



Eggstravaganza

The judges (whoever they are?) were blown away by this years entries and thank everyone who entered as they have put a big smile on everyone's faces. They had an eggstremely challenging time choosing each year group's runners up and winners and this year, for the first time ever, they awarded two special awards to two cross age-group entries. Every child who entered will bring their entry home today with a creme egg. Please find the list of winners below.





Year	Winner	Runner up	Runner up
N	Bat Egg by Khadir	Lady Bird Eggs by Max	Only two entries!
R	Ninjeggo by Keir	Red Person by Nyruby	Boat by Leonaldo
1	Eggcanto by Mireya and Gabriele	Spider-egg by Finn	Egzilla by Ellis
2	Beat Them to Defeat Them by Sophia	Mr Eggshley Jones and Jeggcinta by Dorry	Volcanic Eggspllosion by Mia
3	Eggtastic Mr Fox by Theo	Egga Raducanu by Vivienne	Giraffe by Amelia
4	The Egg Hive by Joshua	Egg-veryone Stand for Ukraine by Nelly	Egg-stronauts by Fei
5	Hogwarts Eggpress by Eva and Alex	President Eggslenksy by George	Fedeggs by Noah
6	The Eggspire Strikes Back by Ibra and Toby	Squegg Games by Harry	Why do French People... by Castley
Adult	Eggstraordinary Eggshibition by Louise and Fiona	Tom O'Flegg by Lucy	Such Eggstravagance by Alice
Special Awards / Mixed Ages	Reggidents of Knollys Road by The residents of Knollys Road	Hitheggfeild Primary Eggschool by Jules, Djuna and Janick	



Hitherfield's Sports' News *London Youth Games Football Tournament*



Last month our Year 3&4 Girl's Football squad competed in the Lambeth Youth Games Girl's Football tournament. They won ALL their matches and didn't concede a goal! They were proudly crowned WINNERS of the Lambeth Youth Games and went on to represent Lambeth in the London Youth Games Finals at the Jack Carter Pavilion, Ilford. They ended up taking 5th place out of 32 London Boroughs. AMAZING! Well done Team Hitherfield, we are all super proud of you!

Lambeth Youth Games Netball Tournament



Our Year 6 (and one child from Year 5) netball squad competed in the Lambeth Youth Games Netball tournament at Streatham and Clapham High School. We took 3 teams to the tournament. They ended up taking 3rd, 7th and 8th place. Well done Team Hitherfield!



Happy Easter

The school is closing at normal time today for the Easter holiday and we will be welcoming all the children back on Wednesday 20th April. I hope everyone has a fun break and that it is Covid free. We currently have just a handful of cases across the school, which appears to be bucking the national figures.

It has been another highly successful term, with many highlights including class trips out, sporting competitions, Comic Relief, World Book Day and the Eggstravaganza, to name just a few. Thank you as always for the support you give to the school, especially the PTA and the parents who organise the food bags. Please continue to read with your children over the Easter break and spend as much time outdoors as you can - being outside in green spaces is so good for physical and mental well-being.

I look forward to welcoming everyone back on the 20th April and a busy Summer Term.

Best wishes,

Chris Ashley-Jones



Happy holidays to you all and thank you to all those who supported Hitherfield Family to Family this week. Your donations supported just under 50 families within our school community with groceries. This supportive gesture for those in need was, again, so gratefully received.

Hitherfield Family to Family is a parent run initiative that coordinates the donating and providing of groceries, within our Hitherfield community, by our Hitherfield community, for our Hitherfield community.

Thank you again,

Hitherfield Family to Family



Hello! My name is Joost and I'm very excited to say I'm the new Hitherfield Librarian. I love books, especially children's fiction and I can't wait to get started. My children are 7 and 11 so over the last few years I have discovered some great books and re-read many old favourites. I will be more than happy to recommend books for your children or for you. Did you know parents can loan books out too? Hitherfield's well stocked Library is a real jewel of the school. As well as a great place full of exciting books it is a quiet safe place away from the bustle of the playground for children and parents alike. If you don't know it then please come and visit. It's the colourful standalone building situated between the Trim Trail and the Ballcourt. We will be opening after Easter on Wednesdays and Thursdays after school. I look forward to seeing you.



