

TOWER BRIDGE SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

19th June 2015



Health Week

Next week is Health Week. Every class will be taking part in the "Take 5" initiative by exercising every day for 5 minutes. There will be a healthy eating poster competition and the very first "Tower Bridge's Got Sporting Talent!" We are encouraging all children to walk to school next week, and class teachers will be keeping a record of this to use in Maths lessons. Of course, we will end the week by joining Snowfields Primary School at Southwark Park to do Race for Life and take part in athletics events. This is a wonderful day! Last year we had so many parents join us and take part in the Race for Life with their children – we hope to see as many of you there as possible. Keep an eye out for sponsorship forms!

Federation Consultation

The Governors of Snowfields and Tower Bridge Schools met on Monday 15th June to consider the next steps for the successful partnership of our two schools. Both Governing Bodies have agreed that the schools should form a hard federation so that they can continue to work together to cooperate and provide the best possible education for all our children. Our schools have been collaborating closely since February 2014. Children, parents, staff and governors have all seen the benefits of this relationship. When the schools become a hard federation there will be one Governing Body across both schools to give support to Kate Wooder and her team. We would like to hear your views on this exciting development. On the weeks beginning the 22nd and 29th of June the Leadership Team will be available in the playground before and after school. A governor will also be in the playground after school on Thursday 25th June. The school's Leadership Team will be able to meet with interested parents at and at Tower Bridge on the 25th June and 2nd July. Please contact the school office to make an appointment if you wish to meet with them. Alternatively you may wish to send your views and questions to: office@towerbridge.southwark.sch.uk. We will be seeking the views of the children during the week beginning the 22nd June. The consultation period will end at 3.30pm on the 7th July. The Governing Bodies of both schools will meet shortly afterwards to agree a final decision.

Important Dates

- Monday 22nd June Health Week
- Friday 26th June Race for Life
- Friday 3rd July Y6 Show
- Wednesday 8th July Y6 School Journey
- Thursday 16th July Y6 Leaver's Assembly

Term dates for 2014-2015

Summer Term

- Tuesday 14th April – Friday 22nd May 2015
- Half term – 25th May – 29th May 2015
- Monday 1st June – Friday 17th July 2015

Term dates for 2015-2016

Autumn Term

- Thursday 3rd September – Friday 23rd October
- Half term – 26th October – 30th October
- Monday 2nd November – Friday 18th December

Spring Term

- Tuesday 5th January – 12th February
- Half term – 15th February – 19th February
- Monday 22nd February – Thursday 24th March

Parent Workshops

- 23rd June – SRE education at 9am
- 30th June – Secondary Transfer Meeting for Year 5 Parents at 3.45pm

Attendance

Week beginning: 8th June: 97.4%

Class	Number of absences	Number of lates	Points
Year 1	5	12	275
Year 2	8	14	250
Year 3	2	7	400
Year 4	2	5	500
Year 5	3	1	950
Year 6	1	7	725

- 1st = 75 points (100 points for 0)
- 2nd = 50 points
- 3rd = 25 points

You can win points for your class by being in school every day and getting here on time.



We received a certificate in assembly!

