



School Newsletter

21st June 2023



Dates for your Diary

June	<p>Thurs 22nd: Y5 to National Portrait Gallery</p> <p>Thurs 22nd: Y2 Joanne Assembly</p> <p>Fri 23rd: INSET Day - school closed</p> <p>Mon 26th: INSET Day - school closed</p> <p>Tues 27th: Assembly for Reception to Year 6 from Lambeth Libraries to launch their Summer Reading Challenge</p> <p>Fri 30th: Nursery Assembly</p> <p>Fri 30th: Y6 Into University workshop</p> <p>Fri 30th: Fun Day. At lunchtime, the whole school will have a picnic in the playground (weather permitting). Our catering company are doing a special menu that day including a burger, cake etc. Please let Sharon in the office know if your child normally has a packed lunch but would like a school lunch on this day.</p>
July	<p>Tues 4th: Year 1 trip to the beach</p> <p>Wed 5th: Y5 to Lilian Baylis for science lessons</p> <p>Thurs 6th and Fri 7th: Reception Assembly</p> <p>Wed 12th: Year 4 to Hayward Gallery</p> <p>Thurs 13th: Year 6 Show, 7pm</p> <p>Thurs 20th: Last day of term. School finishes at 1:45pm</p>
September	<p>Mon 4th and Tues 5th: School closed for INSET</p> <p>Wed 6th: Children in Years 1 to 6, as well as children who are currently in our nursery and who are staying in nursery next year, will return</p> <p>Thurs 7th: Reception children start</p>

Messages

INSET Days

A reminder that school will be closed this Friday 23rd June and Monday 26th June for INSET

Further Teacher Strikes

The NEU have announced two further strikes on 5th and 7th July. At the moment, we do not know whether the school will be impacted by this. I will let you know as soon as I know.

Fun Day

Our Annual Fun Day will be on Friday 30th June. Please see p2-3 for more details.

Whole School Photo

Our whole school photograph is now ready to view and purchase at https://http.st/WALNUT_TREE_WALK23-WSG

There will be a free "deliver to school" option open for approximately 14 days, otherwise home delivery is available for £5 postage and packing.

If you need assistance please call Tempest Photography on 01736 751555 (option 5) or click on contact us on the home page.

Sports Days

Reception: 9:30am Tuesday 11th July 2023

KS1: 9:30am Thursday 6th July

KS2: 9:30am Friday 7th July (subject to change if teachers are striking)

Parents are welcome at these events - details to follow nearer the time

30th June

WALNUT TREE WALK FUN DAY RAFFLE!

50p per ticket or £2 for five

Support WTW! Grab your tickets from the
22nd at the school office or
Fitzalan gate 8:45 AM & 3:20 PM

Join in on the fun with face painting, glitter
tattoos, and toy, book, and game stalls.
Don't miss out on our Pimms stall and drinks
tombola, as well as the bouncy castle and
exciting lucky dip!

Don't forget the ice lollies and cakes!

Prizes!

**Two player
Nintendo Switch**

**Amazon Fire tablet
donated by
Marsh & Parsons**

Family Ticket for **HMS Belfast**

Two Tickets to **Southwark Playhouse**

Two Tickets for **London Zoo**

Vouchers for **Collective Cafe**, Kennington Park

Tea and Cake for Two at **Louie Louie**

£50 Voucher for **The Ship**

£100 Voucher for **Chimichurris Restaurant**

Voucher for 4 Diners at **The Jolly Gardener**

A Free Term of Dance Classes at **Rambert**

£15 Voucher for **Windmill Florists**

Coffee & Cake Voucher at **Vanilla Black**

Free Adult Class with **Flying Fantastic**

Gift Card for Grapple Zone - **Jiu-Jitsu School**

And more!