Ice Cream Friday!!



We are excited to announce that Ice Cream Friday will be returning for 5 weeks. Come and find us on the Trim Trail from Friday 29th April. We except cash or card payments!



If you would like to keep up to date with all of the PTA Events please click on the link below to be added to the PTA Facebook Page.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/hitherfielddpta/?ref=share>

Dates for the Diary

Tuesday 19th April – Inset Day

Wednesday 20th April – Children return to school

Friday 22nd April - Coffee Morning - Meet the PTA in the main school hall

Wednesday 27th April – Class Photographs

Thursday 28th April – Parents' Evening Year 1 – 6

Friday 29th April – Ice Cream Friday Returns!



Being a Dad online support by dads for dads



Join a short info session on
Wed 27th April 7-8pm
Use QR code or link to register or
email EPECProject@slam.nhs.uk

*"It really helped me de-stress and succeed
at some of the hard dad-stuff"*

Good
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Weekly bite-sized nuggets
Dad MOTs with a dad parent group leader

A massive THANK YOU to all those Hitherfield families and staff members who generously contributed to our plea for native wildlife flower seeds to create a wildflower meadow at Hitherfield. We'll get them sown before the Easter break and then let nature do the rest.

Reducing Our Carbon Footprint

Many of our old indoor lights were upgraded to LED lighting in March, which will reduce the amount of electricity we will use. We are also planning on having a Air Source Heat Pump installed next term, which will transfer heat absorbed from the outside air to our indoor spaces. This will all reduce our impact on the environment and reduce our bills! Thank you to Lambeth, who are paying for this upgrade as part of the council's endeavours to reduce climate change.



An 8-week online group by dads for dads



Tuesday 3rd May - 6th July



Use QR code or link to register or
email EPECProject@slam.nhs.uk

Tuesday evenings
7-8.30pm on Zoom

What other dads said...

"When I signed up I expected a tonne of advice and strategies. What I didn't expect was the sense of community I got from a bunch of dads who genuinely seem to understand."
S, dad of two, Lewisham

"I'm amazed with the honesty and openness from the group. Great sessions, useful tips and practical advice to help manage my two young boys. It's a regular feature of my week that I look forward to."
N, dad of two, Lambeth

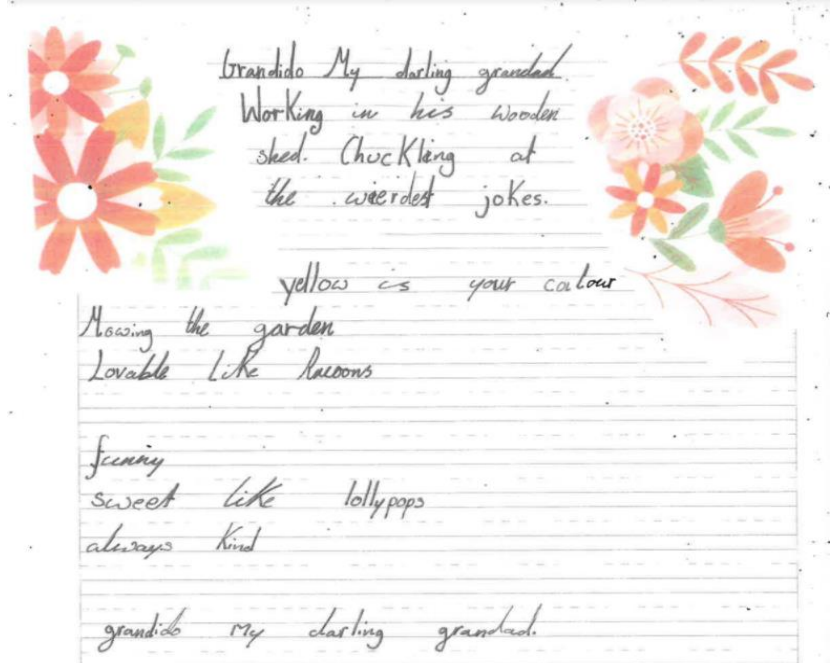
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Breakfast and Afterschool Club News!



