



Stroud Green News

Dear Parents/Carers

It's been a really busy few weeks since half term and I feel like I haven't been able to be out and about on the playgrounds as much to say hello! I have however, been busy in school running a new consultation with children about school lunches and how we can encourage more children to eat our yummy hot food. If your children are eating packed lunches I will be writing to you separately next week to find out more information.

You will have also received in the last couple of weeks our overview on home learning, an introduction to mymaths and guidance on home learning expectations at home. I am also hoping you will have noticed that I have organised regular after school exhibitions of children's home make projects to celebrate their successes and achievements – please do try and come and see the exhibitions which take place in the lower hall. We have been looking more closely at school trips to enrich and add something special to your child's learning. All the trips have been linked to their topic learning and where specific workshops are available at London Museums we have been making sure these are booked. Next term we will be looking at some trips outside London so please watch this space

Cal Shaw
Head Teacher

November

Dates for your Diary

Mon 20 th	Year Six children to Pendarren
Mon 20 th	Year Five trip to British Museum
Tues 21 st	Year four trip to Science Museum – It takes Guts Workshop
Thurs 23 rd	Year Two Theatre visit – Fresh Water Theatre company
Thurs 23 rd	Visit from School Nurse talk on Healthy Eating for Year One
Fri 24 th	Year 5 children to Royal Opera House, Central London
Mon 27 th	Reception trip Radha-Krishna Temple, Soho linked to patterns
Mon 27 th	Year Two Cake sale after school
Tues 28 th	- Nursery Parents Evening

December

Dates for your Diary

Fri 1 st	Year Three Trip to British Museum – Bronze Age workshop
Fri 1 st	Christmas Jumper Day
Mon 4 th	Last Day to order Christmas Lunch
Mon 4 th	Year Three Exhibition – homemade Bronze Age tool
Tues 5 th	Year Six Exhibition – Evolution Fact files
Wed 6 th	Year Four Music Concert 11am
Wed 6 th	Year Four Exhibition – Food Diaries
Thurs 7 th	Year R Exhibition – Rangoli Patterns
Thurs 7 th	Nursery Parents Evening
Fri 8 th	Stroud Green Bake Off Assembly
Fri 8 th	Year One Exhibition – Model of themselves
Sat 9 th	Christmas Fair
Tues 12 th	Junior Carol Concert
Wed 13 th	Christmas Lunch
Thurs 14 th	Early Years Christmas Show
Fri 15 th	Year 1 & 2 Christmas Show
Tues 19 th	Christmas Discos
Wed 20 th	END OF TERM

Christmas Lunch

Reminder: This year you can come and eat Christmas lunch with your child on **Wednesday 13th December 2017** – you need to book and pay for your lunch by **Monday 4th December 2017**



Year Five Greek Day – Wednesday 15th November 2017

Pupils in Year 5 had a very exciting afternoon 'living' the Greek experience! Some of the children dressed up as Ancient Greek gods and goddesses, ate Greek foods, listened to Greek music and made beautiful head dresses - as you can see, they looked fabulous. The afternoon was completed with an amazing Greek dance in Vermeer Class, it was so exciting, even Ms Amonsingh and Mr Fisher joined in, although they were nowhere near as good as the children!

Well done Year 5



Bulb Planting

The Hope Play Space
(Finsbury Park)

The School and community are coming together to plant Bulbs in Finsbury Park.

We are organising a planting session on Saturday 2nd December 2017 between 10am -12.30pm.

We do need adult helpers so please come along, we need your help!

We will also be taking KS1 to plant bulbs on the following days:

- ❖ Monday 4th December – Year 2
- ❖ Tuesday 5th December – Nursery
- ❖ Wednesday 6th December – Reception and Year 1.

If you have any spare time please feel free to come along.

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 31st August 2018 you need to make an application for a place in our Reception before 15th January 2018.

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