

Friday 9th November 2018

Message from the head



Do please have a look at our revamped website which will be featuring events in **Anti-Bullying Week (next week)** when we will be teaching children what to do if they come across bullying. Along with the national campaign the theme for the week is CHOOSE RESPECT and we have 4 key things we want to get across: * **The definition of respect** * **That bullying is a behaviour choice** * **That we can respectfully disagree with each other i.e. we don't have to be best friends or always agree with each other, but we do have to respect each other** * **That we all need to choose to respect each other both face-to-face and online.**

Please help to reinforce these points at home, as well as reading the leaflet which will come home with your child on Monday and discussing it with them. Thank you.

Dates for your calendar

Please check our website for term dates for the full year.

12th -16th November	Anti-Bullying Week
16th November	Children in Need After School Tea
21st November	Year 6 to the National Theatre
29th November	Parent Conferences 1.30 - 7.00pm
3rd December	Tahiti to CLC
4th December	Hawaii to CLC
7th December	Christmas Fair
11th December	Year 5 to Unicorn Theatre Nursery Show 2pm
12th December	Reception show 2pm
13th December	Mersea Class show 2pm
18th December	Year 1 show 2pm
20th December	Year 2 show 2pm
21st December	Last Day of Term—School closes 2pm
24th - 6th January	SCHOOL CLOSED, CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS
7th January	INSET day, school closed
8th January	School opens for children
15th January	Curriculum Meetings Nursery, Y1, Y3 & Y5 (3.35pm)
17th January	Curriculum Meetings Nursery, Y2, Y4 & Y6 (3.35pm)



Anti-bullying Week launches on Monday 12th November.

The school office will be selling 'Choose Respect' anti-bully wristbands for £1.00. Show your commitment to choosing respect & beating bullies by wearing yours.

Also Monday 12th is 'Odd Socks Day'. We would like everyone to wear odd socks on this day to underline the message that it is good to be different.



BRILLIANT BRECKNOCK!

We are extremely pleased to announce that our new school video is up and running on the website. Thank you to everyone who took part.

If you haven't watched it yet, please visit <https://www.brecknock.camden.sch.uk/>



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WELL DONE!



A massive well done to the year 5 and 6 girls and boys football teams for winning their first 3 games. We are looking forward to next week's games.



Please be reminded that the date for Parent Consultation meetings is **Thursday 29th November 1:00 – 6:45pm.** Look out for the letter which will be coming home and then book an appointment with your children's class teacher for this important meeting.



Wrap Up London is back for the 8th year running, we are collecting your old, unwanted coats and giving them to charities that support the homeless, refugees, children living in poverty and people fleeing domestic violence (to name a few).

You can donate your coat at the following Tube Stations between Monday 12th – Wednesday 14th November (7am – 11am).

Kings Cross—Find us at the north entrance to the tube station off Pancras Road, in the Northern Ticket Hall.

London Bridge—Find us by the main pillar in the middle of the tube station foyer. We are opposite the Jubilee Line gates.

Victoria—Find us at the bottom of the stairs by the underground entrance (use one of the "original" entrances just outside the main station)

As well as at Canary Wharf, Liverpool Street and Waterloo.

Year 6 Trips—Sumatra and Madagascar visited The Imperial War Museum last Friday as part of their War & Peace topic.



TEACHER OF THE YEAR

We were lucky to have Colin Hegarty, UK teacher of the Year, visit the school on Tuesday. He spoke about the importance of maths and how you can help your child at home.



School Council News

This week we voted for our publicity officer and the winner is Muhanad from Hawaii, Year 4 class.

Congratulations as it was a very close vote. We are now looking at school dinners and are asking for children to say what they do like and don't like about school dinners. Please tell your Councillors from your class.

By Muhanad (Publicity officer)



Non-School Uniform

FRIDAY 16th NOVEMBER

In support of Children In Need, we will be having a non-school uniform day on Friday 16th November.

Wear your spottiest, brightest and most colourful clothes.

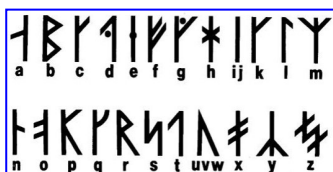
Bring in £1 and all the money goes direct to Children In Need.

Don't forget the afternoon tea on the same day. Please bring in any food donations before Friday home time.

And you can still guess the malteasers in the jar at the school office. 50p a guess.



Sicily class visited the Clock Tower park on Tuesday this week. They took their lesson on the Vikings and the "rune alphabet" outdoors to search for natural materials to recreate their names using the Viking alphabet.



Nursery On Parade !

Nursery class this term are thinking all about clothes and all the different clothes we wear every day. They held a truly awesome clothes parade last week.



Golden Book Awards! And this weeks winners are...



Hazal & Ramzi—Mull, Mustafa & Marlei—Skye, Aliya & Austin—Guernsey, Layan & Alex—Jersey, Shayan & Al Majid—Y3, Paris & Sabrina—Y4, Lok & Jannah—Y5, Shakhan & John—Y6