



The Camelot

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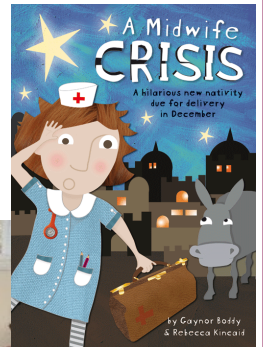
Spring Term 2019 starts— Monday 7th January—8.45 a.m.
Spring Term Parents Evening - Tuesday 22nd January
between 1.30—6.30 p.m.

Christmas Celebrations

All the staff wish
the children and
their parents/
carers a very
Happy Christmas



Thank you for
celebrating our end
of term and
Christmas
celebrations .
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Half century of The Camelot Newsletters

The Camelot was established in 2016 response to feedback from parents/carers, governors and staff about a channel of communication for sharing news, highlights and events linked to the new exceptional everyday culture at Camelot School. The current feedback continues to be highly positive and many people report that they value the communication that The Camelot brings. That said, your feedback is always appreciated with ways to further improve this line of communication. Paper copies are available in the school office and all parents/carers are emailed a copy of the newsletter as well as it appearing on the school website. Thank you.

School Christmas Fair Total

An exceptional thanks is owed to Miss Lou for running our school Christmas Fair. We had so much fun and are thrilled to confirm that over £800 has been raised for school funds. The children have asked that monies is spent on playground improvements, events and equipment.

Thank you to all our supporters and to all the different ways that you all add so much to our exceptional school.

**Year 2 raise money for World Wildlife Fund
£40 from sales of bracelets made by the children
Well done to Year 2 who want to protect endangered animals
such as tigers and gorillas/orangtuans**



Christmas Concert Extravaganza

We have sung,
we have played our Ukuleles,
our djembe drums
and had lots of fun!



Music at Camelot

Music has really accelerated in terms of the standards produced by the children and we are so grateful for the work of Miss Lucy in this area



The Writing of our Year 6 Premier League Stars

Our Year 6 writers have entered the Premier League Poetry Competition and here are a sample of their poems

Write your poem here:

The purpose of Diversity
Diversity is the definition of UNITY
The mountain of people who have wanted to bring you
down push your self up onto the mountain you have
always aimed for
Reach for the Stars and negative ethos won't bring you
down
Don't let people judge you by your race, ethnicity or the
way you act
Fight for who you really are, inside of you
Why does the way we look need to be defined?
Yellow
Pink
Red
Never judge anyone by their appearance!

Write your poem here:

My diverse city!
London has diversity
London is diverse city
From Afghanistan to Zimbabwe
We're A to Z complexity.
I'm diverse too
Sister, daughter and cousin too
British, London and Nigerian
Proud to be descendant
of my octogenarian

Write your poem here: Determination for the nation

If you reach for the stars let people knock you down
You can reach very far but take a rest at the clouds
Be determined, don't give it up
Be determined, you might just have some luck
Be different, be big or small
Be different, we are one, different parts of the
puzzle trying to fit in.

Write your poem here:

Respect is the least we can show,
Let's show courage and stick together;
If we stick together as a team, we can grow,
We show our school values to become better.

Let's show our true identity,
It doesn't matter if they judge us,
We are an entity,
Come together as a group and discuss.

What makes us different is the key,
What makes us different is our:

DIVERSITY!

Write your poem here:

Unite!
We may be black, we may be white
But we all fit in just right
So tell me why do we fight?
Is that friendship I see in the light
Why does peace have to be a dying flower
Why can't it be a momentous tower
We wouldn't have to apologise to our generation
Because we could be one united nation.



Camelot Primary School

Autumn 2018



Knight of the Term Award

is proudly presented to
the children listed below

in acknowledgement of their
exceptional commitment to our
school values.

