



Nelmes Primary School

Monthly Newsletter

April 2010

Happy Easter! We finish today and return on Monday 19th April. Please remember that we are closed for polling on 6th May and finish for half term on Friday 28th May and return on Tuesday 8th June.

Parking

We have been asked by the Police to pass his message on to all our parents:

Announcement from the Metropolitan Police
Enforcing officers: *Emerson Park Safer Neighbourhoods team*

Dear parents/guardians, it has been brought to our attention that cars parking and or manoeuvring on the paved area next to Great Nelmes Chase, may be posing a danger to children attending the school. We do acknowledge that no issue has been raised previously, but cannot ignore matters brought to our attention.

Technically this paved area is not associated with a property and is thus deemed as part of the footpath. To park on this area constitutes a breach of section 59 of the Police Reform Act, as it therefore contravenes both section 34 of the Road Traffic Act 1988 **AND** is causing, or is likely to cause, alarm, distress or annoyance to members of the public.

We do appreciate that you need to park nearby the school, and you may do so in other areas excluding driveways and the 'zigzag' lines during those designated hours.

Please be advised that 2 contraventions of Section 59 could lead to the confiscation of your vehicle, a power we do not wish to exercise.
Thank you for your cooperation

Sponsored Event

Thank you for supporting our sponsored speed mark event. To date we have banked in excess of £4,000. More news will follow as to what we spent the money on.

Holiday Club - There were not enough applications to make an Easter holiday club viable - but Liz and Lin are planning to run a club on the day of the elections (May 6th) - registration forms can be obtained from the office.

Mother and Toddler Group

A mother and toddler group will be held in the new hall on Friday mornings, starting on 30th April. Anyone wishing to attend can contact Ann or Sabrina from RL via the school office.

Staff Changes

Mr Harris leaves our school today to take up a new position in a neighbouring borough. Mrs Giddy will be taking class 3H for the summer term. We wish Mr Harris well in this next stage of his career. Miss Meekoms, who has been working with Miss Rance in 5R, gets married today and will be Mrs Butler when she returns.

PTA - Thank you for supporting our Pamper Evening - it was a great success. We really need help to clear out the PTA shed - anyone who can help on a weekday after the holiday can contact the PTA via the school office.

