

Dear Parents,

Lining up points:

The school council, when meeting with Miss Bridges at the end of last term pointed out to her that children do not always line up as well as they could. They suggested that a system could be put in place whereby the class who lines up the best, and is therefore the most ready for learning, should be rewarded. So this week we started a very simple system by giving points to each class from Y1 to Y6 at the end of morning playtime when everybody is out together (the best class receive 6 points going down to 1 point for the least ready class). The winning class this week, although it was extremely close, with 22 points was **Year 5**. Their reward was 10 minutes extra playtime. Well done Year 5!

Spring term CLJ units:

Last week, a leaflet went out explaining what your children would be learning this term. Each one is also posted on the class pages of our website. For everyone's information, however, please see the table below

Class	CLJ unit
EYFS (YN and YR)	People who help us
Year 1	Watery worlds
Year 2	Chocolate
Year 3	Ice Age
Year 4	The Vicious Vikings
Year 5	Lights, Camera, Action
Year 6	World War 2

Upcoming sporting events:

Through working with the London PE and school sports partnership, children in KS2 will be competing in athletics tournaments at Globe Academy over the next couple of Wednesday afternoons. Next week a team of boys and girls from Y5 and 6 will be competing and the week after it will be the turn of Y3 and 4. They will be doing a range of track events including individual races, relays and paarlaufs. They will also be doing field events including standing long jump, vertical jump, speed bounce and chest push (ball throwing). We will let you all know how they do.

Humility:

Our assembly theme next week is humility. Michelle Obama when talking about her and Barack Obama's successes said, "We learned about gratitude and humility - that so many people had a hand in our success, from the teachers who inspired us to the janitors who kept our school clean... and we were taught to value everyone's contribution and treat everyone with respect."