Our Cluster Low Cost/ No Cost activities



Low Cost/No Cost Family Fun in London



Please look at the organisations' websites to double check times and arrangements

National Maritime Museum - Windrush 75 FREE

Saturday 24th June, 10am - 5.00pm

Maritime Museum, Romney Rd, Greenwich, London SE10 9NF www.rmag.co.uk/national-maritime-museum

Tube: North Greenwich, DLR: Cutty Sark, Trains: Greenwich & Maze Hill

Celebrate the 75th anniversary of the Empire Windrush's arrival in Britain and find your own Windrush connection at the National Maritime Museum. Live performances: emerging musicians and spoken word artists with Caribbean connections perform in our first ever music jam developed by young people. See historical figures come to life, take part in vocal workshops, Calypso dancing, play dominoes and family activities throughout the day. Hear from the Caribbean Family History Society who will take you through simple steps to trace your family history

Horniman Museum - Windrush Front Room events - FREE

Saturday 24th June, 10am - 5.30pm (Free, drop in)

Horniman Museum, 100 London Rd, Forest Hill, SE23 3PQ / www.horniman.ac.uk

Windrush Front Room: Step into The Windrush Front Room and explore a Windrush era living room, with music, objects and clothes. In this interactive space you can get up close to and handle objects found in a living room in the 1940s and 1950s. Learn all about the brave young people who travelled to the UK from the Caribbean in 1948.

Domino Mania - Windrush Square -FREE

Saturday 24th June 12 noon - 6pm (all ages)

Windrush Square, Brixton, SW2 1JQ

Brixton Immortals Domino Club invite all players, young or old, to join them for a Domino Knockout Competition. Enquiries to brixtonimmortals@yahoo.com or phone Clif on 07956 338419

Southbank Centre - SMOOSH! By Paraorchestra FREE

Saturday 24th June, 3pm & 5pm (45 mins per performance)

Riverside Terrace Level 2, Royal Festival Hall, Belvedere Rd, SE1 8XX. Nearest train / tube: Waterloo or Embankment

Take part in a mobile human jukebox in this rip-roaring music parade from Paraorchestra - a high energy wind and brass band joined by a troupe of dancers for an on-the-move performance of pop-karaoke classics

Free but ticketed concert, please book in advance via website:

www.southbankcentre.co.uk/whats-on/family-young-people/smoosh-paraorchestra?eventId=950892

Clapham Fair - FREE entry

Saturday 24th June 12.00 - 6.00pm

The Polygon, Clapham Old Town, SW4 0JG - www.thisisclapham.co.uk/events/clapham-fair-2/

With over 25 stalls, live music, farmyard animals, rides, and more, Clapham Fair has something for the whole family!

Clapham Library - Saturday Link-Up - FREE

Saturday 24th June 2.00 - 4.00pm (ages 11 - 16yrs)

Mary Seacole Centre, 91 Clapham High St, SW4 7DB

www.lambeth.gov.uk/events/saturday-link

A dedicated meeting spot for 11- to 16-year-olds to meet up, play games and debate. Saturdays for the next 5 weeks

Contact Liz Buchanan, Library Manager on 020 7926 0717

Adwa Victory 5K Family Fun Run -FREE

Sunday 25th June 9am - 1pm (all ages)

Start / Finish Brockwell Park, SE24 0PA - www.ny.raceresult.com/244994

A brilliant morning of fun, running and community. The Adwa Victory 5k is a friendly community-led event from Ethiopian Athletes in the UK. Everyone is welcome to cheer on the runners!

Jenny Smith, BLC (jlc@christchurchschool.co) & Rachel Thomas, Windmill Cluster (rthomas@sudbourne.com)

What's been happening at WTW ...

Year 6 went on a residential last week to PGL in Liddington. They were away for 4 days and 3 nights and packed so much into their time there! We are so proud of them all for throwing themselves into the activities and for their exemplary behaviour throughout.



What's been happening at WTW ...



What's been happening at WTW ...

Several classes across the school experienced the Science Dome last week. They climbed inside the dome to be immersed in science workshops linked to light and sound, space exploration, dinosaurs, and rocks, fossils and soil.



Two Year 6 children were chosen to watch a private screening of a yet to be released Disney Pixar film, Elemental, and then go and interview the director and stars of the film. Their interview will be on BBC Newsround soon so keep an eye out for this.

