



JPS News



Opening Doors to Make a Difference

Dear Parents/Carers,

What a term we have had! Thank you to each and every one of you for your support during this challenging time.

Our incredible Parents Teachers and Friends Association (PTFA) will have their Annual General Meeting (AGM) after Open Reading on Friday 7th November at West Norwood at 10:15am. We encourage everyone to attend! The PTFA are a vital resource for our school and arrange crucial fundraising to benefit all our children. The PTFA are responsible for funding Primary Shakespeare, the end of year pantomime performances, art projects such as our values mosaics, the Year 6 leavers books plus they have enabled us to work with Trees for Cities to revamp our outdoor areas on both sites, amongst many other projects. Volunteering with the PTFA is a great way to meet other parent/carers and be involved in our Julian's community whilst making a real impact on the education of your child. It's also really fun! Please come along and if you have any questions, please contact juliansptfa@gmail.com.

Wishing everyone a relaxing half term break
- see you in November!

Best wishes,
Alison and the team



A huge thank you to Vivum Music

We would like to acknowledge the exceptionally generous donation of £5,000 from Vivum Music to the PTFA, which has been ringfenced for the purchase of musical instruments and musical education.

Thomas Hewitt Jones of Vivum Music is a composer and music producer of commercial and concert music, receiving in excess of 20 billion streams worldwide with the global megahit 'Funny Song'. We are extremely grateful to Thomas and Vivum Music for such an incredible contribution.



School Calendar

Monday 3rd November - Term 2 commences

Friday 7th November - Open reading / PTFA AGM
@10:15 WN

Friday 5th December - Open reading / PTFA Coffee

Monday 8th December
WN 3/4 Christmas performance -Y3 families 10-11am;
WN 3/4 Christmas performance - Y4 families 2-3pm

Tuesday 9th December
STR 5/6 Christmas performance - Y5 families 10-11am
STR 5/6 Christmas performance - Y6 families 1-2pm

Wednesday 10th December
WN 5/6 Christmas performance -Y5 families 10-11am;
WN 5/6 Christmas performance - Y6 families 2-3pm

Thursday 11th December
STR 3/4 Christmas performance -Y3 families 10-11am;
STR 3/4 Christmas performance - Y4 families 1-2pm

Friday 12th December
WN Nursery AM Christmas performance 10-11am;
WN Nursery PM Christmas performance 2-3pm

Monday 15th December
WN Reception Christmas performance 10-11am

Tuesday 16th December
STR Reception Christmas performance 10-11am

Wednesday 17th December
WN 1/2 Christmas performance 1P/2R 10-11am;
WN 1/2 Christmas performance 1A/2V 2-3pm

Thursday 18th December
STR 1/2 Christmas performance 1J/2B 10-11am
STR 1/2 Christmas performance 1RN/2H 11:30-12:30pm
STR 1/2 Christmas performance 1RP/2MA 1-2pm

Friday 19th December - Term 2 ends; Christmas break

Monday 5th January 2026 - INSET

Tuesday 6th January 2026 - Start date for children

Friday 13th February 2026 - Term 3 ends

Our right of the week is:

Article 16- Protection of privacy

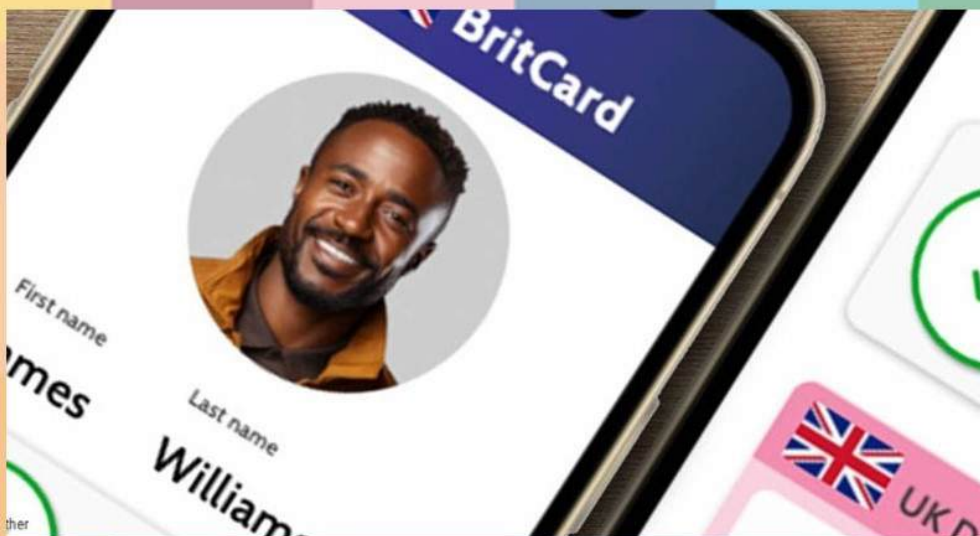
Children have the right to privacy and to feel safe when information is shared about them. Adults should make sure personal details are used responsibly and kept safe.



