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## OUTDOOR ADVENTURE DATES

Friday 5th June - Year 5 Camping overnight on school grounds

Tuesday 9th June - Year 1  
(afterschool from 3:30 - 6pm)

Wednesday 10th June - Year 3  
(afterschool from 3:30 - 7pm)

Monday 15th June - Year 2  
(afterschool from 3:30 - 6pm)

Friday 3rd July - Year 4 Sleepover in school



## Dates for the Diary

**Monday 11<sup>th</sup> – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May – Year 6 SATs**

**Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May – 3 Anaconda trip to The British Museum**

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May – 4 Hippo trip to National Maritime Museum**

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> May – 1 Dugong and 1 Cobra trip to Brockwell Park Greenhouses**

**Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May – 1 Sunbird trip to Brockwell Park Greenhouses**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May - Platypus Class Assembly and Open Morning  
9:15am – 10:15am**

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> May - 3 Jaguar trip to The British Museum**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Last Day of Term**

**Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June – Children Return to School**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Nursery Parents' Evening**

**There will be no afternoon Nursery on this day.  
All children to be collected 12:15pm**

**Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> June – Year 5 trip to Theatre Peckham for The Winter's Tale Performance**

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> June - Koala trip to Dulwich Picture Garage**

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> June – Platypus and Kookaburra trip to Dulwich Picture Gallery**

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June – Non school Uniform Day**



## GOOD NEWS CARDS

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

1 COBRA	1 DUGONG	1 SUNBIRD
Laurie	To be announced next week	Astri and Mary
2 MANATEE	2 MONGOOSE	2 HUMMINGBIRD
To be announced next week	To be announced next week	To be announced next week
3 JAGUAR	3 MACAW	3 ANACONDA
To be announced next week	To be announced next week	To be announced next week
4 HIPPOPOTAMUS	4 FLAMINGO	4 CHEETAH
To be announced next week	To be announced next week	To be announced next week
5 KINGFISHER	5 HEDGEHOG	5 OTTER
Ellis and Eliza	To be announced next week	Christian & Noura
6 ORCA	6 PUFFIN	6 WOLVERINE
To be announced next week	To be announced next week	Eleanor and Margot

## Sports' Day

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May – Year 1 & 2 9:15am – 11:40am**

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> May - Nursery and Reception 9:30am – 11:30am**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May – Year 5 & 6 9:15am – 2pm**

**Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Year 3 & 4 9:15pm – 2pm**

Parents can take children home at the end of the Sports' Day for Years 3 – 6





## Year 6 Transitions to Secondary School Workshop for Parents & Carers

with the Lambeth Mental Health Support  
Team (MHST)

Thursday the 4<sup>th</sup> of June,  
9:00am - 10:00am

Location: Hitherfield Primary  
School\*



\*Please be aware that this workshop will be recorded. By participating, you give your consent for the recording to be used solely for promotional purposes related to our service.



Dear families,

We're excited to announce that Elevate Education will be hosting their next parent webinar on **Memory** on May 12th.

Elevate works with our students, delivering high-impact workshops on study skills, motivation, wellbeing, and exam preparation. By tuning into their webinar series, you'll learn **how you can help support your child at home by reinforcing the skills they're learning at school.**

Sign up for the session below to learn how you can help your child to remember what they learned this year and **recall information effectively in an exam setting.**

## How You Can Help Improve Your Child's Memory

**Tuesday 12th May 6:00-7:00pm (BST)**

[Click here to register for free](#)

**MAY**  
AT THE PAPER CAT CHILDREN'S BOOKSHOP

**BABY & TODDLER STORYTIME**  
with author Gabby Dawnay  
0-4 years  
11am  
**FRI 15th MAY**

**NATURE CRAFT EVENT**  
with illustrator Lizzie Lomax  
5-7 years  
10.30am  
**TUES 26th MAY**

**AUTHOR STORY & CRAFT**  
with author Mariesa Dulak  
3-5 years  
10.30am  
**WEDS 27th MAY**

**AUTHOR STORY & CRAFT**  
with author Philip Ardagh  
4-7 years  
10.30am  
**THURS 28th MAY**

**AUTHOR STORY & CRAFT**  
with author Mo O'Hara  
3-5 years  
10.30am  
**FRI 29th MAY**

**NON-FICTION EVENT**  
with author Jo Arnold  
7+ year  
3.30pm  
**FRI 29th MAY**

**Our May Books of the Month (10% off online and instore)**

**Don't forget we run a drop-in & free storytime at 10:30am EVERY MONDAY**

**Stories by the Lake**  
Palace & Penge literary festival  
**SUNDAY MAY 10<sup>TH</sup>**  
@ Brown and Green Life Crystal Palace Park, Tricket Rd, London SE20 80S

A LITERARY FESTIVAL WITH A HOST OF FABULOUS AUTHORS, CELEBRATING DIVERSITY, AND CHAMPIONING INCLUSION.

