

Newsletter 35 – Monday 29th June, 2015



THE WEATHER WILL BE VERY HOT THIS WEEK!!!

It is important that all children bring their **La Fontaine water bottle to school**. It has been noted that a few children consistently forget to bring their water bottle to school. Children have access to water throughout the day, in class and outside.

It is also important that children **bring a hat to school**. Similarly to water bottles, a few children consistently forget to bring a hat to school.

Finally, you need to make sure you apply sun cream on your child before they come to school. Staff are not allowed to do this on your behalf.

Your cooperation with this is greatly appreciated.



SPORTS DAY

We are all looking forwards to our first Sports Day. It'll take place on Thursday afternoon, at Bishop Justus School (on their huge astroturf!).

Children should come to school in their PE kits (shorts, white La Fontaine t-shirts, and trainers – as opposed to plimsolls). Don't forget to ensure your child wears a hat and has some sun cream on.

The weather is meant to be really hot on Thursday, so we'll bring water fountains with us. Ensure your child has their water bottle with them.

Parents/carers who are able to join us on Thursday afternoon should meet us in our school playground at 13:15.



COFFEE MORNING

At our Coffee Morning, last Friday, Zerne, from Trois Pitons Colonie de Vacances presented her work. It is fair to say that the feedback we got from parents/carers was extremely positive. Trois Pitons Colonie de Vacances is a French-speaking Summer Holiday club, based in Dulwich. See www.thefrenchsummerschool.com for more details.

For the 2015-2016 academic year, we are hoping to work with Zerne to establish our own holiday camp, based at La Fontaine.



SCHOOL DATES FOR 2015-2016

See www.lafontaineacademy.org/dates. School will begin on Tuesday 8th September. Gates will open from 08:00.

ATTENDANCE

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LAST WEEK	98.6%	97.1%	85.6%	98.3%	94.4%
SINCE SEPTEMBER	96.7%	96.2%	96.2%	96.8%	96.5%



To help out, email our PTA contact@ptalafontaine.org.uk or speak to one of our members in the playground!



Amongst the many prizes available on the day will be some Eurostar tickets!!

Other prizes include:

Lunch for 2 at the Rex Whistler, Tate Britain
 £20 Lakeland voucher
 Heart rate monitor watch
 £20 Studio 74 voucher
 A selection of wines
 Vintage dress
 And more!!



BAL DU 14 JUILLET

On Tuesday 14th July, from 14:00-15:30, parents/carers and friends are invited to join us for our **Graduation Ceremony and Bal du 14 Juillet**.

Our PTA will be helping with our **Bal du 14 Juillet** and you can expect some traditional French music as part of the entertainment!



SWIMMING AS A WAY TO DEVELOP CHARACTER

An article about our work has just been published in Teach Primary. It covers one of the many reasons why we decided to take all our children swimming over Spring 2 and Summer 1. See www.lafontaineacademy.org/curriculum to access the article.

Taking children swimming for 12 weeks – at no cost to families – was made possible thanks to a government grant called the Sports Premium. Details about the grant can be found on our website at www.lafontaineacademy.org/objectives/sports-premium.