Julian's is a Rights Respecting school. We learn about a new right each week during Picture News class assemblies.

In Picture News this week, we will discuss:
EYFS+ KS1- What makes you who you are?

Primary- Should everyone have an identity card?



To learn more about Rights Respecting Schools please at the website:
<https://www.unicef.org.uk/rights-respecting-schools/>



Congratulations Oliver!

Recently, Oliver (6LS) ran the Westminster Mile. Oliver ran in 6m 40sec and came 4th. What an incredible achievement!



Where The Wild Things Are

In EYFS we have been reading "Where the Wild Things Are" and making our own puppets to retell the story. We have been using 'Wild Things' to help us understand mathematical concepts, as well as making props to have our own wild rumpus!

WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE



STORY AND PICTURES BY MAURICE SENDAK

Wandsworth Recycling

As part of their science learning, Class 5S went to the recycling centre to learn about what happens to their rubbish and the importance of recycling.



**Parent
Talk**



Free and confidential online parenting support in Lambeth

Find answers to parenting questions in our advice articles.

Use our webchat or WhatsApp to talk to a local parenting coach about anything that's worrying you.

We're here for you when you need us. No topic is too big, small, or embarrassing.

Get support with:

- mental health
- school and education
- child development
- additional needs
- family relationships
- behaviour

We can support you in the language you prefer.

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parentgym
FOR PARENTS WHO CARE

This term's Parent Gym Open Programme is running from **Thursday 6th November to Thursday 4th December, 9.30am-11.00am.**

This online programme is open to any parents to join, regardless of which school or centre their children attend. If you know of parents who might be interested in Parent Gym but can't attend a programme in school, please encourage them to cut and paste the link below to register for the programme.

Parents/carers can register their attendance [here](http://parentgym.com).

www.parentgym.com
[@ParentGym](https://www.instagram.com/ParentGym)



ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

**FRIDAY 7TH NOVEMBER AFTER
OPEN READING AT WN @10:15**

Join us for coffee & pastries, and find out how to get involved! All welcome



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WHY ATTEND?

So, why come to the AGM?

It's open to everyone and the more the merrier.

As a charity, we have some official business we have to cover:

- Presentation of annual reports
- Thanks to those standing down
- Election of the new committee

It's also a chance to us all to meet, share our plans and listen to YOU. So if you can spare the time, we'd love to see you.

If you want to know more or find out how to be elected to the committee email us on juliansptfa@gmail.com

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South London Children and
Young People's Community
Immunisation Service

Missed your flu vaccine?

**Live or attend school in the borough of
Lambeth? Aged 4 – 16?**

Come down to a flu catch-up clinic and protect yourself!

Saturday 11 October, 10:00 – 14:00
Big Yellow Office, Camberwell, SE5 7SW

Saturday 1 November, 10:00 – 14:00
Big Yellow Office, Camberwell, SE5 7SW

Saturday 15 November, 10:00 – 14:00
Big Yellow Office, Camberwell, SE5 7SW

**Our clinics are walk-in.
Call 020 8614 5495 for
more information**



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Monday 27 October, 10:00 – 14:00
Rye Oak Children's Centre, SE15 3PD

