



# Upland Primary School Newsletter

Week 25: 24th March 2017

## Important dates

- 27th Mar—Year 5 visit to Science Museum.
- 28th Mar—Year 4 visit to The Shard.
- 29th Mar—Whole school Easter Lunch.
- 30th Mar—Festival of learning 2pm (not Y6), Parents/carers welcome.
- 30th Mar—Year 6 Outward Bound celebration assembly 9am, followed by Festival of Learning/Enterprise event at 10am. Y6 parents/carers welcome.
- 30th Mar—Year 5 Outward Bound celebration assembly 1.45pm (Y4 & Y5 parents/carers welcome). Followed by Festival of Learning/Enterprise event at 2.30pm.
- 31st Mar—CRIBS Easter play.
- 31st Mar—Royal Festival Hall Concert.
- 31st Mar—Easter holiday school closes at 1.30pm.
- 18th Apr—Inset day whole school closed.
- 19th Apr—Back to school.
- 1st May—Bank Holiday school closed.
- 4th May—Neptune class assembly 9am. Parents/carers welcome.
- 8th-12th May—Year 6 SATS week.

## Year 6 Outward Bound



The year 6 children had a terrific trip to the Outward Bound Centre in Ullswater last week. We look forward to sharing some of their stories and photos with you at their celebration assembly on 30th March.

## Easter bonnet parade

We are holding our Easter bonnet parade on Friday 31st March at 8.40am in the playground. We look forward to seeing some fabulous creations. Enjoy!



## Butterfly Jungle experience

Bumblebee classes visited The Butterfly Jungle this week. The children were lucky enough to see all of the stages in the lifecycle of a butterfly, which was fantastic for enhancing their learning. The children enjoyed the bus journey on the B12, which for many was their first bus ride. The children were a credit to the school with fabulous behaviour and manners. Thank you to everyone who accompanied us and made the trip possible.



*The award for the best attendance this week goes to*

***Class Saturn***

## Year 5 WE Day Concert

On Wednesday Mrs McKenzie took 16 year 5 pupils to the "WE Day" annual conference. This was no ordinary conference! The children were inspired by motivational speakers, promoting what children can achieve when "WE all work together in our community and globally!", alongside dancing to Jessie J, The Vamps, DJs, famous You Tubers and presenters. It was a terrific day and a great way for the children to link some of their recent Outward Bound experiences.

## Maths Competition

We are very proud of the Year 5 children who took part in the Bexley Schools 24 Game Maths competition. Lola, Jamie and Ajveer from Class Neptune and Alex, Kathryn and James from Class Earth competed against twenty teams from other schools in Bexley. Kathryn did very well individually and went through to the final 16. Alex, Kathryn and Jamie were in a team together and came 6th overall, meaning that they are through to the Cross Borough competition in July. Well done everyone.

## Easter holidays

Please remember that we break up for Easter holidays at 1.30pm on Friday 31st March and return on Wednesday 19th April.

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