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# ALEXANDRA JUNIOR NEWS

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Olympic Champion visits Alexandra Junior School

On **24<sup>th</sup> February 2020**, there was a special assembly with guest speaker Amy Hillyard, who spoke about her experience in what it takes to be an Olympic Champion. Amy Hillyard spoke to the children on the importance of physical activity and the enjoyment with the sense of achievement you can get from sport. The children participated in various mini circuits of exercise followed by a Q and A session. We hope that everybody was inspired by the experience of meeting a prominent athlete!



World Book Day 5th March 2020 Children celebrating World Book Day on Thursday, 6th March 2020 dressed in their favourite story book characters, bringing to school their favourite book. The staff also entered into the spirit of the day.



Year 5 Times Tables Rock Stars Competition

Last week Aiman Habib, Leah Ingram, Abdullah Nasir and Nadim Tariq were selected to take part in a Times Tables Competition at Ormiston Discovery Academy. Nadim Tariq was placed third out of sixteen children participating in this event. Well done to all our children that took part!



## **Star of the Week**

Well done to these children who have gone over and above to receive a certificate this week.

Headteacher's award goes to Francesca Olteanu 28/02/20 06/03/20 Mustafa Alani

Week Ending	Class 3CW	Class 3RW	Class 4AK	Class 4CV	Class 5SW	Class 5DL	Class 6SB	Class 6CM
28/02/2020	Roselyn-	Ayan	Ingrid	Connor	Mustafa	Abdullah	Bozena	Karalaini
	Costache- Anghel	Rafique	Olteanu	Hammond	Alani	Nasir	Bazova	Davule
06/03/2020	-	IAdam	Sergiu	Ismail	Sonia	Laura	Brodie	Jozef
	Jibril	Ali	Smerea	Amjad	Fareed	Horvathova	Dyche	Bazo

#### Prior Warning – 2020 SATs week begins May, 11<sup>th</sup> Please do NOT book any holidays or appointments for this week as all Year 6 children must be in school.

£280.25 was raised for the Scholastic Book Fayre. Thank you to all our avid book readers.

Reading with your child

Please can you read regularly with your child (at least 3 times each week) and sign their reading diary.

<u>School Cleaner Required</u> A School Cleaner is required for Fridays from 3.00pm until 5.00pm. Please contact the school office if interested.

Embrace

Excel

#### Lunch Time Supervisor Needed

If anyone is interested in supporting our school as a lunchtime supervisor, please ask for an application form from the school office. Please return your completed application form to Mr Robinson

#### Mobile Telephones

Mobile telephones are not allowed to be brought into school ,in any circumstances by any Year 3 or Year 4 pupils. Year 5 and Year 6 children are able to bring their mobile telephones to school, but must be handed into the school office on arrival. Mobiles can then be collected at the end of the school day. Please do not encourage your children to bring in any other electrical equipment. The school does not accept responsibility for any mobile telephone phones that are not handed into the school office.

Engage

#### School Diary Dates

Monday, 30th March 2020	Y3 & Y5 Parents' Evening 1.00pm – 5.30pm				
Thursday, 2nd April 2020	Y4 & Y6 Parents' Evening 1.00pm– 5.30pm				
Friday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> April 2020	Last day of term				
Monday, 6 <sup>th</sup> April 2020 – Friday, 17 <sup>th</sup> April 2020	Easter holidays				
Thursday, 7 <sup>th</sup> May 2020	School Closed Police & Crime Election Day				
Friday, 8 <sup>th</sup> May 2020	School Closed VE Day				
Friday, 22 <sup>nd</sup> May 2020	Last day of half term				
Monday, 25 <sup>th</sup> May 2020 – Monday, 1 <sup>st</sup> June 2020	Half term holidays				
Friday, 17 <sup>th</sup> July 2020	Last day of term				

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