

Dear Parents,

## Parent questionnaire:

The deadline for the return of the 2016 parent questionnaire was on Tuesday of this week. Thank you to all those parents who took the time to fill the questionnaire out. We had a total of 75 questionnaires returned (35% of the school role) which is the highest return since 2009. 36 more surveys were completed than at the OFSTED inspection in June 2015. Results will be analysed and findings shared with staff, Governors and parents.

## School house project:

Simon Camp from ACA (our architect) presented plans for the school house development at a parent coffee morning last Friday. The slides he showed us can be viewed in the useful information part of the Noticeboard section of the website. A planning permission application will be submitted over the Easter break and we will wait for the project to be formally agreed.

## **Notices and reminders:**

- If children have appointments or absences we ask that parents inform the office rather than the teachers so that they can be recorded properly.
- We have a number of scooters and bikes that have been left in the scooter park for many weeks/months. Can you please check the storage areas to see if your child has forgotten to take home their scooter or bike? All unclaimed scooters and bikes left on site over Easter will be disposed of.
- If you mark your child's scooter or bike with your family name, not only we will be able to identify their owners but the wrong item will not go home with the wrong owner.

# Dates for the Spring and Summer term 2016:

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April– Easter Holiday Monday 11th April – INSET day Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April – Summer term begins for children Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> April – Year 5 to Into University Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May – bank holiday. Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May – KS2 SATs week Monday 16<sup>th</sup> May – final Year 2 swimming session Monday 16<sup>th</sup> – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> May – Application focus week Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> May – Y6 start swimming sessions Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May – RE focus day (Judaism) Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Southwark Primary Schools dance festival @ The Scoop Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Half term break

### Easter break:

Please remember that we break up today at the usual time but there will be no after school club. The children return to school on Tuesday April 12<sup>th</sup>. The children have worked fantastically hard this term (as have all the staff!) and really deserve a peaceful and happy break! We look forward to seeing you all after Easter



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