



# Snowsfields News

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25<sup>th</sup> September 2015



## Important Dates

- 22<sup>nd</sup> October International Evening
- 26<sup>th</sup> -30<sup>th</sup> October School Closed - Half Term
- 16<sup>th</sup> November Parent & Pupil Review Meetings
- 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> December KS1 Christmas Show
- 18<sup>th</sup> December Break Up

## Term dates for 2015-2016

### Autumn Term

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> September – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015

**Half term - 26<sup>th</sup> October –30<sup>th</sup> October 2015**

Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov – Friday 18<sup>th</sup> December 2015

### Spring Term

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> January – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2016

**Half term - 15<sup>th</sup> February –19<sup>th</sup> February 2016**

Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> February – Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2016

### Summer Term

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2016

**Half term – May 30<sup>th</sup> - 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2016**

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2016

### INSET DAYS – SCHOOL CLOSED

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> January

Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April



*Congratulations to these children who received a certificate in assembly this week!*

## Healthy School Award



In a special assembly, Lee Souter a member of the PSHE and Healthy Schools Standards Team in Southwark presented Lara our PE subject leader with the bronze Healthy Schools award. Well done to Lara for all her hard work!



## It's always a good time to share with your child the NSPCC's Underwear Rule

Talk PANTS and you've got it covered

PANTS is a really easy way for you to explain the Underwear Rule to your child:

- **P**rivates are private
- **A**lways remember your body belongs to you
- **N**o means no
- **T**alk about secrets that upset you
- **S**peak up, someone can help

See: <http://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/underwear-rule/> for more information for parents and carers

## Whole school attendance:

Our target for attendance is **96%**

We need your support in making sure your children are in school on time and every day!

Week beginning 14<sup>th</sup> September 2015 **95.7%**

Class	Number of absences	Number of lates	Points
Red 1	14	9	<b>100</b>
Orange 2	16	7	<b>75</b>
Yellow 3	14	3	<b>150</b>
Green 4	6	6	<b>75</b>
Blue 5	14	1	<b>150</b>
Purple 6	2	3	<b>275</b>

Classes earn points for the best attendance or punctuality.

**1<sup>st</sup> place** = 75 points (100 for no absence or lates)

2<sup>nd</sup> place = 50 points, 3<sup>rd</sup> place = 25 points

## Meet Snowfields' Leaders!



To prepare children for the demands of real working life, we invited them to apply for the position of 'school leader'. They were asked to complete a leader's job application which involved answering a number of questions about why they wanted to join our school leaders' team.

The KS2 hopefuls were then requested to attend an interview and after a lengthy selection process with some very tough competition, we now are proud to present our leaders for the academic year 2015- 2016.

### School Council Members

**Year 3:** Sophie and Ezekiel, **Year 4:** Dylan and Ameyer, **Year 5:** Nasrin and Dayo,

**Year 6:** Ceasar (Head Boy) and Alex (Head Girl)

### Digital Leaders

Callum (Year 6), Ashmia (Year 6), Roman (Year 3) and Tyesha (Year 6)

### Sports Leaders

Shayna (Year 3), Lily (Year 6), Jahmal (Year 6) and Ife (Year 6)

### Science Leaders

Joshua (Year 3), Dillon (Year 6), Mouncef (Year 6) and Iman (Year 6)

We would like to thank all the children who have applied for these positions as we know going through such a process has helped them gain extremely valuable life skills.

## Magic Breakfast



Some of the children from our Breakfast Club were invited to attend a special event at City Hall which was organised by Santander and the charity Magic breakfast. The children were treated to a healthy breakfast and discussed with members of the Heart Foundation charity the importance of a healthy lifestyle. The organisers were really impressed with our children's knowledge of healthy eating and how to look after our hearts.