Year 1 & 2 making Easter Chicks!
Happy Easter Everyone!



An ode to Grandido, A poem by Ruby McDonnell
dedicated to her grandfather



Happy Easter from all of us at Breakfast & Afterschool Club!



Lambeth Children's Centres – A Better Start

Early Years & Family Practitioner – One Post Available

Salary: Scale 4 – points 7 to 10 (£23628 to £24927 per annum)

Position type: Full-time (Mon-Fri 8.30am to 4.30pm) – All year-round

To start: As soon as possible

Lambeth Children's Centres are managed by five lead schools, supported by the Local Authority. Children's Centres maintain close working partnerships with Health Services, Early Help and Social Care Teams, as well as a wide range of Voluntary Sector Organisations to ensure that there is a strong Better Start offer for Lambeth families.

Staff work in area-based teams, with opportunities to work in a number of different Children's Centres and other sites. We are seeking to recruit an experienced and enthusiastic practitioner who is passionate about the role of Children's Centres in improving the lives of young children and tackling inequality and disadvantage.

As a Lambeth Early Years and Family Practitioner, you will be fundamental to the delivery of Early Years services and activities for young children and their families.

You will be knowledgeable about the Early Years Foundation Stage, committed to delivering high quality Early Years services to young children, while also being dedicated to working collaboratively with parents and carers to improve outcomes for children and families.

Knowledge and experience of the Lambeth Better Start agenda would be desirable.

To obtain a recruitment pack please download a pack on www.hitherfield.co.uk or contact Tammy Wallace on 020 8769 8428, or email recruitment@hitherfield.co.uk

We look forward to receiving your application. Please note we cannot accept CV's.

Closing Date: Friday 15th April

Interviews: Week Beginning 25th April

Please email completed applications to recruitment@hitherfield.co.uk

Tammy Wallace, Hitherfield Primary School and Children's Centre Streatham and Norwood Area, Hitherfield Road, London SW16 2JQ

Lambeth Council is committed to safer recruitment

Successful candidates will be asked to apply for an Enhanced Disclosure from the Disclosure Baring Service.

Lambeth aims for quality services and equal opportunities for all.

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WEEK COMMENCING: 18 APR/ 09 MAY/ 20 JUN/ 11 JUL/ 12 SEP/ 03 OCT					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	KEY
WEEK 1	Vegetable & Chickpea Jambalaya	Vegetable Hotpot	Roasted Veggie Strips with Gravy & Roast Potatoes	Chickpea & Mixed Vegetable Balti with Rice	Spicy Bean Burger with Chips
	Vegetable Tortilla Stack	Sweet Potato Falafel & Salad Pitta	Roasted Vegetable & Lentil Loaf with Gravy & Roast Potatoes	Roasted Vegetable Pizza	Cheese & Onion Quiche with Chips
	Chicken & Sweetcorn Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Spaghetti	Chilli Beef Macaroni topped with Nacho Crumb	Roast Chicken Breast with Gravy & Roast Potatoes	BBQ Chicken Pizza	Pollock or Salmon Fish Fingers with Chips
	Sweetcorn & Green Beans	Green Cabbage & Carrots	Roasted Mediterranean Vegetables	Sweetcorn & Broccoli	Peas & Baked Beans
Fresh Fruit Platter	Yoghurt Bar	Fresh Fruit Salad	Yoghurt	Carrot Cake with Frosting	
WEEK COMMENCING: 25 APR/ 16 MAY/ 06 JUN/ 27 JUN/ 18 JUL/ 29 AUG/ 19 SEP/ 10 OCT					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
WEEK 2	Spinach & Lentil Dhal with Rice	Vegetable Strips Piri Piri Wrap	Quorn Roast with Gravy & Roast Potatoes	Jacket Potato with Vegetable Bean Chilli	Cheese, Leek & Onion Pasty
	Mozzarella & Tomato Puff Squares	Shepherdess Pie topped with Sweet Potato	Macaroni Cheese	Margherita Pizza	Quorn Frankfurter Hot Dog with Chips
	Vegetable Stirfry with Noodles	Beef Lasagne	Roast Turkey with Gravy & Roast Potatoes	Jerk Chicken, Rice & Peas	Battered Pollock & Chips
	Peas & Curried Roasted Cauliflower	Sweetcorn & Broccoli	Carrots & Green Beans	Roasted Mediterranean Vegetables & Sweetcorn	Peas & Baked Beans
Fresh Fruit Platter	Yoghurt Bar	Fresh Fruit Salad with Natural Yoghurt	Yoghurt	Lemon Drizzle Cake	
WEEK COMMENCING: 02 MAY/ 23 MAY/ 13 JUN/ 04 JUL/ 05 SEP/ 26 SEP/ 17 OCT					
MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
WEEK 3	Jacket Potato with Beany Ratatouille	Mexican Rice Wrap	Butterbean & Vegetable Pattie with Roast Potatoes	Chickpea & Vegetable Tagine with Couscous	Quorn Dippers with Chips
	Sweet Potato & Pepper Frittata	Quorn Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges	Cheese & Tomato Pasta Bake	Red Onion & Sweetcorn Pizza	Tuna & Tomato Pasta Bake
	Beef Spaghetti Bolognese	Chicken Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges	Roast Beef with Gravy & Roast Potatoes	Spicy & Sour Thai Chicken Curry with Rice	Breaded Pollock with Chips
	Carrots & Vegetable Medley	Green Beans & Roasted Cauliflower	Roasted Mediterranean Vegetables	Green Cabbage & Sweetcorn	Peas & Baked Beans
Fresh Fruit Platter	Yoghurt Bar	Fresh Fruit with Vanilla Ice Cream	Yoghurt	Oaty Apple Crumble with Custard	

