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## **Another Busy Few Weeks**

We have had a few busy and successful weeks with excellent class assemblies, jam packed with families who have also enjoyed visiting the children's classrooms to see all of the hard work the children have undertaken so far this term. There are no further class assemblies until after Christmas, as we start practicing our Christmas performances. I hope that we will be able to welcome families in to see the performances, however it will be dependent on the situation with Covid at the time. I will keep you informed closer to the performance dates.

I am aware of at least one Lambeth primary school that has had to return to the bubble system due to an increase in positive Covid cases, so it is extremely important that we continue to test regularly and not send the children into school if they are unwell and get them tested. We usually have 2 or 3 cases at any one time, which is manageable and to be expected, but this would only have to increase by several more and we may be advised to bring in more protective measures.

## **After School**

Warm Up Fridays have been a huge success with so many families staying after school to socialise and play.

Please remember that you are not allowed to take sports and play equipment from the PE Sheds dotted around the school, as the equipment in them is needed for PE lessons. If your child finds a ball or something else, please ask them to leave them next to one of the sheds. You are welcome to bring your own equipment. Thank you.

### Streatham Hill Low Traffic Neighbourhood (LTN) Consultation

The Lambeth consultation for the Streatham Hill LTN began on November 15<sup>th</sup> and will run for five weeks. All views are important to Lambeth in understanding how the restrictions have impacted the local community.

You can find out more information by clicking on this link: https://streathamhilllowtrafficneighbourhoodproposals.commonplace.is/

Alternatively you can find the survey here - <u>https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/SHLTNCon</u>sult

Or use this QR code that will direct you to the survey.



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## PTA Christmas Trees!

Buy your Christmas trees through the PTA and raise funds for school! Order by Friday 3rd December for collection on Saturday 11th December. See attached order form at the bottom of the Herald for sizes and prices and drop it into the box in the office or email the details to <u>hitherfieldpta@gmail.com</u>.



Hitherfield Primary school Parents' Coffee Morning

new Mental Health Support Team for schools!

Come and meet Lambeth's



Come and find out who we are and what we're all about.

We'll see you in the school hall on Friday 26th November, after th morning drop-off!

#### **Missing Scooter!**

Please keep a look out for a Black Micro Scooter. One of the end grips is missing.

If you think your child may have taken the wrong scooter home, please return it to the scooter park outside the reception building.

Thanks.

## **Dates for the Diary**

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> November -9:15 – 10:30am – 3 Macaw Class Assembly

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> November 9:15 – 10:30am - 5 Otter Class Assembly

Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November - Year 2 London Wetlands Centre

Tuesday 30th November – 4 Cheetah and 4 Hippo 11:15am

Tuesday 30th November – 4 Flamingo and 3 Jaguar 2:45pm

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> November – St Andrews Day

Wednesday 1st December – 3 Macaw and 3 Anaconda 2:45pm

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> December – Year 4 trip to The British Museum

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> December – Year 6 trip to The British Museum

Tuesday 7th December 10am – Reception Christmas

Tuesday 7th December – Flu Vaccination Wednesday 8th December 10am – Nursery Christmas Concert

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Fair and National Christmas Jumper Day

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Lunch

Tuesday 14th December 10am – Year 1 Christmas Concert

Tuesday 14th December 2pm – Year 4 Christmas Concert

Wednesday 15th December 10am – Year 2 Christmas Concert

Wednesday 15th December 2pm – Year 5 Christmas Concert

Thursday 16th December 10am – Year 3 Christmas Concert

Thursday 16th December 2pm – Year 6 Christmas Concert

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Congratulations to these children who have really impressed their Teachers this week.							
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Mark and Jacqueline	Freddie and Nicholas	Amalia and Audrey					
2 MANATEE	2 MONGOOSE	2 HUMMINGBIRD					
Alexandra and Oliver	Fred and Mason	Amy Marcel					
3 JAGUAR	3 MACAW	3 ANACONDA					
Amelia A and Tamar	Olivia and Arlo	Isaac B and Elsie W					



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# Remembrance Sunday...

On Sunday our co-leaders of School Council, Shawn-Niya Spence and Sophie Benghiat, laid a wreath during the Remembrance Service at the Streatham Memorial on behalf of the Hitherfield community. The Remembrance Service is a time to unite to remember all of those soldiers and civilians that have died during wars that the United Kingdom have been involved in. Sophie and Shawn-Niya carried out their responsibility with great respect and were brilliant ambassadors for the school. They were accompanied by Mr. Hooberman, the Chair of Governors.

The service is attended by many community groups and it was good to see other Hitherfield children taking part with these local groups as well. It was also attended by the MP for Streatham, Bell Ribeiro-Addy and Shawn-Niya and Sophie were able to meet her after the service.









#### During Term 1, all children at Hitherfield learn about an Inspirational Person.

In Year One, we learned about Bessie Coleman. Bessie was the first African American woman to become a pilot. She was inspirational because she overcame obstacles to achieve her dream! We felt so inspired that we created news articles about Bessie, so we could share her story with others.

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#### Year 4's Inspirational Person.