**BOOK HERE!**



**Dear Parent/Guardian,**

Surrey Cricket Foundation, England Cricket Board and Lambeth Council would like to offer your Child an opportunity to be a part of a regular cricket programme this summer at Brockwell Park - All Stars & Dynamos offers children the chance to learn new skills, make new friends, connect communities and is **fully funded** by Surrey Cricket Foundation & supported by Lambeth Council and as such will be **FREE** to all participants.  
**Important – Use the DISCOUNT PROMO CODE from the table below.**

**The All Stars Cricket** is an entry level national programme aimed at **5–8 year olds**. The sessions run every **Friday 4.00pm – 4.45pm** at Brockwell Park, SE24 9BJ for **8 weeks from 15<sup>th</sup> May until 10<sup>th</sup> July**. Each child signed up for All Stars will receive a personalised t-shirt

**The Dynamos Cricket** is aimed at **8–11 year olds**. The sessions run every **Friday 5.00pm – 6.00pm** at Brockwell Park, SE24 9BJ for **8 weeks from 15<sup>th</sup> May until 10<sup>th</sup> July**. Each child signed up for Dynamos will receive a personalised t-shirt.

To register click one of the links below and use the **DISCOUNT PROMO CODE** when booking your place.

It is important you do not share this link as there are only a select number of places available.

<b>All Stars</b> Brockwell Park 15th May – 10th July   4.00pm – 4.45pm	<b>Dynamos</b> Brockwell Park 15 May – 10 July   5.00pm – 6.00pm
<a href="#">Sign Up Link</a>	<a href="#">Sign Up Link</a>
<b>All Stars PROMO CODE: Y9BD4</b>	<b>Dynamos PROMO CODE : U74BN</b>

Yours Sincerely,

Alex Hughes - [allstars@surreyccricket.com](mailto:allstars@surreyccricket.com) / 07756 269946  
 Surrey Cricket Foundation,  
 Kia Oval, London, SE11 5SS



# KINETIKA BLOCO JUNIOR SUMMER SCHOOL

Join us for **Junior Summer School** with 140 young people from South London learning Dance, Brass, Woodwind, Steel Pans and Drums together to create a carnival performance in just 5 days.

**27<sup>th</sup> July - 31<sup>st</sup> July  
2026  
10am - 4pm**

Suggested donation of £15  
(free places available for those who need it)

**Who**  
Young people  
aged 8-13  
years

**Where**

Hitherfield Primary School & Children's Centre  
Leigham vale Streatham,  
London, SW16 2JQ

**What to do**

**You MUST book in advance.**

For more information and sign-up visit

[www.kinetikabloco.co.uk/join-us/#junior-summer-school](http://www.kinetikabloco.co.uk/join-us/#junior-summer-school)

*We also run a Summer School for young people aged 14-25. Check out the website for more info!*

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If you have any questions or need help with the form please get in touch on 020 7960 4232 or with Shayanna at [shayanna@kinetikabloco.co.uk](mailto:shayanna@kinetikabloco.co.uk)



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## KINETIKA BLOCO

Senior Summer School is our HUGE summer workshop where you can learn drumming, steel pans, brass/woodwind or dance.

Join us for 2 weeks of creative learning, making friends, and innovation in music as we become The Vanguards! Everything builds to a show on the final night for friends and family and you can join us to perform at *Notting Hill Carnival* and *We Out Here Festival* as well as many other performances through the year.

### Senior Summer School

**When** 3-14 August 2026  
(week days only)  
10.30am-5.30pm  
Show at 7.00pm Friday 14 August

**Who** 14-25 year olds

**Where** Royal Festival Hall,  
Southbank Centre, Belvedere Road,  
London, SE1 8XX  
Closest tube: Waterloo

**How much** £40  
(Bursaries available on request\*)

\*For some people £40 is very reasonable, so if you would like to help someone else to attend and are able to sponsor them with an additional amount we can give you the opportunity to do that when you sign up.

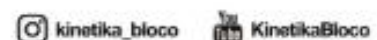
### Sign up

[www.kinetikabloco.co.uk/  
join-us#senior-summer-school](http://www.kinetikabloco.co.uk/join-us#senior-summer-school)

#### What to do

Visit website. Fill in the application form.  
Get in touch if you have any questions  
or need help with the form.

Contact Tamzyn Marchev  
on 020 7960 4232 or at  
[tamzyn@kinetikabloco.co.uk](mailto:tamzyn@kinetikabloco.co.uk)



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## SOUTHBANK CENTRE



## Autism Post-diagnostic Workshop

Information and advice for parents and carers, from a Speech and Language Therapist



We will talk about some **facts** vs **myths** about Autism, **tools** to support your child at home, and signpost you towards useful **resources** and **support**.



Please scan the QR code to book your place via Eventbrite.



### Who is it for?

An online workshop for parents and carers of **children** and **teens** who have a diagnosis of Autism.



