# Glen Park Weekly Newsletter



Success for all, through learning together.....

### **Plympton Academy Taster Morning**

Year 5 had a fantastic morning at Plympton Academy on Friday as part of their Primary Partnership Programme, taking part in 2 different sessions. Mrs Clapson led a very lively music session getting all of the children making noises and getting 'unstuck' whilst Puffins worked with Ms Romanski looking at the artwork of Jon Burgerman who loves to doodle. Then during the second session both classes earnt their Bunsen Burner licence to use them safely in the lab. During this session, children learnt how to set up, light and use a Bunsen burner safely. All of the children thoroughly enjoyed the morning especially the cookies at snack time!





## Plymouth Armed Forces Day-Saturday 29th June, Plymouth Hoe

Join us on Plymouth Hoe for a fantastic fun day celebrating our Armed Forces. There will be activities for all the family to enjoy and get involved in, from exploring military vehicles, weapons displays and vintage fire pumps, to tackling the Royal Marine's obstacle course, or the Army's climbing wall. Explore the dynamic displays in the Royal Navy village and experience the interactive visual suite on the new Royal Navy Type 26 Frigate. You can even meet a military pony!

There will be lots of interesting and interactive displays within the Veterans village, with over 75 organisation and charities offering information, support and advice on a wide range of issues.

Enjoy the spectacular air display featuring the RAF Red Arrows, who are returning to Plymouth for the first time since 2012. There will also be a flypast from a Royal Navy Merlin, RAF Spitfire and a display from the Sea Fury T20. The exciting arena programme will see highlights including the Tri-Service Field Gun competitions and the awesome unarmed combat display by the Royal Marines. Up to 20 schools will be participating in the thrilling Junior Field Gun competition throughout the day on their dedicated arena area.

There will be live music throughout the day, including the Military Kids Choir, Military Wives Choir, The Band of HM Royal Marines Plymouth, City of Plymouth Pipe Band and the Rock Choir. We are delighted to have the Plymouth Music Education Hub providing a spectacular programme of live music from 11am to 3pm on their dedicated stage. The entertainment continues into the evening, with a free concert. Dance the night away with One Step Behind, Europe's biggest tribute to Madness, a Tom Jones tribute act, HM Royal Marine Function Band, Plymouth and Scarlett Lee, the 2018 X Factor runner-up.

For more information including the event programme, visit: www.plymoutharmedforcesday.co.uk

Last week Emily in Year 4 was honoured to be invited to represent Plymouth MKC Heroes at the Door of Unity service which took place at the Minister Church of St Andrew. We are very proud of her!



### Learner of the Week Awards

A big well done to all the children who were nominated as learners of the week in their class last Friday, we are very proud of them all.





**Foundation Robins - George Johns (For his fantastic writing during literacy and sharing his amazing ideas with the class).** 

**Foundation Wrens - Sophie Court** (For showing a great attitude to learning and making much improved effort in the classroom).

**Year 1 Chaffinches - Violet Morgan** (For always having such a positive attitude towards her learning!)

Year 1 Sparrows – Lillie-May Fairhurst (For joining in so well during the literacy learning walk).

Year 2 Skylarks – Dakota Francis (For her wonderful writing, including every feature with brilliant results)

Year 2 Swallows – Alfie Bromley (For his fantastic writing in literacy, including use of contracted words and conjunctions. Well done!)
Year 3 Nightingales– Rohan Williams (For settling in brilliantly to Glen Park and contributing so enthusiastically during class discussion).
Year 3 Blackbirds - Evie Bray (For persevering so well in numeracy to develop her understanding of fractions).

**Year 4 Kingfishers - Ethan Docking** (For his fantastic attitude and hard work through the week)

Year 4 Woodpeckers - O'Neil Achegenui (For challenging himself in his learning across all subject areas).

**Year 5 Puffins – Hayden Watters** (For being well focused in the classroom and a very activity learning during oracy sessions).

**Year 5 Kittiwakes – Kyle Court** (For working hard to create a project comparing two different religions).

**Year 6 Buzzards - Amelia Aston** (For always giving so well during class discussions, showing motivation in all areas of her learning).

**Year 6 Barn Owls – Ellis Manu** (For his outstanding work in geography and reading for meaning through the week).

## Dates for the diary—Summer Term

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June - Devon Air Ambulance assembly

Wednesday 19th June - Sports Day

Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June (am) - Marine Aquarium visiting Year 1

Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June - School Readiness workshop for new EYFS families Monday 24<sup>th</sup> & Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June—Year 6 Forest & Beach residential

**Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> June** - Year 5 Challenge Morning at Heles School

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June - Reserve Sports Day Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June - PAT Kwik Cricket festival

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June - Friends Summer Fair

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July - Trutex School Uniform Pop Up Shop

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> July—Annual reports go out to parents

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> - Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> July - New class transition visits

Monday 15<sup>th</sup>—Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July—Healthy week

Coffee with Cops! - Your local policing team is holding a Coffee with Cops. This will take place on Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2019 at Plym Bridge Car Park (Plympton side) between the hours of 2pm and 3pm. Please come along as this is your opportunity to speak with your local officers to discuss any issues of concern to you. If you are unable to attend this meeting but wish to speak to them about an issue, please email 101@dc.police.uk