

Portfields Post

The last week of term is always filled with mixed emotions as we not only prepare for the summer holidays but also say goodbye to our fabulous Year 6 children. It has been amazing to see them grow and mature over the years and turn into the wonderful young people they have become. We celebrated on Thursday with our graduation celebrations and prom. It was wonderful to see them all enjoying themselves and they should all be extremely proud of everything they have achieved in their time at Portfields. We will miss you all.

Elsewhere this week, we had the grand finals of Portfields' Got Talent on Wednesday where the children showcased their amazing singing, dancing and performing. It was amazing to see how confident they were and picking the winners was not an easy decision.

This week, we say a fond farewell to Miss Heath, Mr Reeves, Mrs Thomas, Ms Webb and Mrs Zahid, who all leave us. We wish them all the best in their future endeavours.

All that is left to say is that I hope you all have a fantastic, restful break and I look forward to welcoming you back on Wednesday 4th September.

Mrs Folkard.

Notices

Community Page

We have updated our community page on the school website to include additional summer / Autumn events. Please head on over and see what the local community has to offer. [Click Here](#)

Next Academic Year's Key Dates

We have tried to map out as many key dates as possible for next academic year to give families as much time as possible to make arrangements (See attached). Where possible, we have included times. Please note, these events are subject to change. We will continue to include key dates at the bottom of Portfields Post, with new events added in red.

School Games Mark - We earned Silver!

We are delighted to announce that we received the Silver School Games Mark for 2023-24. This is a testament to the hard work and dedication of our PE team and all the staff who have supported sports events throughout the year.

FOPS

FOPS would like to thank everyone for their support over the year. We are pleased to inform you that we have raised sufficient funds to purchase one outdoor sun canopy for the school field and hopefully this will be fitted shortly. We will be continuing with our fundraising next year to fund further canopies and hope you will continue to support us with this. If anyone has any fundraising ideas, please let us know friends@portfields.org. We hope you all have a good summer.

Year Group Pages

We have updated the year group pages on the school website to include information about next academic year. You will find the school start and finish times for each year group, your child's PE days, any forest school days in Autumn 1 and a map of where to drop your child off (inside the school day section). We hope this information will help coming back in September be as successful as possible.

Class Pages

Dates

New dates in red

Please see attached document

Next Year (2024-25)

Next Year's Term Dates are available on the school website. [You can find them here](#)

Celebration

Portfields Stars

Oak - Seb

Chestnut - Finn

Elm - Edie

Starfish - Bethany

Shark - Leo

Seahorse - Teddy-John

Frog - Charlotte

Salamander - Eleanor

Toad - Sara

Newt - Amelia
Gecko - N/A
Chameleon - Albie
Iguana - Hetti
Crocodile - Jack
Stegosaurus - Greyson
Velociraptor - Jake
Triceratops - Ted
Kingfisher - Jessica
Swift - James
Owl - Nellie
Heron - Sophia
Dolphin - Casper
Rhino - Eloise
Meerkat - Cheliz
Jaguar - Orla and Hannah