

# TOLLGATE TIMES

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### **Year 6 trip to Fairplay House**

Recently our Year 6 pupils went on their residential visit to Fair Play House. Whilst there, the children took part in a diverse range of activities from team-building exercises to outdoor adventures like caving, canoeing and archery. They had the opportunity to develop their social skills, resilience and independence, while gaining a deeper understanding of the environment around them. Year 6 made memories that will last them a lifetime and their behaviour and willingness to give activities a go was a credit to the school!





### **Year 3 Trip to Thames Barrier**

This week, Year 3 took a trip to visit the Thames Barrier as part of our Geography curriculum. The Thames Barrier is a retractable barrier system built to protect the floodplain of most of Greater London from exceptionally high tides and storm surges moving up from the North Sea. The children found this trip very insightful as they have been learning all about the River Thames, how it works and its uses.









Wednesday 13th December

## \*DATE CHANGE\* Christmas Fete

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### Child of the Term Assembly

Friday 15th December

### Child of the Term Trip

Monday 18th December

## Christmas Concerts Tuesday 19th December

Tuesday 19th December (AM and PM)

### Last Day of Autumn Term

Wednesday 20th December

# First Day of Christmas Holidays



Thursday 21st December 2023



### Spring Term

Starts on Thursday 4th January 2024

## Reception 2024 Open Day

Friday 5th January 2024

### **Road Safety Assembly**

Key Stage 1 had a very exciting assembly this week when the police made a special visit to our school. They spoke to the children about road safety and its importance. They children were also advised on how to conduct themselves when moving around close to roads and how the darkness at night can add to the dangers. It was an insightful assembly and the children learnt a lot of valuable knowledge.



### **Lunchtime supervisors**













As a school we want to introduce our Lunchtime Supervisors to you. They are: Miss Viola, Miss Hawa, Miss Louise, Miss Cathy, Mr Austin and Miss Asbin. They supervise and engage with your children at lunchtime and if your child has any concerns during this time they should tell one fo these staff members.

### Tollgate Boys Football Team

After the success of winning the Newham Cup our boys' football team were in action last week in a very special tournament at Billericay Football Club. As winners of the Newham Cup we were representing Newham in the Essex Cup. The tournament consisted of sixteen teams and we won 2 games and drew 1 in our group stage before we suffered penalty shoot out anguish at the quarter final stage. In this game we were narrowly defeated 5-4 in the shoot-out. Well done to all the children for all of their hard work this season!







### Stars of the Week

Yameen	1H
Filemon	1H
Sophia	1S
David	2B
Jayden	2B
Jeremiah	2S
Akram	2S
Aisha	3K
Kevin	3K
Hamza	3S
Shaan	3S
Hamda	4MC
Aisha	4MC
Mayank	4MD
Aaban	4MD
Eloise	5B
Martin	5B
Isadora	5D
Antony	5D
Alex	6M
Kamara	6M
Jasmine	6G
Meraj	6G

### **Handwriting**

Amber	1H
Sarita	1S
Khadija	2B
Aamiyah	3S
Aira	4MD
Mukhtar	4MC
Madinah	5D
Filipa	5B
Martyna	6G
Halima	6M

#### **Times Tables Rock Stars**

### Weekly Class

#### Winners 1.5D

2.3S

3. 2S

Top Player: Afsarul 4MC

### **Numbots Winners**

- 1. Andrei RHL
- 2. Alexandru RE





