

The Camelot

Monthly Newsletter No. 106 July One 2020-2021



## We forgot one of our fun hashtags! #theonlyschool

Earlier this month, Camelot School passed 200 laptops distributed to its pupils and now aims to hit the 250 target by the end of term. 75% of pupils to go home this summer with their own permanently loaned laptop purchased by their school.
How many primary other schools in Southwark or across the UK can claim to achieved such a target. Camelot School.... *#exceptionaleveryday.... #theonly school*

Remember, every child (Year 1 to 5 currently) attending Camelot School at this time receives a free laptop; free holiday club provision; an exceptional primary school and an exceptional day everyday... how many schools can beat this?! *#theonlyschool* 

Thank you to all those who contributed to our recent crowdfunding appeal and to the school governors, Southwark Council's laptop appeal and the Department for Education in helping us reach this target.

### #stopthedigitaldivide

Free Summer Fun and Food for Camelot pupils

(Year 1 to Year 5 children priority and for pupils receiving FSM or NRPF support as priority as well)

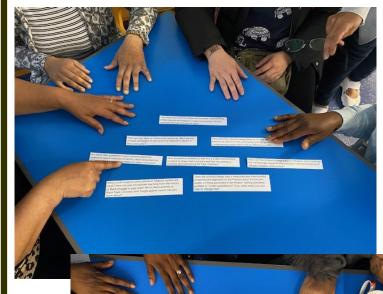
Apply by sending a text or WhatsApp message to the Camelot CHAMPS phone number 07931 606456. Please include your child's name and Year Group in the message.

We're on! Sign up today First come first served!

Summer CHAMPS is planned to take place every week between Monday 26th July and Friday 20th August (daily from 10.00 a.m.) with lunch included

Every child attending CHAMPS can attend free after paying a one off annual registration of £25. CHAMPS t-shirts will be provided for all children

## Parent Forum to discuss the impact of Race on our children's education June 2021—Meeting Number One



#### Key priorities from Parents Forum:

Group 1: How does your school/college demonstrate understanding of the cultures and religions in your community? Do you celebrate festivals and special days?

Group 2: How can you draw on community resources, Black parents or local campaigns to plan action to respond to racism in the community?

Group 3: Are there clear guidelines in your school/college for parents to report instances of racism, racial harassment or victimisation? Are parents confident to report concerns?

Group 4: Same as Group 2



Aims: The school is keen to meet with those parents/carers/family members who can support us on our journey towards improving the outcomes for our children through the education they receive.

Outcome: The best Primary School in the UK for Black British pupils... simple!



Attending the meeting: 25 parents/carers representing the views of the whole school community.\*

Mr Robinson and Miss Voncken, representatives of the school's Race Identity Working Party

 possibly the best ever attendance for a parent consultation meeting held at school. Exceptional!

Thank you to all those attending and we look forward to seeing you all at Meeting Number Two planned for September 2021.



# CHAMPS registration is via a text message to 07931 616456 (the CHAMPS phone number)

The message is... If you might wish to want your child to attend either or a short time this summer or for the whole four weeks you must register for a place by texting the number above with your child's name and year group (Children in Year 1 to Year 5 are invited\*)

# Take the necessary action today so your child doesn't miss out this summer.

\* The school is only able to offer places to children able to integrate into the group structure of CHAMPS. Additional one to one support is not available at this time

## **Camelot Sports News Update**

### **Sports Day 2021 Plans** Please note change in plans

#### Monday 19th July

Year 2 to Year 6 children 9.30—11.30 a.m. (not Year 1 children)

Burgess Park Caged Area... all invited to support

### Tuesday 20th July

Nursery, Reception, Year 1 9.15–10.30 a.m.

At Camelot in the ballcourt Again all invited to support



Our Girls Football Team is truly... Exceptional! Winners of this tournament and captained by player of the tournament Sophia Grant





Slogan T-shirt Winners who made us smile!









Painting lessons were another way.







Fruit Kebab making was one of the fun ways we learned this week



## **Update on Summer Plans**

## Summer Showcasing moved to a date at the end of term

The teachers and the children still want to showcase their books and classrooms to their parents and carers. The likely date of this event will now be Tuesday 20th July when books will be able to be taken home as well.

#### School Sports Day-Monday 19th July a.m. (Year 2-6 pupils)

Pleasingly, this annual event in the school's calendar looks likely to be able to go ahead without restrictions. All parents/carers and family members should be able to celebrate the first morning living without government recommended restrictions in the Burgess Park caged area supporting their children in Sports Day events.

