



# Harbinger News

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On the back of this newsletter is the Class plan for your child this half term. I hope it helps you support them in their work.

## Welcome Back

Welcome back for the first term of 2009, may I take this opportunity to wish you a happy and healthy new year.

We have two new teaching assistants recently joined Harbinger - Sayeda and Rebecca. They will be supporting pupils in class and working as additional literacy support. Rushna also joins us working as a lunch supervisor in the EYU and supporting Rina in the Nursery breakfast club.

You may have noticed the new parking bays outside school; these have made the street even more dangerous-especially at 3.15. Cars have been observed double parking, blocking the fire gates and attempting 3 point turns in Cahir Street. Please drive and park carefully and with due concern for our students and your children. Meanwhile, I am consulting with the parking section at Tower Hamlets to try to make the situation safer for our school.

This term many classes have already made some exciting day visits to a variety of places including St Paul's Cathedral, the BBC, The Little Angel Theatre, Natural History Museum and The Museum in Docklands. Coming up at the end of the term there are residential visits for years 4, 5 and 6. If your child is in one of these year groups make sure you have the letter so you can book their place. Please note confirmation of the last INSET day - school will be closed for staff training on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February.

## Dates for your Diary

### ❖ Yr 5/6 Indoor athletics

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> January

### ❖ Mediterranean lunch/competition

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February

### ❖ Half term

16<sup>th</sup> February 2009 -  
20<sup>th</sup> February 2009

### ❖ INSET DAY 5

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February  
(School closed for teacher training)

### ❖ Yr 5 School Journey

17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> March

### ❖ Yr 6 Writers Journey

23<sup>rd</sup>-25<sup>th</sup> March

### ❖ Yr 4 School Journey

31<sup>st</sup> March - 3<sup>rd</sup> April

### ❖ Last Day of Spring term

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2009

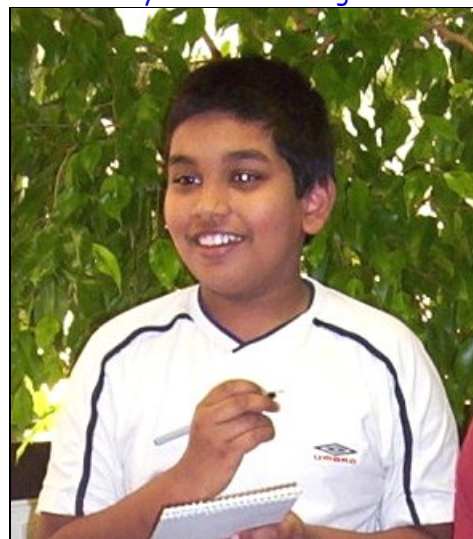
### ❖ Back to school -

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2009

## Nadvee

Former pupil Nadvee Mohammed Amanullah died suddenly but peacefully on Monday 12<sup>th</sup> Jan. Our thoughts and love go out to his family, particularly his mother, Lifa, who has worked for a long time at Harbinger as a Teaching Assistant. There is a book of condolence for parents, staff & children to sign. There is also a collection for Lifa and if you would like to donate please see Ana in the school office. Nadvee attended George Green's school in Year 10. He was an excellent student, sportsman and friend and he will be sorely missed.

## Nadvee Mohammed Amanullah in year 6 at Harbinger



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