### Where and when?

**Date:** Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June

**Time:** 10.30am-12pm

**Location:** On Zoom

**Cost:** £5



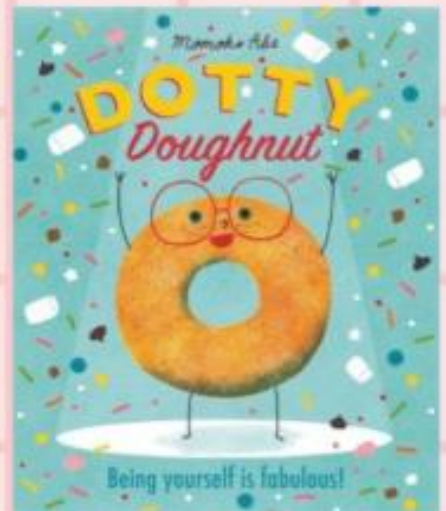
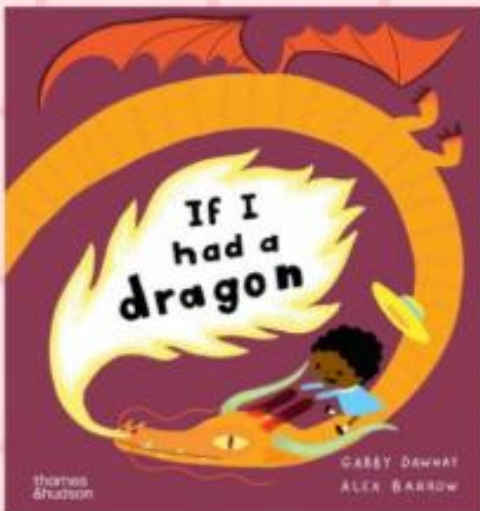


## THE PAPER CAT BOOKSHOP PRESENTS...

SUN 17 MAY FROM 10AM



Three much-loved books  
handpicked by The Paper Cat  
Children's Bookshop



Join the illustrators and  
authors for joyful storytime  
and craft workshops at DHFC



Dear Families,

Following a successful launch last year, we're excited to open bookings for R3 Voyage Kids Club this May Half Term at Hitherfield Primary School.

The club will run from **Tuesday, 26th May to Friday, 29th May**.

R3 Voyage Kids Club is designed for children aged **5–11 years** and offers a fun, engaging mix of off-site trips and on-site activities. Children will travel safely on all trips using our private minibus, and the club is Ofsted-registered.

Please see the attached flyer for a visual overview of what we have planned.

### Planned experiences include:

- Polka Theatre visit
- Rock climbing
- Multi-sports (football, tennis and boxing)
- Slime workshops and baking and creative activities
- Cinema trips



### What we offer:

- Trips and activities included
- Childcare vouchers and Tax-Free Childcare accepted
- Small group sizes with experienced and qualified staff
- Safe minibus transport for off-site trips
- Based at Hitherfield Primary School

Bookings are now open.

You can book directly via:

<https://r3-voyage-kids-club.classforkids.io/camp/4>

Or visit our website:

[www.r3voyagekidsclub.com](http://www.r3voyagekidsclub.com)

If you have any questions, please feel free to get in touch. We would love to welcome your child for a fun, safe and memorable holiday club experience.





# Summer fair raffle

**Donations of exciting prizes needed for Summer Fair raffle!**

**Our annual summer raffle is a major fundraiser for the school. But we need prizes to make it a success.**

**Do you work for a big company that might donate a prize?**

**Many companies are happy to support local schools and community events.**

**Companies can claim tax relief on charitable giving. Hitherfield PTA is a registered charity, our charity number is: 1102808**

**Please ask your employer if they are willing to donate items or gift vouchers.**

**Donations must be new and unused. Thank you for supporting our school community!**

**Any questions please contact  
[hitherfieldpta@gmail.com](mailto:hitherfieldpta@gmail.com)**



HITHERFIELD PTA

**FREE  
ENTRY**

# Summer fair

**12.30PM  
4PM**

**SATURDAY  
20TH JUNE**

**BOUNCY CASTLE  
BBQ  
REFRESHMENTS  
CAKES  
FACEPAINTING  
RAFFLE  
GAMES**

**JOIN US FOR A FUN  
AFTERNOON!**

**EVERYONE WELCOME!**



## HITHERFIELD SUMMER FAIR

SATURDAY 20TH JUNE



## DONATIONS NEEDED!

**Tombola  
prizes**

Please donate any new & unused boxed gifts: Wine, toiletries, toys, chocolates, etc.

**Cuddly  
toys**

Please donate washed cuddly toys in good condition for our teddy tombola.

**Cakes &  
sweet treats**

Please bring your donations of cakes or other sweet treats (no nuts please) to the office on the day of the fair

**Goody  
Bags**

Your child will bring a small clear sealable bag home. Please fill this with any small pre-loved toys or other bits n bobs. Extra bags can be collected from the office

**DROP YOUR DONATIONS AT THE OFFICE**

**HUGE THANKS FOR  
YOUR SUPPORT!**

