#### FROM ALPHA TO OMEGA





Weekly newsletter Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2023

#### 'Life in all its fullness'

(JOHN 10:10)

Dear parents and carers,

We had a fantastic day on Wednesday at our sports day at Parliament Hill athletics track. The children enjoyed participating in a range of events and it was wonderful to see how supportive the children were of one another. A huge thank you to Mr Wright for organising such a fun day! We now look forward to the EYFS sports day on the afternoon of Wednesday  $14^{th}$  June. Please see the letter emailed to parents today for more information.

#### Message from Rob Marshall, Chair of Governors

Dear parents and carers,

We have been hard at work executing our plan for Emmanuel's new leadership, and are making strong progress. We are confident that we will have positive news to share in June, setting Emmanuel up for the next phase in our life as a school and community. I'd like to thank the govenors, the staff, our pupils and you for your support during this period of transition.

Best wishes,

Rob

#### **Leaving Emmanuel?**

If you think your child will be or might be leaving Emmanuel at the end of the summer term, please do contact Mrs Lubert in the office as soon as possible. This helps us to offer places to families on our waiting lists. Thank you in advance.

#### Attendance

After half-term, I will be writing to families whose child's attendance is below 90%. This is considered by the government to be a 'persistent absence' and I would like to work together with these families to ensure their child's attendance improves. I will also write to parents if their child has had a significant number of 'lates' over the academic year. Thank you for your understanding on this matter.

Our school target for attendance is 96%. This week, well done to Year 5!

Class	Attendance
Nursery	97.3%
Reception	96.8%
Year 1	95.8%
Year 2	95.2%
Year 3	95.2%
Year 4	96.7%
Year 5	98.1%
Year 6	91.3%
School	95.7%

Wishing you and your family a lovely half-term and we look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> June. Miss Burns and the Emmanuel team

#### Save the date: Parent and carer workshop - Supporting children displaying challenging behaviours

On Monday 12 June from 2-3pm in the Omega building, we are hosting a parent and carer workshop led by the Camden Learning Mental Health and Wellbeing team. They will be sharing information on:

Identifying the root of some challenging behaviours

Understanding how the brain and body responds in moments when we are triggered

Proactive and preventative strategies to manage challenging behaviours

Reflecting on our own childhood experiences and how that might impact on how we respond, as parents, to challenging situations

To register, please click on the link below or email <a href="wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk">wellbeing@emmanuel.camden.sch.uk</a> <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/parentcarer-workshopsupporting-children-displaying-challenging-behaviours-tickets-642779389457">www.eventbrite.com/e/parentcarer-workshopsupporting-children-displaying-challenging-behaviours-tickets-642779389457</a>

# <u>Latest edition of the Emmanuel</u> <u>Express pupil newspaper available!</u>

Well done to the Express team – Anna Mia, Eashan, Joana and Susannah - and their new group of Class Reps that have published this half term's edition of the Emmanuel Express.

Year 1 - Emilia and Elsie

Year 2 - Yasmine and Pierre

Year 3 - Izabel and Vivienne

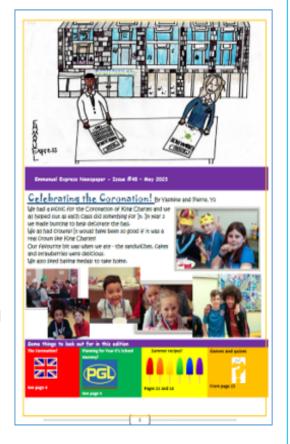
Year 4 - Diana and Gabriella

Year 5 = Leigh and Lara

Year 6 – Sophia C and Aydien

The newspaper is shared in their class book corners as well as on the Express Google Classroom

Any pupil can write for the newspaper, they don't have to be on the team. This can be done in Golden Time and given to their Class Rep or done at home by uploading it to the Emmanuel Express Google Classroom.



#### School visionaries

Congratulations to these children for showing our school vision and values this week: From Alpha to Omega - life in all its fullness. (John 10:10)

Dima and Jenuli in Nursery
Eliza and Maxi in Recepetion
Madeline and Clara Louise in Year 1
Isla and Edward in Year 2
Liam B and Maisie in Year 3
Lara and Kaede in Year 4
Georgia and Amia in Year
Reva and Sophia C In Year 6



### **Diary Dates**

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
29	30	31	1	2
Half Term	Half Term	Half Term	Half Term	Half Term
5	6	7	8	9
INSET – School closed for pupils	Pupils return to school			

# **Sports Day!**



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# PFE HAPPENINGS

#### **ICYMI: CORONATION PARTY PICTURES**

It's been a couple weeks, but check out the pictures attached!



You all said you loved the Doughie's pizza and cookie dough kits, so we're doing it once again! Please see the attached flyer, order your items, and start planning a fun family night in. VEGAN PIZZAS ARE AVAILABLE!

**BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND: FRIDAY, JUNE 30** 

# DESIGN OUR 1/2 NEW PFE LOGO

Today your children will bring home an exciting half-term activity: a form to create their very own logo for the PFE.

We spoke to them in assembly to share the ground rules, and we challenge each student to submit an entry. The selected idea(s) will be adapted by a designer and used on future PFE comms and swag. Pretty cool, huh?

IF YOUR STUDENT IS KEEN TO SHOW US WHAT THEY'VE GOT, REMEMBER: LOGOS ARE DUE FRIDAY, 9 JUNE.



# OUR NEW GOAL: £21,000

The support of our school families and community have been BEYOND INCREDIBLE this year. So, let's keep it going . . . we're stretching for a new goal of £21,000 to fund one more project - a new stage for our school hall. Can we do it? No question at all. The answer is easy: ABSOLUTELY.

WISHING YOU A SAFE, HAPPY HALF-TERM!

# SO, YOU WANT TO DESIGN THE NEW PFE LOGO?

## **HERE ARE A FEW THINGS TO KEEP IN MIND:**

## Good logos are SIMPLE

A logo isn't a "picture" that fills the whole box on your form; it's a symbol. We are trying to find a design that can be easily reproduced in small and large sizes, in black and white or colour. If you do use colour, stick to two or three; and, remember, bold/bright is best!

## Good logos are INFORMATIVE

On the entry form, we shared words to inspire you. That's because our logo should communicate a bit about Emmanuel school, the PFE, who we are, what we do, and the values we stand for and promote.

## Good logos are UNIQUE

Our logo should be easily identifiable as different from others to help us stand out from the crowd. Using the PFE name can help do this so think about what lettering style could help make it clear!















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# PIZZA & GOOKIE EVENING FRIDAY 30TH JUNE

We've teamed up with Doughies for a fun family night in. Order your pizza & cookie making kits and you'll receive everything you need to make artisan margherita pizzas (**regular or vegan**), and warm gooey cookies in your home oven.



### A FLASHBACK TO THE CORONATION PARTY!



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