



# Garden Suburb Junior School

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18<sup>th</sup> March 2022

Dear Parents and Carers

## Red Nose Day

Well done to those who made the effort to take part in our crazy hair day for Comic Relief. We raised £172.06 for the charity.

## Curriculum Events and Assemblies

- **Photography competition 'Nature'**: To mark British Science Week and to encourage everyone to get out into nature, we are launching a nature photography competition. The photograph could be anything to do with nature: flowers, landscapes, birds, mammals, insects, water, weather, your own pets, trees etc. You can take your photograph using an ipad, phone or camera as long as your image is clear. You can submit up to 3 entries. Winning entries will be displayed at school.  
Entries must be emailed to [6J@gsjs.barnet.sch.uk](mailto:6J@gsjs.barnet.sch.uk) by **Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March**.  
**Include your name, class and the title of each image.**
- **Egg Decorating Competition 2022 'International Egg'**: To celebrate the cultural diversity of our school, the theme this year is 'International Egg'. This could include flags, maps, national dress, food ...be creative!  
Remember a **hardboiled egg** or an egg that has been blown should be used.

**Eggs may be brought into school from Monday 21<sup>st</sup> March until Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> March.**

Entries should be labelled with:

- Your child's name and class
- The title of the egg

Prizes will be awarded in all classes

Remember it is **how the egg is decorated** rather than the accessories around it that will be judged!

## Iranian New Year

In previous year parents from our Iranian community have helped with a display on Nowruz. Please contact me via the school office if you are able to help.

Please see the 'Latest News' on our website for more details on our curriculum events

<https://www.gardensuburbjunior.co.uk/news/?pid=258&nid=2>

## Year 4 Swimming

I am pleased to announce that we will be taking the Year 4 children swimming in the Summer Term. Each class will go every day for a block of two weeks. More details of when each class is going swimming will be sent home next week.

## Year 5 class Assemblies

Please see the dates for the Year 5 class assemblies which will take place in the school hall at 2:30pm on the following dates:

**5S** Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March

**5G** Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> April

**5J** Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March





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## Parent/Teacher Consultations: Wednesday 23rd March 3:40pm-6:30pm OR Monday 28th March

You will be able to book your appointment in your Parentmail App. This will be an opportunity for you to have a 10-minute meeting with your child's class teacher, in their classroom. Before meeting the teacher, you will be able to take some time to look through your child's books outside the classroom.

We expect all parents to attend these very important meetings.

## Funtime /After School Childcare Opening Times

### Friday 1st April

Breakfast Club will run as normal  
After School Club is Closed

### Monday 4th April - Thursday 7th April

Holiday Club open

### Tuesday 19th April

Breakfast Club and After School Club opens as normal

**GARDEN SUBURB LOTTERY:** The next draw is this Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> March. You could win £25,000! Only £1 per ticket. <https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/garden-suburb-junior>. You've got to be in it to win it – GOOD LUCK EVERYONE.

Kind regards

Mrs Eileen Bhavsar - Head Teacher