KEY



Vegetarian



Plant Based Vegan Friendly



Halal Option Available



Sustainably Caught Fish

DID YOU KNOW?



All our Milk & Bread is Organic



All our Meat is UK Farm Assured & Cited Chicken is Free Range

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Look out for our new app, designed to make ordering and paying for meals even easier!

[Click here for meal ordering and payment information](#)

BETTER FOR YOU, BETTER FOR THE PLANET

Welcome to our healthiest menu yet!

We've been working hard to improve our recipes so that they're still delicious but also better for you and the planet! One way we've done this is by adding more plant based proteins such as red lentils and cannellini beans and that's meant...



WE'VE REDUCED SATURATED FAT BY 8% PER PORTION



WE'VE ADDED LENTILS & BEANS WHICH CONTRIBUTE TOWARDS PUPILS' 5-A-DAY



WE'VE INCREASED FIBRE BY ABOUT 60% PER PORTION

Our nutritionists talk about the benefits of the new recipes!



We've reduced our CO₂ emissions by an average of 420g per meal with these new recipes!

That's the equivalent of driving a medium sized petrol car for almost a mile.

WHY NOT TRY ONE OF OUR RECIPES AT HOME?

Spaghetti Bolognese is a family favourite, our take on this classic will prove just as popular but is better for you & the planet!



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MADE FROM GREAT INGREDIENTS, BY AWESOME PEOPLE!



The menus are accredited by the Soil Association - meaning all our meals are balanced and made from ingredients which are sustainably sourced and better for animal welfare.



OVER 80% OF OUR DISHES ARE FRESHLY PREPARED EACH DAY

ALL OF THE EGGS WE USE ARE FREE RANGE & RSPCA ASSURED



Our ingredients are sourced from local and UK suppliers wherever possible - a fact we love to show off through our partnership with Love British Food.

Terrific VALUE

...AND ABSOLUTELY FREE FOR MANY, INCLUDING EVERY CHILD IN KS1!



CHOOSING FREE SCHOOL MEALS

If your child is in key stage 1 or your family is entitled to certain benefits - it could save you around £400 every year.



FOR KS2 CHILDREN, OUR MEALS OFFER GREAT VALUE

Few places offer homemade two course meals made from great ingredients at such a good price.



Sophie Crosswhite, Nutritionist, shares her thoughts on the value of school lunches.



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