Early Years and Year One Sports Day—Tuesday 20th July at school

### End of term—Wednesday 21st July—from midday onwards

+ Summer CHAMPS—four weeks from Monday 26th July

## Year 6 Summer 2021 plans following on from government announcements regarding continued restrictions

Unfortunately, increasingly our plans are being affected by government announcements but it looks as if we will be able to condense many celebrations of our Year 6 children into the final week of term, commencing Monday 19th July as follows:

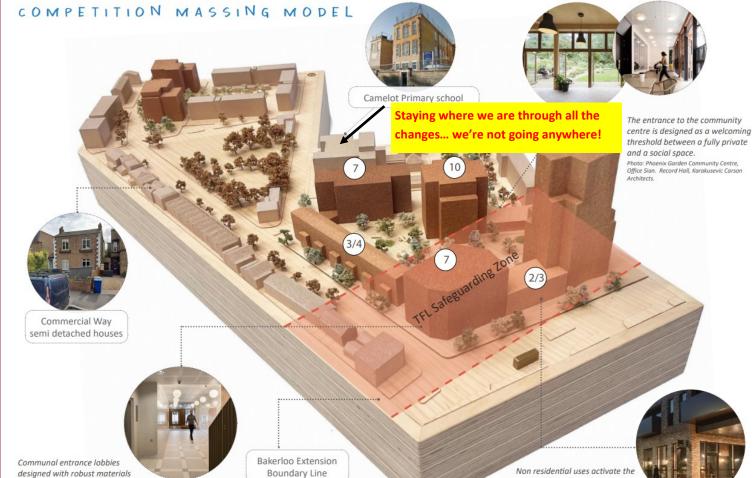
Monday 19th July: School Sports Day a.m. Graduation ceremony 5.00—6.00 p.m. Please note all restrictions are due to be lifted on this date so all family members will be able to attend to see the Year 6 children graduate

Tuesday 20th July:Year 6 Leavers Party 5.00—6.30 p.m.We will be request parental support with food for this event or a financial contribution<br/>to party subject to feedback from the children over their plans for this party.

Wednesday 21st July: Last school day—finishing at 12.00 noon



#### The Camelot School Local Area is changing Please see information available in your local area



and generous daylight Photo: Kings Cresce Architecte c Carsor Boundary Line

main Old Kent Road frontage. Photo: Great Eastern Building, Karakusevic Carson Architects Every child has brought home a flyer in paper format—please do pass this flyer on to neighbours, friends or family where you know they may be interested in this offer (with a child about to join Nursery)









## **Camelot School Nursery** from September 2021... the most exceptional offer in Southwark\*

Our Nursery will offer free places for 35 hours a week, 5 days a week to every nursery aged child.

Free breakfast, Free lunch, Exceptional Everyday... and part of the Camelot family!

Apply now via the school office or by contacting either 02076390431 or 07931615568

\* Southwark schools offer 15 free hours as statutory and in certain circumstances 30 free hours but at Camelot in 2021/22 it will be 35 free hours... #theonlyschool.... Please tell your neighbours and friends in case they miss out on our limited number of places.



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Camelot School, Bird in Bush Road, North Peckham, SE15 1QP (just off the Old Kent Road)



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#### Please remember the new academic year starts on Thursday 2nd September for all children in Year One to Year Six

## Camelot School Term and Holiday dates

#### Academic year 2021/2022

#### Autumn term 2021

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2021 to Friday 22 October 2021 (36 school days) Mid term Inset Day Friday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2021 Half Term Monday 25th October 2021 to Friday 29th October 2021 Monday 1st November 2021 to Friday 17 December 2021 (33 school days) Mid term Inset Day Friday 26th November 2021

## Spring term 2022

- Tuesday 4th January 2022 to Friday 11th February 2022 (29 school days) Half Term Monday 14th February 2022 to Friday 19th February 2022
  - Monday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2022 to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April 2022 (30 school days)

#### Summer term 2022

- Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2022 to Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May 2022 (28 school days) Half Term Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2021 to Friday 3<sup>th</sup> June 2021
- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June 2022 to Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2022 (34 school days)

Total number of days for children in school: 190

#### Inset Days: 5 days for staff only

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2021 Friday 1st October 2021 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2021 Monday 6th June 2022 Monday 25th July 2022

#### Public holidays

Christmas Day – Saturday 25th December 2021

Boxing Day Holiday – Monday 27<sup>th</sup> December 2021

New Years Day – Saturday 1st January – Bank Holiday Monday 3rd January 2022

- Good Friday Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2022
- Easter Sunday Sunday 17th April 2022
   Easter Monday Monday 18th April 2022
- May Day Bank Holiday Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2022
- Spring Bank Holiday Monday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2022