



Dear Hitherfield Families,

We always strive to be an inclusive school; one where all children regardless of beliefs, sex, race, sexual orientation, family make-up and ability, are treated with equal respect and feel a sense of belonging. As part of this we consult and involve parents, as well as external specialists, so their feedback can help inform and direct our curriculum and policies. Our inclusion governor has created a survey to gather family feedback on how inclusive you feel Hitherfield is. This is an anonymous survey. This will be used to inform reviews of our practise and to feedback to the governing board.

Please do take the time to fill it in and return your completed survey to us by Monday 20th May 2024. Your feedback is very important and replies will be treated in the strictest of confidence.

Thank you

[Click here for survey](#)

Dates for the Diary

Monday 13th May – Thursday 17th May – Year 6 SATs

Wednesday 15th May – Year 1 trip to Horniman Museum

Wednesday 15th May - WEAR IT GREEN WELLBEING

Monday 20th May – Nursery and Reception Sports' Day 9:30am – 11:30am

Monday 20th May – Friday 24th May – Walk to School Week

Tuesday 21st May – Year 1 and 2 Sports' Day 9:30am – 11:30am

Tuesday 21st May - Year 3 trip to British Museum

Wednesday 22nd May – Year 3 and 4 Sports' Day 9:30am – 2pm

Wednesday 22nd May – Nursery Parents' Evening **No afternoon Nursery session. All children must be collected by 12:15pm**

Friday 24th May – Year 5 and 6 Sports' Day
9:30am – 2pm

Friday 24th May – Last day of term

Monday 3rd June Inset Day

Tuesday 4th June – Children return to School

Outdoor Adventure Dates Years 1 - 5

Wednesday 15th May – Year 2 Outdoor Adventure 3:30pm – 6pm

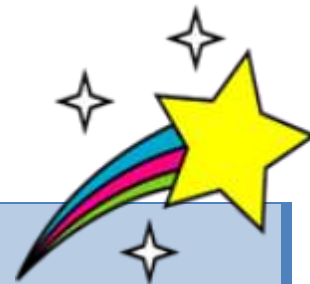
Wednesday 12th June - Year 3 Outdoor Adventure 3:30pm – 7pm

Monday 17th June – Year 1 Outdoor Adventure 3:30pm – 6pm

Friday 21st June - Year 4 Outdoor Adventure (sleepover in school) Children to be collect Saturday 22nd June 8am

Friday 5th July - Year 5 Outdoor Adventure (Camping on school site) Children to be collect Saturday 6th July 8am

All families must vacate the school site at the end of the school day on the above dates due to the school grounds being used for the Outdoor Adventure Events.



GOOD NEWS CARDS

Congratulations to these children who have really impressed their Teachers this week.

1 COBRA	1 DUGONG	1 SUNBIRD
Viola and Rhea	Eli and Liyana	George and Phoebe
2 MANATEE	2 MONGOOSE	2 HUMMINGBIRD
Cahlil and FE	Arya and Suraiyah	Telaya and Henry
3 JAGUAR	3 MACAW	3 ANACONDA
Mariam and Frankie	Stevie and Elena	To be announced next week
4 HIPPOPOTAMUS	4 FLAMINGO	4 CHEETAH
Whole Class	Benji and Hania	Edgar and Zoe
5 KINGFISHER	5 HEDGEHOG	5 OTTER
Jazeeb and Mela	Lois and Daniel FJ	Ryder and Finlay
6 ORCA	6 PUFFIN	6 WOLVERINE
Jamelia	Si'Ava, Hannah, Hannah N, Theo and Sara	Juliet and Arman

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- Private 1-1 sessions, family sessions, or group sessions.
 - From beginner sessions in an off-road environment, to advance sessions dealing with complex junctions.
- Assistance with planning routes to wherever you'd like to go, and then cycling them with an instructor.

Book your session at Lambeth
(cycleconfident.com)

May Half Term Maths Explorers & Games Camp: Loads of Holiday Fun to be had!

Maths Explorers (Creative Maths Club) will be hosting a May Half Term Holiday Camp! Details below!

What: 3 mornings of fun-filled Maths Explorers challenges, strategy games, board games and free play.

