



March 2019

Dates For Your Diary

1st March

Some Double G members are taking part in the RBG Junior Environment champion launch at The Woolwich Centre.

4th March

Year 5 will be taking part in the Bikeability Scheme this week.

Year 6 will be off to Norfolk for their school journey. We are sure they will have an amazing time at our new venue. Those children who will remain at school will be taking part in a wide range of activities during this week.

Members of our various committees here at Haimo have been invited to Woolwich Town Hall to take part in an official Haimo meeting and sit in the council chambers. Here they will vote for our Haimo Mayor and meet the Mayor herself. Years 1, 2 and 3 will visit on this day whilst the older committee members will visit later in the month.

5th March

An officer from the Neighbourhood Policing Team will attend Haimo to speak to the Nursery children.

6th March

Early Years will be visited by members of the local fire service and will be able to see, first hand, a fire engine and how it works.

7th March

Today is World Book Day and, to celebrate this, the children can come to school dressed as a book character of their choice and also bring in their favourite book to read.

15th March

Today is Red Nose Day which raises money for disadvantaged children both here and abroad. Children can come to school dressed in red for a donation of £1.

Year 4 will be visiting the Natural History Museum to support their history topic.

Committee members from Years 4, 5 and 6 will be visiting the Town Hall on this day.

19th March

Reception will be holding their Open Afternoon on this day.

20th March

Parents evening will be taking place on this day. Please come into the school office and book an appointment.

25th March

This is Big Pedal week. More information will follow.

26th March

Year 3 classes, along with every other Year 3 class in the country, will be taking part in an art project to produce one of the biggest group portraits ever made. A photographer will visit Haimo on this day and the finished artwork will be on show at Tate Britain.

29th March

To support their history topic, Year 1 will visit Hall Place in Bexley to learn about toys from the olden days.

A Message From The School Nurse Re Reception And Year 6

“You should have all received your letters by now informing you of the results of your child’s height and weight measurements. If you have any concerns or would just like to discuss this with me, I will be happy to arrange to either meet you in school or you can contact me on 02088368621. Louise Marr, School Nurse.”

30 Hour Provision

Just a reminder that if you use the 30 hour free childcare provision you must check your details are up to date every three months. Go to www.gov.uk/childcareaccount to re-apply.

Haimo After School Club

HASC is going from strength to strength. The children are all enjoying the activities we provide here and are telling their friends about it too. If you would like to send your child to HASC please visit us in the school office for more information. Details of help with childcare costs is available via the Government website www.childcarechoices.gov.uk

School Meals Price Increase From April

We have been informed by our caterers, GS Plus, that the cost of school meals will increase by 40p per day to **£2.60** bringing the cost to **£13 per week**. Although the price has risen, this still means that the cost of our meals remains one of the lowest in all London Boroughs. The price increase will come into effect on our return to school after the Easter break. If you are in receipt of certain benefits you may be entitled to free school meals and also clothing and school journey grants. Please contact the School Office Team for more assistance.

The Local Offer In Royal Greenwich

This is a website for children and young people with special needs and disabilities and their families. It includes information about services available including schools and educational help and support, general information and signposting about different disabilities/services, social care, health care, services for under fives and lots more. The website is www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/localoffer and the direct contact information for the Families Information Service is 020 89216921 or fis@royalgreenwich.gov.uk

Polite Notice

The School Streets scheme is working well and parents and children are very happy. Please could we ask you to be mindful of local residents and to park considerately in surrounding streets. In addition, please may we ask you that you do not allow your children to ride their scooters and bikes in the playground both before and after school, as this is a health and safety issue. Thank you for your support.

Haimo PTA

“Thank you to everyone for supporting the Valentines Disco, the children (and adults!) had an amazing time and can’t wait to do it again next year! Plus keep your eyes peeled for information about future events, we have lots coming up.”

And Finally...

School closes for Easter on **Friday 5th April** and the children return to school on **Wednesday 24th April**. We hope you have a restful break.

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