



The Camelot

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Christmas at Camelot

A time to celebrate



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Thursday 16th December **Colourful Jumper Day**

Everyone is invited to wear their most colourful jumper over their school uniform (please do not wear other home clothes.. it is a colourful jumper and school uniform day!)

Christmas Lunch

If your child usually has a packed lunch then this is one day when we recommend they join in the school lunch. Mr Carlos always excels himself and produces an exceptional traditional Christmas lunch

See Page 3 of this newsletter regarding

Christmas Trees.. plus free ones

End of the year at Camelot

A time to reflect and celebrate

2021... tougher than 2020?

A whole year where we have been unable to provide the education planned to be offered due to restrictions imposed on us. It is noted that during this time, Camelot children have attended school in above national average numbers which in terminology used by Ofsted is "outstanding".

Well done and thank you to all our parents and carers for your support at this time. It seemed a good time to remind you all of the message from governors from July.



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An exceptional Thank You from the school governors and leadership

Our governing body, supported by our school leaders, met this week to reflect on the truly exceptional year behind us. While the events of 2020 were a shock to our lives and our society it has been noted that education and our children have borne much of the impact of the challenges of 2021.

What has been noticed at Camelot has been truly exceptional support from parents/carers/our community towards ensuring we give our children the best possible education at this time. We are enormously proud of all the Camelot pupils, parents/carers, community and staff and governors and school leaders want to pass on their exceptional Thank You to all

Please remember the Autumn Term finishes next

Friday 17th December from 12.00 noon

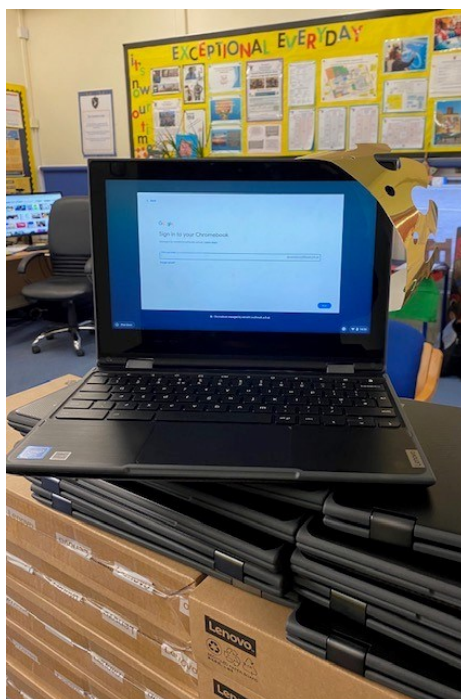
School restarts for all pupils on Wednesday 5th January

Happy holidays in the meantime and Happy Christmas if you celebrate this wonderful festival at this time of year

Surely not again... this time Year One and every child in the school!

Laptops for all Year 1 children now sourced!

(laptops to be distributed before the end of term)



Every child in Year 1 to Year 6 can now access their Google Classroom page should the need arise (remember what happened last year!)

We are amazed by ourselves on some occasions and this time this is one of these occasions!

With the generous support of Southwark Council and the Department for Education we have sourced laptops for Year 1 to add to those already provided to all other year groups. The laptop is a permanent loan from the school for the time children attend Camelot School.

Please return any laptop, charger and carrycase when your child leaves Camelot.

Please note, we cannot replace broken laptops due to preventable damage and request that parents/carers replace faulty chargers (costing approximately £20).

Southwark Council
southwark.gov.uk

Southwark's WINTER OF FOOD AND FUN

Activity programme for children and young people

20 December – 31 December 2021

www.southwark.gov.uk/foodandfun

Funded by
Department for Education

CHAMPS SE15

Southwark Council
southwark.gov.uk

Contact our providers to sign up

ANGELS BREAKFAST AND AFTER-SCHOOL CLUB
Ages: 4 to 11
Pelican Plus Hall, Grumant Road, Crane House, Pelican Estate, SE15 5NF
07957 472 504
angelsbreakfastafterschoolclub@gmail.com

ASTLEY & COOPER TENANTS' AND RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION
Ages: 8 to 18
ASCO Hall, 375 Old Kent Road, Wessex House, SE1 5JQ
07780 383 563
secretaryascotra@gmail.com

BEDE HOUSE ASSOCIATION
Ages: 8 to 18
Bede Centre, Abbeyfield Road, SE16 2BS
020 7231 6027
07979 386 215
fokrulmeah@bedehouse.org
www.bedehouse.org.uk

