



FLORA NEWS

Head's Blog

It's been another really busy week at Flora, many thanks to the parents for attending the parents evening on Wednesday and thank you for your feedback on how we are doing; this remains vital for the continued improvement of the school. I know you will join me in a heartfelt thanks to the staff who gave freely of their time to see you.

I am delighted to be able to announce that we are full in Year 1, being oversubscribed is a great indicator of how good this school is. On Friday we held a Macmillan coffee morning in the staffroom, where we raised money for a great cause. Thank you to Miss Elven for organising this.

I have now interviewed and appointed the 4 Heads of Houses, who will be driving our House system. I will be announcing these in assembly on Monday morning. The pupils will be given their Houses during the sorting assembly on 2nd November. I do hope that as many of you as possible can attend this.

I am delighted to let you know that Mr Hans has been accepted onto a university course to become a qualified teacher and he will be leaving us today. Whilst this is a loss to the school, I am sure you will join me in wishing him all the best with his studies and his future career. Miss Matoshi has been appointed to replace Mr Hans and so we welcome her to the Flora Gardens team.

Finally, I am pleased that the extended school day offer is now available in an accessible format and I am looking forward to the clubs starting next week. Our new choir, Flora Gardens Singer, is open to Key Stage 2 pupils and rehearsals will be Friday mornings before school. You will be receiving more information on this in a letter home.

Have a lovely weekend.

Help us help you!

Fundraising is an important function of the school. The money that we raise goes towards making the school a better place. The Head will be compiling a “wish list” – an annual request for items that he and the staff feel would benefit the school. We are currently raising funds for sports equipment, musical instruments and additional teaching resources.

You, your family and friends can start to raise funds for Flora Gardens Primary School immediately by using this easy and effortless fundraising scheme:

Register for free at www.easyfundraising.org.uk as a supporter and nominate Flora Gardens Primary School as your cause from the list. All retailers listed will give a percentage of what you spend to the school – with no extra cost to you!

We have some open mornings coming up for prospective parents – please spread the word and tell your friends to come along.

Thursday 5th November

Saturday 7th November

Tuesday 10th November

Saturday 12th December

Head will speak at 9am and there will be a tour of the school.



Superstars

Nursery – Rashid
Reception – Michelle
Year 1 – Samia
Year 2 – Mikayla
Year 3 – Auguste
Year 4A – Megan
Year 4S – Calum
Year 5 – Louise
Year 6 – Shamhaad