*Honesty – Responsibility – Communication – Understanding –
Courage – Resilience – Grit - Determination*

Our Knights of Term for Autumn 2018 are:

- Year 6:** Leyla, Abdulai, Aminat, Lester, James and Shakia
- Year 5:** Osman, Mariam N, Lateefat and Victor
- Year 4:** Sadaf, Kayana, Rodiat, Aymene, Raluca and Favour
- Year 3:** Kyle, Aaron, Canaan and Dennis
- Year 2:** Abdelrahman, Anaiah, Azjanai and Jalilah
- Year 1:** Diane, Amarian, Neriah, Nicole

These children are knighted for their qualities that make them true Camelot Knights... courageous in tackling problems, determined to succeed, responsible in their contributions and always honest.

We look forward to knighting more young Knights of the future at the end of the Spring Term and when we reach 2019. Happy New Year to all.



Literacy
Lab

WORKING IN PARTNERSHIP WITH

Camelot
Primary School

IS YOUR CHILD STRUGGLING WITH READING OR WRITING?

**If your child lacks confidence in reading,
writing or any other area of literacy,
The Children's Literacy Charity can help!**

Run in partnership with Camelot Primary School, our Community Literacy Lab is delivered by our expert tutors and designed to support your child's individual needs. We cover everything from reading and writing to spelling and comprehension.

Who? Any child aged 5–14.

When? Saturdays, 10am–12noon.

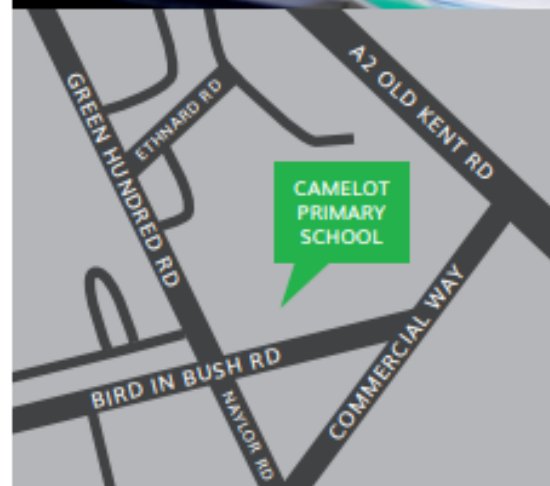
How much? £5.

Do they need to come every week?

Yes, regular on-going support makes the biggest difference to children's development. We ask you to commit to bringing your child for 12 sessions.

Where? Camelot Primary School,
Bird in Bush Road, Peckham, London SE15 1QP.

**Book your child's place at
our Community Literacy Lab:**



020 7740 1008 community@theclc.org.uk

TheChildrensLiteracyCharity @childsliteracy www.thechildrensliteracycharity.org.uk

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Beat The Street Southwark



Community Legacy Event

Join us to celebrate the success of Beat The Street Southwark including;

- Programme of free sporting taster sessions for all the family to enjoy
- Meet Community Groups and Sporting Clubs
- Free raffle ticket for all attendees to win a £50 voucher
- Community ideas forum – what would you like to see and do in your area to stay fit, healthy and active?
- Beat The Street prize for the first 20 children who attend
- Free refreshments

Date: Sunday 20th January 2019

Time: 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Venue: Burgess Park Community Sports Centre, Cobourg Road, London, SE5 0JD

Admission: Free

****Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult**

For more information contact

sally.heron@intelligenthealth.co.uk or Sam.Bodmer@southwark.gov.uk

<https://beatthestreet.me/southwark>



Pupil Progress Update

Mr Benoit, the school's deputy headteacher leading in this area has met all the Autumn Term targets for tracking pupil progress and he and the teachers are looking forward to sharing the outcomes of how your child is doing in their school work at the **Parents Evening on Tuesday 22nd January.**

Please note, to ensure every parent can be offered a full ten minute appointment with their class teacher to go through any pupil progress tracking information as well as having time to look at English, Maths and Curriculum books then we are asking that all children are picked up at 1.00 p.m. on this date so appointments can start from 1.30 p.m. with the teachers.