BERMONDSEY & ROTHERHITHE CHILDREN & FAMILY CENTRE
Ages: 4 to 11
Pilgrims Way Primary School, Manor Grove, SE15 1EF
0207 358 2878
www.br-cc.org.uk/br-cc

BETHWIN ROAD PLAYGROUND
Ages: 6 to 16
Bethwin Adventure Playground, 4 Bethwin Road, SE5 0HF
020 7703 4281
B.R.A.P.G@hotmail.com

BRANDON TENANTS' AND RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION
Ages: 8 to 16
Jack Hobbs Club, 224 Hillingdon Street, SE17 3JD
07780 383 563
b2socialclub@gmail.com

CAC SURREY DOCKS COMMUNITY WELFARE HUB
Ages: 4 to 16
Christ Apostolic Church Surrey Docks, 163 Iderton Road, South Bermondsey, SE16 3LA
07582 332 243
fabonjinimi@cacurreylocks.org
www.cacsurreylocks.org/community-welfare

CAMELOT SCHOOL'S CHAMPS
Ages: 5 to 11
Camelot School, Bird in Bush Road, SE15 1QP
07931 616 456
iali@camelot.southwark.sch.uk
www.camelotprimaryschool.co.uk

CELESTIAL CHURCH OF CHRIST AMAZING GRACE PARISH
Ages: 7 to 16
33 Sternhall Lane, SE15 4NT
020 3602 7479
amazing.grace.london@hotmail.co.uk

CITY HOPE CHURCH
Ages: 11 to 16
121 Drummond Road, Bermondsey, SE16 2JY
07463 338 311
kwame@cityhope.london
www.cityhope.co.uk

EARLY BLOOMERS
Ages: 4 to 11
Harris Primary Academy, 173 Lordship Lane, Dulwich, SE22 8HA
07742 213 056
admin@earlybloomers.co.uk

A Christmas Tree for your family?

If you can wait until Friday 17th December



Again this year, the school have been gifted two beautiful trees to sparkle and bring Christmas cheer to our school halls. The company who gifted the trees is recommended below and please do support them if you are buying a tree.

We would now like to share the joy of a Christmas tree with two Camelot families.

You will need to fit the following three criteria if you would like to be in with a chance of having one of the trees

delivered to your family next week. The criteria are:

- You will need a room that can fit a 2.5 metre/8 foot tree! (not every house)
- You live within walking distance of the school (school staff will walk the tree to you)
- You text the words "Christmas Trees" to Mr Robinson 07944 720606 before 4.00 p.m. on Monday 13th December when there'll be a draw for the two lucky families!



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PRODUCTS**

We are not permitted to advocate for a supermarket but...

If you are ever in Tesco in the locations below
please can you vote for Camelot School!

Supporting the Camelot School Breakfast and After School Provision has been nominated for the customer vote in Tesco stores January to March 2022.

Presently the school cannot afford to offer this provision and we have made a range of bids to charities and businesses to support our plans

Stores which will vote on your project Please see below a list of stores taking part in the voting on your project.

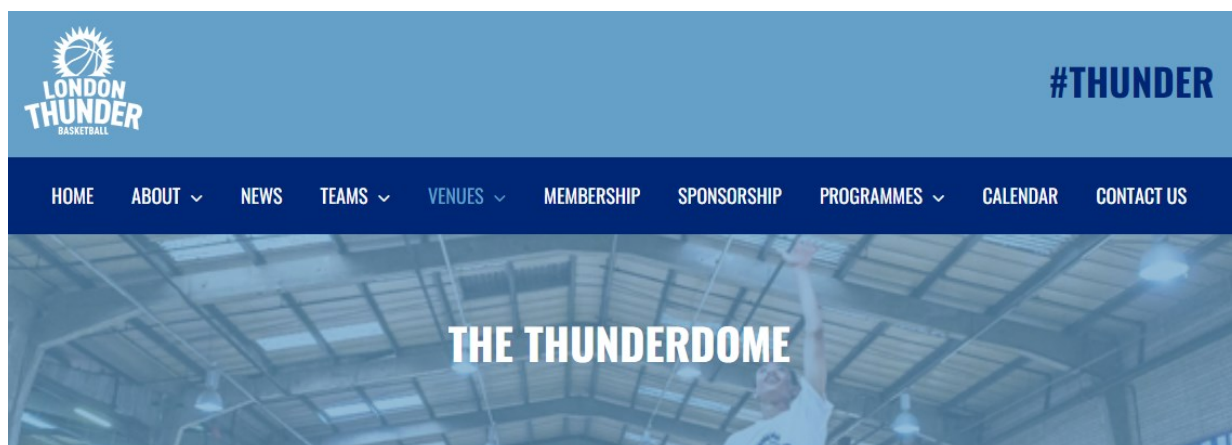
Brixton Superstore	SW2 5RS	Kennington Superstore	SE11 5QU
Stockwell Express	SW9 7AA	Waterloo Rd Express	SE1 8UL
The Dumont Express	SE1 7TJ	Denmark Hill Express	SE5 8EJ
St Georges Wharf Express	SW8 2JW	Clapham Oval Express	SW9 0HR
Lambeth Express	SE11 6HR	South Lambeth Express	SW8 2JU
Kennington Park Rd Express	SE11 4RS	Brixton Coldharbour Lane Express	SW9 8SE
London Herne Hill Express	SE24 0AH	Waterloo Baylis Express	SE1 7FN

