



# Stroud Green News

Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are all well – it's started to get really chilly as the Winter sets in so please remember to send your child to school with a nice warm winter coat, hat, gloves and scarf. (don't forget to pop their names on them).

There's just one more week to perfect your home making projects as our exhibitions start in the week commencing 4<sup>th</sup> December. I have reminded you of the dates and topics below. I hope you are all have fun and making some brilliant things. We can't wait to see what you have all made!

Year Group	Exhibition Date	Project
Year 3	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Homemade Bronze Age Tool
Year 6	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Written Fact File - Evolution (Topic linked Research Project)
Year 4	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Four Week Food Diary – Linked to Our Bodies
Reception	Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Homemade Rangoli Pattern (Diwali) – Patterns Topic
Year 1	Friday 8 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Junk Model of themselves – Linked to Our Bodies

Cal Shaw  
Head Teacher

## School Fees

### Polite reminder:

All services taken from school need to be paid for in advance. Sharon in the school office has recently taken over the support of fee collection and is always happy to help. If you are unsure if you owe money to the school or how much you may owe you can contact either her or Tara who are both happy to help.

If for any reason you are struggling with mounting school debts please please speak to us as we want to help!

## DEADLINE FOR RECEPTION APPLICATIONS

If you have a child who will be turning five before 31<sup>st</sup> August 2018 you need to make an application for a place in our Reception before 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018.

**Please don't miss out on a place by missing the deadline.**

## Stroud Green Christmas Trail 2017

Join this year's amazing Stroud Green Christmas Trail on Sat 2 and Sun 3 December. Lots of lovely independent shops and businesses will be offering Christmas freebies and drinks including chocolates, candles, decorations and vouchers from 12.00 - 17.00. All you have to do is collect a Trail Map from one of the 26 shops involved on Stroud Green Road, grab a hamper bag from MoseyHome, Pretty Shiny Shop, The Deli at 80, Davies & Davies or Blue Tit and get filling it with all the goodies. If you also collect 8 stickers on your trail map (one from each shop) the map will show you where you can enjoy a free drink. Share the festive feeling!

Dear Parents/Carers

**Raise free donations for Friends of Stroud Green School** when you shop online this Black Friday week.

Whenever you buy anything online, you could be raising a free donation through easyfundraising.

There are over 3,300 retailers including Amazon, John Lewis, eBay, Booking.com and Sainsbury's, ready to give a free donation every time you shop online.

It's really simple, and doesn't cost you anything.

All you have to do is:

Go to: <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/invite/32OLIO/75NNFZ>

Enter Friends of Stroud Green School - Finsbury Park, London in the search box

Click Join Us and enter your details and click on Create My Account

Choose from over 3,300 retailers, do your online shopping as normal and our cause will receive a free donation at no extra cost to you for every purchase you make.

Plus, sign up before the end of November and get a bonus £2 donation when you raise your first donation.

Thank you for your support, you'll be helping to make a real difference

**Friends of Stroud Green School**

## Christmas Jumper Day

It's time to dig out that Christmas jumper, dangle those burbles, drape the tinsel to show us your Christmas style!

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December** come to school in your best Christmas jumper – bring a donation for our Christmas fair such a chocolates, wine, smelly



## KS2 Stars of the Week



## Stroud Green Staff nominated for awards!

I am delighted to announce that three members of staff at Stroud Green have been nominated for Haringey awards in this year's Outstanding for All Award event at Alexandra Palace.

Ms Shaw has been shortlist to acknowledge the tremendous rate of improvement she has brought about in our school since starting in January 2017.

Lucy has been shortlisted for her long serving and tireless management of our holiday and after school provision. She has given many years of dedicated and committed support which we are delighted has at last been acknowledged.

Jo Bartlett has been nominated for her tremendous work at Stroud Green over the last 30 years; for her work as a teacher and now a leader of special education.

Awards are presented on Monday evening – I will let you know how we get on!

### Parents/Carers Survey Summer 2017

Alongside the Newsletter is the findings from the survey that the Governors conducted for the last academic year.

### School Photos

The deadline for the return of school photos has been extended to Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> November.