

# THE PAKEMAN PRESS

Thank you for taking the time to read this weekly newsletter. We hope you will find its contents useful.



**Pakeman  
Primary  
School**

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Friday 13th June 2025

## Cricket Medal Winners

Huge congratulations to our amazing cricket team who won silver medals in their recent cricket competition. The girls played against three other Islington teams in the final and won two of their matches. The last game was extremely tense and went down to the final ball with Maria bowling and then making a spectacular catch to win the match. A special mention goes to Ijeoma who batted incredibly - scoring 4 6's in her over in the first game. Thanks also to Aminah who also played a key role. The girls worked really well as a team and supported each other throughout. We are really proud of them all. Very well done!



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

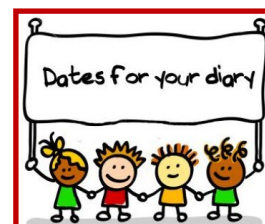
School production  
10th and 11th July

Reception Graduation  
17th July

Year 6 Football Match  
17th July after graduation

Leavers Assembly  
18th July

End of Summer Term  
Friday 18th July



## SUPERSTARS



Our year 1 and 2 team and children for all the additional work in their phonics screening this week.

You are all stars!



## Cake Sale

Playcentre are holding a cake sale to raise some money for much needed resources

Friday 20th June at 3.30pm in the playground

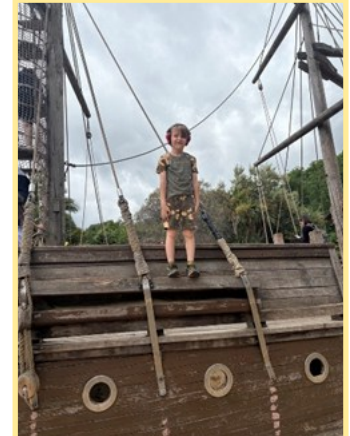
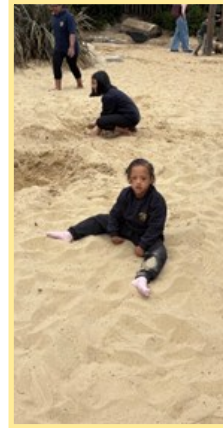
Please pop along to support the event.





## Hidden Heroes

Some of our Hidden Heroes enjoyed an outing to the Princess Diana Memorial Park this week. They had lots of fun and behaved incredibly well. Thanks to all the staff who accompanied them on the trip and kept them well entertained and safe throughout.



## Year 3 and 4 trip to Kenwood House

As part of their 'Writing Through Art' project, year 3 and 4 children have been studying and writing about four paintings. Last week, they went to Kenwood to see the real paintings on a special guided tour.





## KS1 Trip To The Little Angel Theatre

Key Stage 1 went to see a puppet show at the Little Angel Theatre called Paper Dolls. Everyone thoroughly enjoyed the show.



## Student teachers and volunteers at Pakeman Primary – a huge help and a warm welcome!

At Pakeman Primary School, we are lucky to have a wonderful team of students who support our children's learning every day. The students come from a variety of institutions and are studying various teaching courses. (We even have 2 students from Switzerland working with us at the moment!). Our dedicated students work closely with our staff to provide extra help in the classroom, lead small group activities, offer one-to-one support, and bring fresh ideas and enthusiasm into the school. At the same time, the students gain valuable experience as part of their training.

You don't have to be a student to be part of the Pakeman team. We're always keen to welcome new volunteers! If you have a few hours to spare and would like to be part of our friendly school community, please get in touch. Whether you're interested in education, looking to give back, or just enjoy working with children, we'd love to hear from you. Volunteer, whether parents, carers, or community members, play a vital role in enriching school life. To find out more or to express your interest, please contact the school office



## NBA Junior Basketball

Last Friday, a group of Year 5/6 children went to the NBA junior basketball finals in Trafalgar Square. They played basketball, competed against each other and learnt new skills. They also watched the Junior 3vs3 boys basketball final as well as the mixed 3vs3 wheelchair basketball final. They also had the opportunity to participate in DJing workshops.



It was such a brilliant day! Thank you so much to the London Marathon Events, particularly to Layla, Polly and Jack for inviting us.

## Caterlink Survey

As Pakeman's catering provider, Caterlink value feedback from all stakeholders to help them improve the service they provide. This term they are completing a **Parent/Guardian survey** on the meal provision they provide.

Pakeman families are invited to take part in this survey, which closes on 31st July.

By clicking on the link or QR code you will be able to complete the survey.

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/SXMHL8D>



## Almeida Holiday Club

The Participation team at the Almeida will be running an Almeida Holiday Club this Summer for KS2 (ages 7-11).



Packed with drama games and devising techniques, Almeida Holiday Clubs are designed to expand on the creative work explored in Primary Hubs through 4 days of collaborative working, developing performance skills and confidence through drama.

**Dates: Mon 28th – Thur 31st July      Time: 10.30 - 3.30pm**

**Location: Hanover Primary School, Noel Rd, N1 8BD**

**Almeida Holiday clubs are free**

To book - register an Expression of Interest: <https://forms.office.com/e/iez4MVLZVc>  
email [schools@almeida.co.uk](mailto:schools@almeida.co.uk) if you have any issues accessing the form.