Our topic was Claudia Jones and she was an activist. An activist wants everyone to be kind to each other. She was born in Trinidad in 1918. She started the Notting Hill Carnival to bring white people and black people together. We learnt about the carnival parade which celebrated Caribbean culture. We made our own headdresses and did a parade around the school. We also tried Caribbean food.

By Isaiah and Africa Year 4



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#### **PTA NEWS**

#### 🥩 CALLING ALL FACE PAINTERS 🥩

Our Face Painting Guru Joost Creutzberg has offered to run a short 45 minute workshop to all those who would like to learn a little more about the art of face painting. He'll take you through some of the basics and instruct you in the art of the swirly brush and the rainbow paint!

The catch of course is that we'd ideally like you to volunteer at one of our events as we are in need of more face painting volunteers. The workshop will take place after school at 3.40pm on Friday 3rd December and will be limited to 8 places. If you are interested in taking part please email the PTA on hitherfieldpta@gmail.com

#### 🜲 HITHERFIELD CHRISTMAS FAIR 🜲

The PTA and our little Elf helpers are busy planning and getting ready for our Christmas Fair after school on Friday 10th December 2021.

But, as the saying goes, "many hands make light work"!

You can get involved and help out in so many ways so please click the link and go online and check out the jobs on offer.

Please go to: https://patchworkit.com/28942/hitherfieldxmas21 and sign up. Thanks so much

#### **Christmas Fair Goody Bags**

Goody bags have been sent home with your children today. If you can please fill them with small toys, beads, sweets and other fun stuff for us to sell at the Christmas fair. We'll have someone on the gates the week before the fair. Thank you.

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## The Breakfast and Afterschool Club celebrated Remembrance Day by holding a Poppy making activity





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## **Hitherfield Family to Family**

Are you in need of a bag of groceries for your family over the holidays?

Are you able to support a Hitherfield Family this holiday with a bag of groceries?

¿Necesita una bolsa de provisiones para su familia durante las vacaciones? ¿Puede apoyar a una familia de Hitherfield estas vacaciones con una bolsa de provisiones?

Precisa de uma sacola de mantimentos para sua família durante as férias? Você é capaz de sustentar uma família Hitherfield neste feriado com uma sacola de mantimentos?

Czy potrzebujesz artykolow spozywczych dla swojej rodzinypodczas szkolnych wakacji?

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Avez-vous besoin d'un sac d'épicerie pour votre famille pendant les fêtes?

Êtes-vous en mesure de soutenir une famille Hitherfield cette fête avec un sac d'épicerie?

S'il vous plaît écrivez-nous à

hitherfieldfamiliy@gmail.com or phone/Whatsapp: 07936672890

Who are we?

This is an initiative run by a group of Hitherfield parents with support from the School.

Why?

With the holiday period just around the corner we are very aware that this will be a very tough time for many Hitherfield families.

How?

If you need help or are able to help please email <u>hitherfieldfamily@gmail.com</u> by Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> December. What next?

#### If you are a family in need:

Please send us your name, family size and a list of items you need to value of £30. We will then give that list, without your identity, to a family to purchase and it will be at the Leigham Vale school gates for you to collect between 10am and 11am on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> December. If collection or this time is an issue do mention that in your email.

#### If you are able to support a family or more:

Thank you. We will send you an email by you by Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> December with a bag of groceries to purchase, the value of which should not exceed £30. Please then bring the groceries to the Leigham vale school gate at drop off on Wednesday, 15<sup>th</sup> December.

You can also leave a donation in cash in an envelope marked Family to Family at the school office.

All requests and sponsors will be kept private and confidential.



## ORDER YOUR CHRISTMAS TREE WITH HITHERIFLED PTA & HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR THE SCHOOL



This year, we are partnering with Mistletoe & Pine from Leigham Vale Garden Centre to offer pre-ordered trees for collection from Hitherfield School or for a small fee, trees can be delivered locally.

All you need to do is, fill in the order form selecting the size of tree you would like along with name and contact details and drop it into the order box in the schools main office . Alternatively, email : hitherfieldpta@gmail.com.

# ORDER BY: FRIDAY 3RD DECEMBER by 4.30pm COLLECTION: SATURDAY 11TH DECEMBER between 11am & 3pm MULLED WINE WINCED PIES



# ORDER FORM

## Let's start getting into the Christmas spirit!

1. Buying through the PTA, all profits go straight to the school.

 Nordmann Firs are 'non drop' Christmas trees, which means you'll spend less time sweeping up during this festive season.

3. Once order has been received, you will be sent a link to **Paypal** for payment. **FULL payment must be received in advance**.

NORDMANN FIR	HEIGHT (FT)	HEIGHT (CM)	PRICE	QUANTITY
Super grade	3-4 ft	100-125cm	£28	
Super grade	4-5 ft	125-150cm	£34	
Premium grade	5-6 ft	150-180cm	£40	
Premium grade	6-7 ft	180-212cm	£50	
Premium grade	7-8 ft	212-240cm	£60	
Premium grade	8-9 ft	240-270cm	£75	
Premium grade	9-10 ft	270-300cm	£95	

## DETAILS

Parent/Guardian Name: Child's Name: Child's Class:

Email Address:

Address (for local delivery, will be an additional £5):





