



Dear parents: Lively start to October this morning with torrential gales, petrol queues and once again Highbury Corner at a standstill. Parents who have been here a while will know it was the bane of my life for many years. Took many years to build and then kept being repaired with all sorts of grand designs, promise and plans and now is the source of some of the longest traffic jams in London. Hope you could get some petrol if needed as again chaos all over London. One of my burning questions is below. Meanwhile our new library is opening as we welcome parents back and assemblies are also back and open to parents. Great turn outs at all events and a heartfelt appeal for more volunteers below. Reading, reading and reading number one priority for this age. Please if you can help us read on and sign up. Lots of news, photos and thoughts to ponder on. Such as why will the Danube river be claret and blue today ??

Pics of the week: Year 5 assembly on their work this year so far and the book 'The Promise'our new Library and parents coming in it is working brilliantly please do join in if you can help Ms walshe reading to Year 2 and Year 5 visiting Dalston....RIP Roger Hunt another legend

Parent volunteers:

We are currently looking for parent volunteers for 1:1 reading (Reception) and daily supported reading (Year 2 and Year 3).

The timings are as follows:

Reception: 1:45pm - 3pm.

Year 2: 1:40pm - 2pm

Year 3: 12pm - 12:30pm

Please email: Ms. Aoife O'Grady on —

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if you're interested and available. Your school needs you NOW !!!!



and finally asked a few people this week why the army were not being deployed to deliver petrol as I was over in another part of London with one of the biggest army bases in the UK only so much marching and saluting you can do? one parent thinks it is all a cunning plan to stop us driving I have a very different theory we have nearly finalised our Christmas dates so will be ready next week and yes Fireworks Night is back with a bang this year ... Johann Strauss above not happy just now as not so Rapid Vienna lost last night in a wonderful evening — great city Vienna RIP Roger Hunt Liverpool and England legend and yes saw him play live as a child only a few of the 1966 squad now left better weekend weather wise coming up so make the most of early Autumn.....