Tuesday 28 October, 10:00 – 14:00
Stockwell Children's Centre, SW9 9TG

Thursday 30 October, 10:00 – 14:00
Rye Oak Children's Centre, SE15 3PD

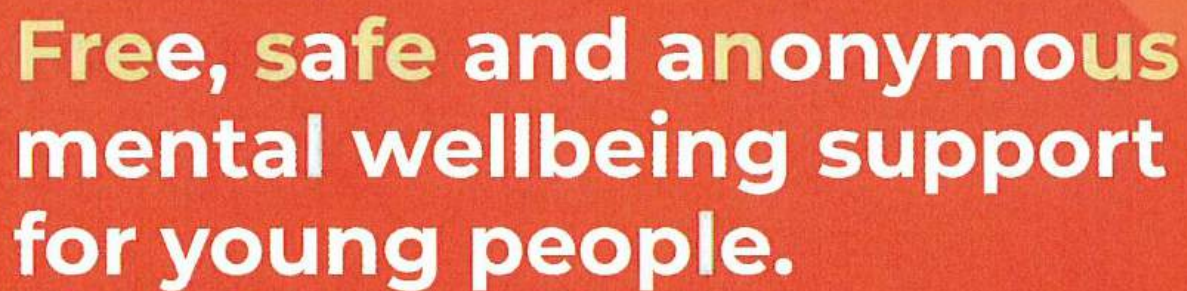
Friday 31 October, 10:00 – 14:00
Hitherfield Children's Centre, SW16 2LN

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The NHS logo is a blue rectangle with the letters 'NHS' in white.

Providing NHS services

An illustration of two people, a man and a woman, standing in a hot air balloon basket. The basket is yellow with blue and red teardrop shapes hanging from it. They are floating in a blue sky with a large, smiling yellow sun. In the background, there are stylized red and blue mountains and another hot air balloon with a striped pattern. The bottom of the image is a solid red area.

Free, safe and anonymous mental wellbeing support for young people.

Your local NHS is providing free counselling, community support and self-help tools for young people through **kooth.com**. It's completely anonymous and you can sign up without any sort of referral.



scan me to
get started
or visit **kooth.com**

kooth

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

What age range do you offer advice for?

We provide free, confidential advice to all parents and carers of young people aged 0-25.

What kind of issues do you support with?

Our advisers are equipped to support you with anything that your child is going through. Including school avoidance, behavioural challenges, worry, ADHD, low mood and much more.

Is there a long wait time on the calls?

We aim to answer our calls as quickly as possible. But if there is a queue you can select the option for a call back within two working days or chat with us online.



IS YOUR CHILD GOING THROUGH A TOUGH TIME?

CALL OUR PARENTS HELPLINE ON
0808 802 5544

or visit www.youngminds.org.uk/parents-helpline

Free language translation and interpretation services are available.

YOUNGMINDS

What can you support me with?

Our service provides free, practical advice on how you can support your child's mental health. No matter what your child is going through, we are here to guide you when they need you the most.

How can I access the helpline?

You can call our Parents Helpline for free on 0808 802 5544, speak to us online by scanning the QR code on the back of this leaflet or learn more by visiting: www.youngminds.org.uk/parents-helpline

What happens when I contact you?

However you contact us, you will receive specific guidance from one of our expert advisers that will help you to understand your child's behaviour and give you practical advice on what to do next. All conversations are confidential.

Please note that we cannot advise on medication, counselling / therapy treatments or diagnose mental health conditions.



15,000+

parents and carers supported last year

89%

of helpline users felt more confident after a call

"The person I spoke to was so helpful. She listened and signposted me to a wealth of other resources at a time when I was so distressed I had no idea which way to turn. For the first time, I felt as though there was someone out there for me – who could help me through all this." – Helpline caller

YOUNGMINDS

No matter what your child is going through, we're with you.

Learn more



Lambeth Autism Advisory Service Parent Workshops

Parent Workshops

Date:	Topic :
20.10.25	Strategies For Home
24.11.25	Autism, Anxiety & SEMH
05.01.26	How To Write Social Stories
02.02.26	Autism & Co-occurring Conditions
09.03.26	Behaviour As Communication
13.04.26	Sensory Differences
08.06.26	Autism & Girls
06.07.26	Transitions & Changes

The parent workshops are held at Lambeth schools

Starting at 10:00am and finishing at 11:30am.

(Locations to be confirmed – You will be notified of locations via email once signed up)

Any questions, please email Noel Gardner on ngardner@lambeth.gov.uk



Scan the QR Code

[Click here](#)

or



WEST NORWOOD & TULSE HILL

ALL HALLOWS' EVE FREE FAMILY EVENT

ST LUKE'S CHURCH
FRIDAY 31 OCTOBER 5-7PM

ALL
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Come dressed
in costume!

Cake/biscuit decorating

Nutty's Kids Disco

Spooky creative
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WE'LL BE DOING SOME FUN SPOOKY STUFF

FRIDAY 31ST OCTOBER, 4PM

AND IT'S FREE!

