

# Rushey Green Primary Newsletter

## Diary Dates

### Fri 16th November

#### THIS WEEK

##### **Tues 20th Nov**

Yr1 Science Museum

##### **Wed 21st Nov**

Flu vaccination

##### **Thurs 22nd Nov**

Yr6 Fire Station Junior Citizen

#### FURTHER AHEAD

##### **Thurs 29th Nov**

Rec & Yr6 Height & Weight

##### **Wed 5th Dec**

Yr4 Imperial War Museum

##### **Fri 7th Dec 4pm-6pm**

Winter Fair

##### **Mon 10th Dec**

Reception Pantomime Trip

##### **Thu 20th Dec—UPDATED**

Pupil Christmas Meal

#### CLUBS AUTUMN TIMETABLE

##### **Tues**

Yr1-3 Arts & Crafts

Yr1-6 Street Dance

Yr1-3 Taekwondo

Yr4-5 Football

##### **Weds**

Yr4-6 Arts & Crafts

Yr1-3 Multisport/Basketball

##### **Thurs**

Yr1-2 Gymnastics

##### **Fri**

Cheerleading

Yr4 Taekwondo

#### TERM DATES 2018-2019

##### **Autumn Term 2**

29th Oct 2018— 21st Dec 2018

##### **Spring Term 1**

8th Jan 2019— 15th Feb 2019

##### **Spring Half Term**

18th Feb—22nd Feb

##### **Spring Term 2**

25th Feb—5th April

##### **Easter Break**

8th Apr—22nd April

## THIS WEEK IN SCHOOL

This has been a very interesting week here at Rushey Green. We have appointed a new Year 3 teacher to start after Christmas who is an outstanding practitioner. Also, we have appointed a great SEN 1:1 TA. So the staff team continues to strengthen, which is great for the future of this school. I have seen my first Christmas tree in school! Which may well be too early. On Tuesday we had a group of teachers visiting us from another Lewisham school to pick up ideas of what we do well here. They reported back how calm, well-mannered and friendly our children were. They were also impressed with the writing in our books in the classes they visited, kudos to Year 5 and 4. We have also been donated a wonderful canvas print of the art work that Eden did from Year 6. He created the whole thing, including the little figures, which are so good that they look like professional clipart. If you have a moment, please admire the calm school code artwork just outside the School Office.

## KINGSWOOD

Year 6 had a fabulous time at Kingswood adventure centre in Ashford, Kent. They took part in many activities developing their problem solving, communication and teamwork skills. All of the children put in a great effort when taking part in the activities by going that extra mile which was beyond their own expectations. The children achieved many goals and enjoyed their experience. Some of the children wanted to stay on longer as they liked it that much! I would like to thank all the staff who gave up their time to help me make Kingswood possible for the children: Mr Long; Ms Rizou; Ms Wallace and Mr Macho.



## SHOES

All children should wear black, practical school shoes. Trainers are not suitable for school wear and must not be worn during the day at school.

## ATTENTION NURSERY PARENTS

You can find all the information you need to apply for primary school places at [www.lewisham.gov.uk/primaryadmissions](http://www.lewisham.gov.uk/primaryadmissions). If you cannot find the information you need, call admissions on 020 8314 8282 (Tuesday-Thursday, 9am-12pm). You must apply by the closing date on 15 January 2019. Please speak to Ms Purkiss if you require further assistance.

## PENERLEY ROAD GATE

The Penerley gate opens between 8.50am-9.10am and at 3.05pm only. You will not be able to enter or exit via this gate at any other time. If your child is late please use Culverley road gate.

## GP APPOINTMENTS

In order to minimise disruption to your child's learning. We kindly ask that all GP appointments be made outside school hours. Thank you.

# Keep in touch



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## Phones and Email

Please inform us if you have changed your mobile phone number or email address. We communicate through text messages whenever possible so its vital we hold the correct number.

## Lunches

Our school lunches are cooked on site by our own staff. Salad bar and hot school dinners cost £2.20.

## Breakfast/After School Club

Breakfast club is open from 7.45am. After School Club runs from 3.15 – 5.55pm. There are lots of games to play and time to spend with friends.

It costs £4 for breakfast and £7.50 for after school, per session. If you wish to be put on our waiting list please let the School Office know. Payment for these clubs must be made in advance to secure your child's space.

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## CONGRATULATIONS

### HEADTEACHER'S AWARD



### STAR OF THE WEEK



### TFL STARS

We have won the funding bid for improvements to the parking situation outside our school. Many thanks must go to Umar, Omar, Martha and Emmanuella from Y6. They worked with pupils from Holy Cross to persuade adults why they should vote for this funding project. It was very difficult but all 4 of them represented our school beautifully.

### RGSA



This week some of our artistic members have been using their professional skills to work with children to create class flags. It was a lovely opportunity to share our skills to enrich the children's experience and use different art materials. The children have been amazing and it was nice to see them being creative and working together as a class.

If you would like to become more active within the RGSA please complete one of the forms in reception and I will be happy to talk. The RGSA would also like to thank Ana Serbian and Magdalena Eric for their time as committee members.

### R2

Angelfish Class enjoyed our visit to Moon Lane Books this week for a 30 minute storytelling session. We listened to the 'Rama and Sita' story which ties in with our current topic on festivals and celebrations.



### COMMUNITY NEWS

National Maritime Museum,  
Ground Floor, Learning Space  
Sundays: 11.30am-1.30pm & 2-4pm  
Discover Sundays at the National Maritime Museum.

Be inspired by the sea and learn more about the museum's incredible collections as you take part in make and do activities and think about what the sea means to you.

### COMMUNITY NEWS

Crystal Palace Junior Park Run  
Every Saturday at 9am  
FREE 2k weekly runs for 4-14 year olds of all abilities, non-competitive but still exciting!

Event is free but please register before your first run. Don't forget to bring a printed copy of your barcode. <http://www.parkrun.org.uk/crystalpalace-juniors/>





Monday 3rd – Saturday 8th December 2018  
Crofton Park Baptist Church



Interactive retelling of the Christmas story • Christmas craft • Free festive light refreshments



To book a group or class, contact Helen Bogle, Church Administrator,  
on 020 8314 1813 or email [croftonparkbc@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:croftonparkbc@tiscali.co.uk)  
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