Appointments will go on across the whole afternoon and evening until 6.45 p.m. Thank you for your support and understanding in this matter.

Positive Praise for Progress at Camelot

Southwark Council's Family Early Help Service gave high praise for the work of the school leaders and Inclusion team at Camelot who were noted for their tireless work in areas of pupil and family support.

Particular note was paid to the work of the school's Special Educational Needs Co-ordinator, Miss Oliver; the Family Support Team of Miss Wilkinson and Miss Armstrong; the school's Learning Mentor, Miss Lou and Miss Eastwood, the school's deputy headteacher leading in this area.

An exceptional bunch of tireless workers in terms of deserving praise from us all including any parent/carers seeing them every day!

Exceptional News for Camelot! Swimming restarts in January 2019

The problems at the swimming pool are resolved and we restart swimming lessons after the holiday. The first year group to attend swimming will be Year 4. Swimming happens on Tuesday afternoon and any parental support to escort the children to St Thomas the Apostle College and back is greatly appreciated. Please speak to your child's class teacher if you can support.

Please note swimming is one of the compulsory areas of the UK education system for which all pupils are required to participate.

Children can not be refused the opportunity to learn to swim on any grounds other than a medical condition diagnosed by medical professionals.

Southwark Clubs List—Recommendations for Camelot School

Club	Contact	Location
Canada Water Tennis Club	info@cwtennis.co.uk QUERIES: 07774 728 225	Bacons College Sports Centre, Timber Pond Road, Rotherhithe, SE16 6AT
Southwark Aquatics Swimming	Email: info@southwarkaquatics.co.uk	Seven Islands Leisure Centre, 100 Lower Road, SE16 2TU
Southwark Athletics Centre	Tel: 02077353294	Hawkstone Road, London SE16 2PE
Southwark Tigers Rugby Club	Email: southwarktigers@gmail.com Telephone: 07703052759	Burges Park Caged Area, Southwark Tigers RFC, Cobourg Road, SE5 0JB
Taekwondo Southwark	Email: sarah.garrett@taekwondo-london.co.uk	Downside Fisher, Druid St, London SE1 2EZ/ Harris Academy Bermondsey,
Seven Islands Gymnastics	emily@j-ace.co.uk	Seven Islands Leisure Centre, 100 Lower Road, Surrey Quays London SE16 2TU
Peckham Mini Athletics	http://www.miniathletics.com/	Copleston Road, London, SE15 4AN
Walters Taekwondo	Tel: 07854 021 311 Website: http://www.walterstaekwondo.com	Walters Family School of Taekwondo, 1st Floor Khan's Bargains, 135 Rye Lane, Peckham Rye,
All Stars Cricket Alleyn	Tel: 07710326939 Website: http://www.allstarscricket.co.uk	Alleyn Cricket Club The Edward Alleyn Club 83-85 Burbage Road, SE24 9HD
Millwall Toddler Soccer	The Castle Centre - 0333 005 0411	The Castle Leisure Centre, 2 St. Gabriel Walk, SE1 6FG
Fusion Table Tennis	Phone: 07958 713 002 or: 07831 808 400	Fusion Table Tennis Club Unit 2, Stockholm Road London, SE16 3LP
Thunder Storm Basketball	Tel: 0207237 8515 info@thunderbasketball.net	The Thunderdome, Stockholm Road, London SE16 3LP
Southwark Legends Basketball	info@newhamoungbloods.co.uk con- tact@newhamyoungbloods.co.uk	
The Lockwood Football Academy/ Walworth Wanderers	Tel: 079818866873 TheLockwoodFootballAcademy@gmail.com	Browning Street Cage, SE17 1LP (Monday 6-7:30) Burgess Park Cage Area, Cobourg Road, SE5 0JB (Thursday 5:30-7:00) The Castle Leisure Centre, SE1 6FG (Friday 6:30-7:30)