West Norwood Library
1-7 Norwood High Street
SE27 9JX
020 7926 8034

FEAST

Lambeth
Libraries

CAMP GREEN HORIZON

Monday 27th - Thursday 30th October 2025
9.30am - 2pm

Would you like to learn more about the natural world this half term? Would you like to spend time with animals and wildlife?

Join us at The Farm for a jam-packed week of...

Crafts | Games | Gardening | Conservation



FREE* | Ages 8 -14 years

Can't make the 2pm pick up? For £10 a day, join games club until 5pm

For more info and to sign up, email:
education@vauxhallcityfarm.org

*This opportunity is aimed at students from low-income households or who receive benefit-related free-school meals.

Vauxhall City Farm, Ltd. is a registered charity No. 280641

Address: 85 Tyers St, London SE15 6HS
Email: Education@vauxhallcityfarm.org
Tel: 0203 7532 2234

Mondays

age 6-8

Tuesdays and Thursdays

age 9-11



We offer flexible time slots depending on when you can get here



Pick up available from Julian's Primary School, West Norwood



Primary After school clubs

£22.50 per session

Half term block bookings

Two free places for children entitled to FSM



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workshops@makeart2day.co.uk

[make.art2day](https://www.instagram.com/make.art2day)

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27TH-31ST OCTOBER 2025
8.30am - 5pm

For more info or to book, please email Danny at
danny@nuttychildrensparties.co.uk or call on 07884050954

www.nuttychildrensparties.co.uk

*inc. VAT

Ages 5-11

S4L
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Monday 27th -
Thursday 30th

8.30am -
4.30pm

£40 A DAY
£120 for full
week*

*Full week price must be booked all together to receive discounted rate

Activities

- ✓ Football
- ✓ Dodgeball
- ✓ Netball
- ✓ Basketball
- ✓ Fun Games

Sport 4 Learning @ Julian's

Julian's Primary School
West Norwood site

Registration Link

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For More Information email Matt: sport4learning@gmail.com

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27 OCTOBER – 2 NOVEMBER

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THE
ST. MARTIN'S
THEATRE

Pinocchio

October half-term holiday courses for 4-10s

From Mon 27th to Wed 29th October, step into a world of magic and mischief with Pinocchio and friends in our drama, dance and singing holiday courses.

Courses run from 10am-3pm in Blackheath, Cambridge, Clapham South, Clerkenwell, Ealing, Fulham, Harrow, Herne Hill, Kensington, Muswell Hill, Primrose Hill and St John's Wood.

“My son absolutely loved it, he bounced in every morning and came back happy and confident having made lovely new friends.”
- Sandra Akinbolu



To book call 020 7255 9120
or visit perform.org.uk/pinocchio



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Perform Streatham
Saturdays at 9.30am (4-7s), 11.15am (7-12s). Bishop Thomas Grant School, Balfron Grove, SW16 2HY

Perform West Norwood
Wednesdays at 4pm (4-7s), 5.05pm (7-12s). Chateaux Baptist Church, Chateaux Road, SE27 9HN

Perform Streatham Hill
Mondays at 4pm (4-7s), 5.05pm (7-12s). St Thomas' Church, Talford Avenue, SW2 4EW

Until 14 Nov, new joiners can use JUL141125 for a £40 introductory discount.

Ready to try for free?

Your child's first class is free, so why not give it a go? Classes take place all over, have a look online or call us:

perform.org.uk/try
020 7255 9120



London Wildlife Trust
Sydenham Hill Wood and Cox's Walk

Family Events



Free Residents Family Walk

Sunday October 19th 2 to 3.30pm

Learn about our fantastic Fungi. For residents from Lordship Lane, Sydenham Hill, Countisbury House, Kingswood Estate, Peckham Wood, Crouchmans Close and Crescent Wood Road. Meet at the Crescent Wood road entrance.



Wonderful Wildlife Weekends

Sunday October 12th 1-3pm

A fun free day out for all the family with nature themed exploration. Meet at education area between the tunnel and pond. What three words: whips.calm.arrow



Family SEND Sessions

Sunday October 12th 10.30 to 11.30am

A free session for SEND children and families, use your senses to enjoy nature – booking required. Meet at Crescent wood road entrance.



October Half-Term

Monday October 27th 1 to 3pm
Urban Nature Club
A fun bushcraft workshop for 6-12 year olds.

Tuesday October 28th 10.30-11.30am
Nature Storytime
An interactive story session for young children.

Family Nature Discovery 1 to 3pm
Drop-in for free, fun, family nature activities.



To book please scan this QR code or visit wildlondon.org.uk/events