"Camelot School are bidding for a cash boost from the Tesco Community Grants initiative. Tesco works with community charity Groundwork to run its community funding scheme, which sees grants of up to £1,500, £1,000 and £500 awarded to local community projects.

London Thunder—our local basketball team—located next to Millwall Football Ground is offering a holiday programme of Basketball for your children.

£10 a day during the holiday period. Contact The Thunder on

https://my.coacha.app/member_signup/Q3V9ZXA9LN



Venue Information

This venue has been transformed over the last 3 years from an empty warehouse into a vibrant sporting facility by London Thunder Basketball Club in partnership with the Surrey Canal Sports Foundation and other fantastic supporters.

- 2 full size sprung floor basketball courts
- Changing rooms
- Class/training room
- Seating
- Snack area

The Venue



2022 is the Queen's Platinum Jubilee year and all schools have been granted an additional holiday day to join in with celebrating and acknowledging this exceptional achievement by Her Majesty.

Our Camelot Term Dates have been varied accordingly and are confirmed below. Please note the Jubilee celebrations actually take place during the

Summer half term break in June 2022

Camelot School Term and Holiday dates

Academic year 2021/2022

Autumn term 2021

- Thursday 2nd September 2021 to Friday 22 October 2021 (36 school days)
Mid-term Inset Day Friday 1st October 2021
Half Term Monday 25th October 2021 to Friday 29th October 2021
- Monday 1st November 2021 to Friday 17 December 2021 (34 school days)
Mid-term Inset Day Friday 26th November 2021

Spring term 2022

- Wednesday 5th January 2022 to Friday 11th February 2022 (28 school days)
Half Term Monday 14th February 2022 to Friday 19th February 2022
 - Monday 21st February 2022 to Friday 1st April 2022 (30 school days)

Summer term 2022

- Tuesday 19th April 2022 to Friday 27th May 2022 (28 school days)
Half Term Monday 30th May 2021 to Friday 3rd June 2021
- Tuesday 7th June 2022 to Thursday 21st July 2022 (33 school days)

Total number of days for children in school: 189*

* linked to Queen's Platinum Jubilee in 2022

Inset Days: 5 days for staff only

Wednesday 1st September 2021

Friday 1st October 2021

Friday 26th November 2021

Tuesday 4th January 2022

Monday 6th June 2022

Queen Jubilee additional day – Friday 22nd July

“Please sign up for this highly recommended course if you are available. Parenting can be a tough ask and rarely does such an opportunity come up”

Empowering Parents Empowering Communities **Being a Parent Together:**

This 10-week online course helps co-parents learn practical skills for everyday life.

For co-parents with children aged 2-11 years.

Wednesday mornings, 10am to 12pm

Starting Wednesday 12th January 2022 for 10 weeks

(excluding February half term)

Dads and Mums want the best for their children, and sometimes it can be hard to agree about how to parent our children. This course, delivered by parents who have already benefited from this learning with their own children and families, will help you be the best for your children, whether you are living together or apart. Both parents need to attend and the group will help you to work together for your children. This course includes:

- Looking after yourselves as parents
- Recognise and manage your children's emotions
- Learn positive parenting strategies
- Support your children's resilience
- Work together as a team to support your children

For more information,
please contact Claire Gager
at Southwark Family Early
Help Parenting Team;

07547 659 646

[Claire.gager](#)

[@southwark.gov.uk](#)

*“It's been such a beneficial
course for both of us, not just as
parents but as individuals”*