When: 8.30am to 12pm on Tuesday 28th, Wednesday 29th and Thursday 30th May 2024

Who is it for: School-going and home-educated young people in Years 3 to 6 (KS2/ approx age 8yrs to 11yrs)

Location: Main Hall, Hitherfield Primary School, Leigham Vale, Streatham, London, SW16 2JQ

Cost: £25/ child/ morning (3.5hrs). I'm sorry but we are not able to offer sibling discounts or multiple day booking discounts and we are not able to accept Childcare Vouchers

Capacity: 20 - 25 young people

Booking process: Please enter your child's details in this google form <https://forms.gle/scewCAXpm85fn9zt7> and we will send you the details for making the payment. Please fill in one form per child you wish to register.

If you would like to check anything at all before you book, please don't hesitate to let me know on maths@roots2grow.org (please enter 'Hitherfield Camp' as your subject title) or call/ WhatsApp me on 07856611827



Hitherfield's Sports' News

*Many congratulations to our Years 2 and Year 4 football squad who took part in the Lambeth Enthuse kid's football tournament yesterday at Ferndale Leisure Centre. They had an amazing day competing against other schools in Lambeth. Year 2 finished 3rd place and won the **Fair Play Trophy Award** (most polite, kind, good behaviour and supportive player's award). While Year 4 finished 2nd place also winning individual trophies for the **Overall Highest Goal Scorer** in the tournament and the **Best Goal Keeper** of the tournament. A massive thank you to all the parents for joining us and helping out on the day. We simply could not have done this without all your support! Well done Team Hitherfield!!!*



Overall Highest Goal Scorer



Best Goal Keeper



Year 2 Great Fire of London Workshop

Last Friday, Year 2 had a fascinating and fun day exploring the Great Fire of London with Christopher from the company 'Making the Classroom Disappear'. They all took part (or in fact several different parts!) playing people in a dramatic re-enactment of The Great Fire of London - using props and costumes to act out the real life events in the order they happened.

Children also explored different artefacts from 1666 to develop their understanding of life in a different time in history, had a treasure hunt for facts in a mini museum and played a game building houses and then trying to knock the right houses down to stop the fire spreading.

Children even made their own origami houses and learned the words to the well-known song 'London's Burning'!

This was a wonderful day of exploration and learning and all the children were curious, reflective and collaborative throughout their time in the workshop. Well done Year 2!





UNIFORM SALE & ICE CREAM FRIDAY



TODAY!

3:15 - 4:15pm

On the main playground



This week including
delicious strawberries &
cream, and refreshing
watermelon slices



cash & card payments taken



HITHERFIELD SUMMER FAIR

Saturday 22nd June



YOUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOU!

The Summer Fair is our biggest event of the whole year, and is always a fantastic day, enjoyed by our many Hitherfield families. As it is our biggest event it takes a lot of preparation and organisation to put it together.

This year, as funds are so needed, all stalls will be run by the PTA. This means that 100% of the fair profits will go directly to school

But, we really do need your help!

Perhaps you can...

volunteer on a stall, collect tombola prizes, prepare some of our games or make some fruit kebabs or sweetcones, help sell raffle tickets - it is definitely a case of many hands make light work, and we'd appreciate any help you can offer!

**We're holding a Summer Fair Meeting
after drop off on Friday 17th May in the staff room
and we'd love to see you there!**

If you can't make it but would like to help please message Paola on 07450 241892 or Rosie on 07929 484012, or email hitherfieldpta@gmail.com

HUGE THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT!



kite day

Sunday 12th May 11am - 5pm
Lower Streatham Common SW16 3BU

The Friends of Streatham Common invite you to bring a kite, fly a kite, buy a kite, and watch kite flying displays. **FREE ENTRY.**

- ◆ Single & multi-line kite demonstrations
- ◆ Live music
- ◆ Food & drink stalls
- ◆ Local community groups
- ◆ Bouncy castle & face painting



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streathamkiteday.org.uk
#StreathamKiteDay

Volunteer-run event - donations welcome





Eid Fair 2024



Apologies for the delay, but we can now confirm that this year's Eid fair raised a fantastic £2718!

This means that £1359 will go to the Human Appeal Charity, and £1359 will go to school

Huge thanks as always for your wonderful support Hitherfield





Dexters Adventure Playground

6 Montego Close,
London,
SE24 0LH

Adventure Play Sessions

Every Saturday
11am-2pm

Under 8's to be supervised by
parent/guardian



For more information:
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unit@bigkidfoundation.org

