

Heathmere Primary School Newsletter



Happy New Year

I would like to wish all families a very Happy New Year. With the covid situation, it continues to be very strange times but I hope that you all have things to look forward to in 2022.

Y2 to Wimbledon Common

Year 2 went to Wimbledon Common yesterday morning as part of our Habitats topic. Despite the cold and mud, we had a brilliant trip and saw a lot of local wildlife - which we photographed with the ipads. We are so lucky to have such a large, green area by our school.

"I liked running up and down the hills. It was really fun looking at the animals on the lake and I took a photo of a robin in a tree!" Natanie, 2BH

Place2Be

I am expecting Kathryn, our new Place2Be School Project Manager to start on Tuesday, to replace Iffat who left Heathmere at Christmas. Please look out for her in the playground and I am sure she will be introducing herself to parents and children as soon as she starts.

Universal Credit

If you receive Universal Credit, please let Anita in the school office know as this means that your child can receive Free School Meals and the school also receives additional funding.

Clubs

Judy is currently organising clubs for this term so please contact her with any queries. All clubs are £2 and parents are expected to pay in advance. Rackets Cubed is free. If you need help paying for clubs, please speak to me or the school office in advance.

7th January 2022

School Improvement

This week in staff meeting, we have been looking again at our school values of Respect, Resilience and High Expectations. January marks 9 year since I took over as Headteacher at Heathmere so this always feels like a good time to review them! I have spoken to all of the children in Y1 – Y6 about our expectations of how we uphold our school values and the teachers are also discussing this with the children in class.

Citizens Advice

I am happy to announce that Heathmere Primary is continuing with Citizens Advice Wandsworth (CAW) this term after a successful partnership in 2021. Appointments will be held from your home phone/laptop, this is a free service and appointments will be fortnightly.

The first appointments will be on **Tuesday 11th January 2022 at 9.30-11.30am or 1.30-3pm**. If you would like to book an appointment, please contact Tracey Green.

Strengthening Families

Strengthening Families parenting programme starts on **Wednesday 12th January 2022, 9.30am – 12.30pm** here at Heathmere Primary School. It is a 13-week course that takes place every Wednesday morning. If you would like more information or to book a space, please contact Tracey Green.

Parent Governor

Thank you to all parents who took part in the vote for -the new parent governor at Heathmere. Tatiana Dobrova (Viara's mum in 3T) will be joining the Heathmere Governing Board with immediate effect, to replace Farouk Abdi as his term of office ended in November.

	Events	Clubs 3.30pm – 4.15pm
Monday 10 th January		Y1/2 Tennis, Y3/4 Football Y5/6 Gym, Y5/6 Cooking
Tuesday 11 th January		Y1/2 Multi-sports, Y3/4 Netball Y5/6 Art, KS2 Choir with Rosie
Wednesday 12 th January	Trumpets 5B Rackets Cubed	Y1/2 Gym, Y3/4 Multi-sports Y3/4 Art, Y5L/6 Cooking
Thursday 13 th January		Y1/2 Art, Y3/4 Hockey Y4 Cooking, Y5/6 Football
Friday 14 th January	Y6 swimming	Y3/4 Dance, Y5/6 Athletics KS2 Band with Mr DJ

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