



NEWSLETTER

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THE BIG BATTERY HUNT

Please remember to bring in any used batteries you have collected into school and place them in the Big Battery Hunt bin at reception. Thank you.

CHOIRS, CREATIVE, SPORTS CLUBS – SUMMER TERM

The summer clubs are well underway, however there are spaces in the following clubs:

Capoeira – Monday 7.55am – 8.55am – Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Mixed Tag Rugby – Wednesday 3.30pm – 4.30pm – Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Capoeira – Thursday 7.55am – 8.55am – Years 1, 2 and 3

If your child is interested in joining one of these, please email clubs@rosendale.cc.

Please note the following clubs are cancelled in coming weeks. **Fun Football on Tuesday 7 May** and **Karate on Monday 13 May**. Apologies for any inconvenience this may cause.

ROSENDALE SUMMER FAIR – PLANNING MEETING

A reminder that the PTA is holding a fair planning meeting in school on **Friday 10 May at 9.05am**, straight after morning drop. Everyone is welcome to attend the meeting to share their thoughts and brainstorm fundraising ideas for the Fair – please sign in at the school office. If you are not able to attend but have great ideas to share, please email the PTA at rosendalepta@gmail.com.

The summer fair is being held on **Saturday 29 June** from 1pm – 4pm.

VOLUNTEERS FOR UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON RESEARCH STUDY

Researchers at UCL's Developmental Risk and Resilience Unit have contacted Rosendale in the hope that we can recruit some extra volunteers to take part in their study exploring why some children are able to bounce back from difficult early experiences to live happy and fulfilling lives whereas others experience difficulties.

They are looking for children in Years 4, 5 and 6 and those taking part would be asked to complete approximately two hours of screen based tests (in school) and may be followed up again by the team 18 months later. Some children may also be asked to have an MRI scan (not in school) while completing the tasks. More information is included in a leaflet, application form and prepaid envelope, which you can find outside the school office. If you have any queries about the volunteer process, please do not hesitate to contact Doug Cranston at Rosendale or Georgia Rankin at UCL (g.rankin@ucl.ac.uk).

HERNE HILL FREE FILM FESTIVAL

A reminder that this evening we are screening the brilliant **Mary Poppins Returns** as part of the Herne Hill Free Film Festival. In this popular sequel, everyone's favourite magical nanny returns to help the Banks siblings and Michael's children through a difficult time in their lives in a sequel that will appeal to children and adults alike. Doors open at 7pm and the film will start at 7.30pm. Please be aware that **entry is via the gate on Turney Road only**. Everyone is welcome to attend. Our PTA will be organising non-alcoholic refreshments.

The Parent Promoters' Foundation at Elmgreen School is linking up again with the Herne Hill Free Film Festival and Lambeth for a Cool Planet to screen the award-winning **Chasing Coral**. Three years in the making, the film is a powerful and beautiful reminder of the impact that climate change is having on our oceans. It's also a very human story as the film crew battle against bad weather and technical breakdowns to show what happens when the seas get too warm.

The film will be screened at The Elmgreen School on **Tuesday 14 May, 7.30 pm**. Doors open for refreshments at 7pm. No tickets are required for any of the films, just turn up, and bring your family and friends.

For more information about all the films being screen as part of the Festival, please visit www.freefilmfestivals.org/hernehill.

NEURODIVERSITY CELEBRATION

All children and young people have different strengths, talents, weaknesses and needs, and this is no different for those children and young people with special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND). While it can be easy for professionals involved in the care of children and young people with SEND to focus on needs and areas where extra support is needed, it is important also to celebrate their unique learning differences, talents and strengths. The Lambeth Forum is providing an opportunity to Celebrate Neurodiversity in Lambeth, on **Thursday 16 May 2019, 7.00 - 9.30pm at Yellow Cube, 65 Christchurch Road, SW2 3DH**

This event is for all young people and their parents and carers. There is no age restriction but it is most suitable for young people aged 10+. For more details please visit

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/neurodiversity-celebration-tickets-61030577099>

SEN & AUTISM ADVICE AT ROSENDALE CHILDREN'S CENTRE

Families with children under the age of five can get one to one advice and information from Lambeth's Early Years SEN Manager, and find out about support available for local children with Special Educational Needs. Appointments are available on Friday 17 May between 9.15am – 11.30am. To book please call 020 8761 7411.

The Children's Centre runs a number of courses aimed at families with children under the age of five. To find out more please [click here](#).

Have a great weekend Bank Holiday weekend. **See you on Tuesday 7 May.**

Kate Atkins

Letters home this week

- SRE Letter – Year 5
- Dulwich Music Festival – Orchestra
- Trip to France – Year 4

Dates for the diary

- KS2 SATS Week – Monday 13 May – Thursday 16 May
- Class RGJ Assembly – Friday 17 May – 9.30 – 10am
- School is closed for polling day – Thursday 23 May
- Class 1JS Assembly – Friday 24 May - 9.30 – 10am
- Class Photographs – Monday 3 June
- Year 6 PGL – Monday 10 June – Friday 14 June
- MAPP Day – Thursday 20 June
- Inset Day – Monday 24 June – School is closed
- Rosendale Summer Fair – Saturday 29 June
- Sports Day – Friday 12 July