



## BREAKFAST BOXES

We are delighted to have teamed up with School Food Matters and are now able to offer our families who are entitled to Free School Meals and other vulnerable families with a free week's supply of breakfasts.

**Every week families can collect one Breakfast Box for each child. A Breakfast Box contains: 4 tins of Baked Beans, 2 L fresh milk, 1 Box of 24 Weetabix, 1 Loaf of wholemeal bread and 10 pieces of fruit.**

**The food is delivered on Wednesday, so parents can collect at the following times: Wednesdays: 4pm to 4:30pm. Thursdays: 9:45am to 10:15am and 4pm to 4:30pm**

Any food not collected at these times will be available for collection the following Monday when we also have our school food parcels and our Fare Share delivery of food.

Please bring at least one large bag with you as there is a lot to carry home!

## Weekly Update

We have successfully welcomed back Year 1 this week and look forward to seeing Year 6 next week. Reception children have continued to enjoy their time in school and we continue to be impressed by all of the home learning you are doing. Well done everyone.

Thank you to the parents who have been dropping off and collecting their children promptly at the times stated. If you arrive early, please stand on the pavement opposite the school entrance and wait to be called. Once your child has been dropped off or collected, please move away from the school gates so that we can safely help other parents and children.

We are ensuring the bubbles do not mix in school and would appreciate it if parents can do the same outside of school - thank you.

We will be sending home annual reports for every child on 10th July. They are slightly shorter than usual and relate to the children's learning up to March 2020.

Thank you for your support and understanding as always.

Chris Ashley-Jones  
Executive Headteacher



## New School meal price £2:20 from September

We have held our price for school meals at Hitherfield very successfully for a number of years. However, in order to ensure we continue to provide a high quality nutritious meal from September **meals will increase by 10p per day.**

This change will not affect those children who are entitled to free school meals through the Universal Free School Meals programme in Reception and years 1 and 2. In addition, if you think your child would be entitled to a free school meal through application please email [admin@hitherfield.co.uk](mailto:admin@hitherfield.co.uk)

## WILL YOU SING A SONG FOR WINDRUSH?



### Dear residents, partners and colleagues,

Today we have today launched an invitation for everyone in the borough to join a unique Lambeth-wide door step rendition of the Desmond Dekker song 'You Can Get It If You Really Want' in a new and social distancing friendly Windrush Day 2020 celebration on June 22.

Colourful Radio, at [colourfulradio.com](http://colourfulradio.com), will be broadcasting the song, and we are encouraging everyone to tune in. There is also be Windrush art and activities pack, created by a Brixton-based artist Carolyne Hill, to support the celebration. It contains a specially designed motif which features on posters for people to decorate and then put in their windows, on their front doors and in their gardens. There is also Windrush bunting for people to decorate and hang out.

The lyrics, artwork and special activities do to on the day can be downloaded from [love.lambeth.gov.uk/windrushday](http://love.lambeth.gov.uk/windrushday).

This year's Windrush celebration was developed during the Covid-19 lockdown and has been inspired by the weekly Clap for Carers and the huge contribution members of the Windrush generation have made in the battle against the coronavirus – often at great personal cost.

Lambeth Council and the Brixton Project have worked with local musicians to create the music for this safe mass participation event. The new recording of You Can Get It If You Really Want created for residents to sing-along to from their door step, front garden or window on Monday, June 22 at 10:27am – which is in referenced to 1,027 passengers aboard the Empire Windrush when it docked at Tilbury on 22 June 1948.

We have put this together as a fantastic celebration of the Windrush Generation, but also of our community and sense of unity in the face of adversity. So I'm asking everyone – businesses, schools and shops to play this song and join in on June 22 at 10:27am.

This celebration has added significance at a time when the Black

Lives Matter campaign has once again placed the spotlight on the racist and despicable treatment experienced by the Windrush Generation under the Hostile Environment Policy which ultimately destroyed many Black people's lives.

This celebration has been designed as an antidote to discrimination, highlighting the legacy of the Windrush generation whose Caribbean culture and traditions have been hugely influential on British culture, and are now reflected throughout the UK in music, food and fashion.

This year we also faced the COVID-19 pandemic which has again illustrated how ill-placed discrimination against Black people has been, and how the Windrush Generation is a group of people that keeps giving for Britain – with many members working on the front line of this crisis, in hospitals, on public transport and in care services helping save lives and look after those who are most at risk.

The Windrush Generation have made a tremendous contribution to British life and that has never been more evident or important to celebrate than now.

Jamaican born Desmond Dekker released "You Can Get It If You Really Want", which was written by Jimmy Cliff, in 1970 when it reached number two in the UK charts. Dekker, who later lived in south London and died in 2006 is now buried in Streatham Park Cemetery.

The song which was chosen in partnership with community representatives as it is uplifting, fun to join in singing and is instantly recognisable. A huge amount has changed since we began search for the song, but we hope you will all join in and create a moment of unity across Lambeth to acknowledge the Windrush Generation.

**Yours sincerely**

Cllr Sonia Winifred

Lambeth Council's Cabinet member for Equalities and Culture



## Bonjour home schoolies...

We hope that the films your teachers are sharing with you through Tapestry and Seesaw have been useful in supporting you with your home learning. We are trying to make sure that you have more of these as time goes on.

We wanted to remind you children how important it is to finish as many of the activities your teachers set as possible. We've found out that the children around the world who are doing best with their home learning are the ones who are really good at the dispositions we've been talking to you about since September! So...how about you get practising being curious (try and find things out for yourself), resilient (know that something is going to take a bit of time to work out and keep at it), creative (find different ways to present your activities and show your teachers on Seesaw or Tapestry) and reflective (think about how you might be able to change the way you do things to make them better and be able to see when you've done a great job – without an adult telling you!) Good luck!

Goodbye for now – tu nous manques,

Chris, Jacinta and the rest of the Hitherfield Team.

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## HAVE YOUR SAY

# Delivery of Better Start Services in Streatham

### Dear Children's Centre user

You are receiving this letter because our children's centre records show that you have used services at one of the children's centres in Streatham since January 2019.

Lambeth Council would like to hear your views on proposals about the places where children's centre services are delivered in Streatham from September 2020. The consultation is open until 9 August 2020.

**You can find out more about these proposals and tell us what you think by visiting [www.lambeth.gov.uk/streathambetterstart](http://www.lambeth.gov.uk/streathambetterstart)**

- Información adicional sobre las propuestas está disponible en español
- Pode encontrar mais informações sobre as propostas em Português
- Mogą Państwo znaleźć więcej informacji na temat proponowanych zmian w języku Polskim.
- Ulteriori informazioni sulle proposte sono disponibili in Italiano.
- Vous pouvez trouver de plus amples informations sur les propositions en français
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## Join the Silly Squad for a Summer of reading fun!

The Summer Reading Challenge 2020 has been launched! Create a free online profile to keep track of your books, reviews, and all of the special rewards you unlock along the way.

You'll also find heaps of super silly activities, quizzes, videos, games and more to keep you entertained at home.

This year's Challenge runs from June to September, so there is plenty of time to take part and get silly this summer.

**Head on over to <https://summerreadingchallenge.org.uk/> to start your seriously silly summer reading Challenge!**

In September your new teachers will be tallying up how many children from each house took part in the challenge and there will be a special treat for the winning house.