

Highlights of the week

In assembly last week, Ms Slater told the children all about our new fitness initiative, 'The Daily Mile'. From Monday 22nd January we will be encouraging children, parents and Selwyn staff to participate in this short physical start to our school day to get us fit, healthy and motivated for our learning. Each morning from 8.30, we would like to invite you to walk, jog or run for 15 minutes. Children who join in regularly with 'The Daily Mile', have the opportunity to win a free pass for a swimming session at the London Aquatics Centre in the Olympic Park. The names of those children that participate will be put into a 'hat' and drawn out in our celebration assembly. So, if you'd like to start the day and the new year with a healthy outlook, then come and join us - New Year, New You! We are looking forward to seeing as many people as possible joining in this worthwhile event.

We would like to celebrate the success of one of our parents, Laura Gromova. She has been invited to attend Buckingham Palace in recognition for her work in the fashion industry. Congratulations, what an incredible achievement.

Here is the link for the full article.

[Former Newham College student invited to Buckingham Palace fashion event](#)



Safeguarding

The TV advert directs parents to the PANTS campaign, used in schools for many years. There is now a pack for parents to use, to encourage them to have a conversation that many might feel uncomfortable about having. PANTS is a simple way to teach your child how to stay safe from abuse.

Information is also available in Welsh and for children with a hearing impairment. The link to the parents' PANTS pack is here: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/preventing-abuse/keeping-children-safe/underwear-rule>

Information about online safety for parents. Please talk with your children about staying safe online.

https://www.saferinternet.org.uk/blog/setting-online-safety-resolutions-your-family?utm_content=buffer6ec6c&utm_medium=social&utm_source=twitter.com&utm_campaign=buffer

Future dates for your diary

Year 5 and Year 6 Football away game 22.01.18
International guests visiting Selwyn 25.01.18
Phonics screening parents' workshop 25.01.18
Parents' attendance surgery 25.01.18
Winter Discos - Letter to follow
29.01.18, 31.01.18 and 01.02.18



5Cs Certificates

KS1

1H - Adrisa
1R - Naumaan
2RB - Nazer
2SB - Eisa

KS2

3K - Rohani
4D - Louie
4F - Ibrahim
5A - Edowan

KS2

5C - Sarah
6B - Maitri
6P - Zain

Congratulations to all our winners. Keep up the hard work!

Attendance 15.01.18 - 19.01.18

EYFS

RT - 88%
RPH - 97%

KS1

1H - 98.7%
1R - 94%
2RB - 98%
2SB - 94%

KS2

3K - 99%
3D - 97%
4D - 98%
4F - 95%

KS2

5C - 96%
5A - 95%
6B - 92%
6P - 98%

Well done to **3K with 99%**. We know that it is becoming colder and there are some winter bugs going around but please try to send your children in every day so that we can achieve our target. Don't forget to check whether your bowling ball has moved on the display!



A huge thank you to everyone that supported the Poppy appeal by buying poppies and poppy merchandise in November. We raised £259.00 for the Poppy Appeal. Your special contribution will make a marked difference to the Armed Forces community and their families which The Royal British Legion strives to support throughout the year.

Celebrating Spelling!

Every week we will be letting you know which class has achieved the highest average spelling score in their weekly spelling test.

Congratulations to... **Miss Mawer's Set**

... our first winners!

