



Weekly Newsletter # 13 – 6 December 2024

Christmas Arrangements

Christmas Assemblies - NEXT WEEK

The children have been working hard preparing their assemblies and are looking forward to sharing them with you. As there will be several assemblies on the same day, please do not arrive more than 10 minutes before the start of your child's assembly.

Monday 9 December - Bottom Hall

9.30 Pink – middle hall – PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF HALL

10.15 Blue middle hall – PLEASE NOTE CHANGE OF HALL

2.45 Language Unit – BOTTOM HALL

Tuesday 10 December - Middle Hall

9.30 Green

10.15 Vermilion

11.00 Indigo

11.45 Orange

2.00 Burgundy

2.45 Violet



Wednesday 11 December - Middle Hall

9.30 White

10.15 Scarlet

11.00 Turquoise

11.45 Yellow

2.00 Emerald and Azure (joint performance)

Festive Winter Dress Up Day

This year to help raise money for our sensory walls we will be having a dress up day on the day of the Christmas Lunch, Tuesday 16th December, 2024. For a £1 donation, on this day children can come to school in a festive/ winter outfit.



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Christmas parties

Christmas Parties will be on afternoon of Thursday 19 December. Children may wear party clothes that day; no high heels, strappy or cropped tops. Your child's teacher will let you know closer to the time what refreshments are needed.

Christmas Lunch – Tuesday 17 December

The deadline for parents whose children normally have packed lunch but want a Christmas lunch is Friday 6 December using the form: <https://forms.office.com/e/TkbFpnpMFs> If your child has a school dinner on other days, no action is needed.

Sign of the Week

The Sign of the Week is 'Christmas'

[Signing 2024-25](#)



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Brandon Library Face Painting

BRANDON LIBRARY
FACE PAINTING
SATURDAY 7 DECEMBER
1PM - 3PM

FREE!

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SOUTHWARK PRESENTS

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The poster is for a face painting event at Brandon Library. It features a yellow background with colorful illustrations of children with various face paint designs (butterfly, tiger, superhero), balloons, and handprints. The text is in a playful, hand-drawn style. At the bottom, there are social media handles, the Southwark Council logo, and the text 'SOUTHWARK PRESENTS'.

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Camberwell Community Christmas

Discover your inner child on Camberwell Green this Christmas!

Free Camberwell Community Christmas • Sat 7 December • 12-3pm

This December our free Camberwell Community Christmas is truly young at heart!

Everyone will be delighted as Camberwell Community Choir and Lyndhurst School Choir fills the air with carols to welcome Mr & Mrs Santa, who arrive at 12 on the Green in a Pedal Me cargo bike sleigh!

They're joined by the talented young company of *PAN! Peter's Come Out to Play* - Theatre Peckham's festive show - bringing a youthful spirit to the event.

SE5 Forum for Camberwell has teamed up with Theatre Peckham, local charities and lots of volunteers to put on another fantastic free festive event for all the community.

We hope you will come and play!

The FREE fun & activities on Camberwell Green include:

- Mr & Mrs Santa grotto with free gifts for young children
- Magical Gingerbread house - decorating gingerbread & fairy cakes
- Festive arts & crafts, creating seasonal collages, cards & gifts
- Live music & children's games
- Baby activities & face painting
- Free treats from food charity Spring Community Hub
- Community support stalls - free hygiene products & clothes bank, energy saving and cost-of-living advice
- Local charity stalls

Camberwell Community Christmas is organised by SE5 Forum, funded by Southwark Council's Neighbourhoods Fund and in partnership with: Urban Farmers' Market, Theatre Peckham, Pedal Me, Spring Community Hub, Amuru, Excel Beyond Barriers, Black Stock Media, Salvation Army, Camberwell Community Choir, Lyndhurst School Choir, Camberwell Players, Conveenie, Camberwell Society, Camberwell Arts, Southwark Pensioners Centre, Camberwell Leisure Centre, Good Gym Southwark.

For more info, contact: SE5 Forum: admin@se5forum.org



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FOR CAMBERWELL



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FREE
Camberwell
Community Christmas

Saturday 7 December 12-3pm
Camberwell Green
Everyone Welcome!

Free Santa Grotto
Festive crafts
Children's activities
Food, music & stalls

Organised by
SE5 Forum for Camberwell
se5forum.org.uk

In partnership with
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Photo: Joelle Dupont





Additional Community Flu Clinics

Southwark are running additional community walk-in flu clinics. These are walk-in clinics and there is no need to book an appointment. See below for details:



Missed your flu vaccine?

Live or go to school in the borough of Southwark? Aged 4-16?

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

Saturday 23 November, 10:00 - 14:00
Big Yellow Storage, Southampton Way,
SE5 7SW

Saturday 30 November, 10:00 - 14:00
Big Yellow Storage, Southampton Way,
SE5 7SW

Saturday 7 December, 10:00 - 14:00
Big Yellow Storage, Southampton Way,
SE5 7SW

No need to book an appointment.
Call 020 8614 5496 for more
information.



Missed your flu vaccine?

Live or go to school in the borough of Lambeth? Aged 4-16?

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

Tuesday 17 December, 10:00 - 14:00
Rye Oak Children & Family Centre, SE15 3PD

Wednesday 18 December, 10:00 - 14:00
Rye Oak Children & Family Centre, SE15 3PD

Wednesday 18 December, 10:00 - 14:00
Stockwell Children's Centre, SW9 9TG

Thursday 19 December, 10:00 - 14:00
Rye Oak Children & Family Centre, SE15 3PD

Thursday 19 December, 10:00 - 14:00
Stockwell Children's Centre, SW9 9TG

No need to book an appointment. Call
020 8614 5496 for more information.





Dates for week commencing 9 December

Monday 9 December

Christmas Assemblies:

Bottom Hall

9.30 Pink

10.15 Blue

2.45 Language Unit

2.00-2.30 Burgundy Class swimming

Tuesday 10 December

Christmas Assemblies

Middle Hall

9.30 Green

10.15 Vermilion

11.00 Indigo

11.45 Orange

2.00 Burgundy

2.45 Violet

10.00-10.30 Turquoise Class swimming

10.30-11.00 Scarlet Class swimming

Wednesday 11 December

Christmas Assemblies

Middle Hall

9.30 White

10.15 Scarlet

11.00 Turquoise

11.45 Yellow

2.00 Emerald and Azure (joint performance)

Thursday 12 December

Friday 13 December

2.00 Vermilion swimming

Forthcoming Dates



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Christmas Lunch

17 December

Christmas Parties

19 December

Last day of term and Reward Morning

20 December at 2pm

Link to term dates 25-26 - [Term Dates 2025-26](#)



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