Wednesday 9th

Thought for the week on Harvest:

November—parent consultations

Always do your best. What you plant now, you will harvest later.

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Have a great weekend! Yours sincerely, J. Burtt, Headteacher



EYFS/KS1

Year Two

Alex Axford

for fantastic thinking in Maths. Great work adding & taking tens from different numbers.

Well Done!



KS2

Year Six

Selma Krim

for artistic work during street art sessions.

Well Done!



Assembly theme / value this week:

Respect



	Class	ATTENDANCE
1st	2	97.4%
2nd	6	95.3%
3rd	5	95.2%
85.0%	4	94.4%
5th	3	92.1%
6th	1	91.7%
 7th	R	91.2%



	Class	ON TIME
1st	2	100.0%
2nd	5	98.4%
3rd	6	97.7%
4th	3	96.0%
5th	4	95.8%
6th	1	94.7%
7th	R	92.6%