

# NEWSNOTES

Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2019 22 Adar 2 5779 Parsha: Shemini

Shabbat begins tonight at 6.14pm and ends tomorrow evening at 7.18pm.

## Headteacher's message:

Dear Parents and Carers,

Purim in school was fantastic- the grown-ups went first with their Purim show!



The children wore amazing outfits and we had our catwalk exhibition.



And more from our catwalk!



We would also like to thank Michaela for giving up her time and providing all our pupils with Egyptian dancing lessons- we had lots of fun and developed our moves!

Rabbi Goldmeier led our Megillah reading and a huge thank you to everyone who came along and joined us for the wonderful evening.

We now have lots of preparations ahead of us for Pesach. Our dates and times are as follows:  
**Early years, year 1 and year 2- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> of April from 2.00pm-3.30pm.**

**Year 3, 4, 5 and 6- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> April 2.00pm to 3.30pm.** Please look out for other correspondence about this.

## Upcoming events:

3rd April- Bring a mum/significant female into school morning

4th April - Yr 1&2 class Assembly

4th April- Parents Evening- please ensure you book your place!

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10<sup>th</sup> April- Early Years, Yr 1&2 Seder

11<sup>th</sup> April- Yr 3, 4, 5 & 6 Seder

12th April- End of term- 1.30pm finish

Please join us if you can.

Ms Metin- Headteacher

## Message from our Jewish Studies Department:

Shalom,

We would like to add our thanks for all the help and support over Purim.

Thank you to Rabbi Goldmieir for his Megillah reading, to the staff for taking time out of their busy schedule to learn the lines and songs for our Purim Spiel, and to 'The Friends of Simon Marks' for organising our Purim disco and to all the parents who donated for the mishloach manot and Matanot La'evyyonim.

We look forward to Pesach and Parents joining us for our Seder events.

Mr Jacobs – Assistant headteacher

## **FREE STAY AND PLAY SESSIONS**

**Simon Marks Jewish Primary School runs free 'stay and play' sessions for 2 year olds. These will be held every Friday between 9.00am and 11.00am. This provision is free. This is a great opportunity for young children and parents to get together and use our Early Year's facilities and getting young children ready for school.**

**If you are interested in joining us for any of these events then please contact the school office on: 02088066048 or alternatively you can email us at [info@simonmarks.hackney.sch.uk](mailto:info@simonmarks.hackney.sch.uk)**

**We look forward to welcoming you to Simon Marks.**

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