



RICHMOND SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

LEARNING AND ACHIEVING TOGETHER

Autumn Newsletter 6, 24th November 2023

Greetings from Richmond Avenue

Enterprise week

Thank you for the brilliant effort from all the children in designing, making and selling their items at the Enterprise Fair on Friday. The children made an impressive £401.35 with DH4 raising the most money, therefore they will get to choose the new playground equipment!



Children in Need

On Friday we had a visit from Pudsey and raised an amazing £327.00 for Children in Need by dressing in pyjamas for the day. Thank you all for your generous donations and taking part in this wonderful charity.

Dodgeball

10 of our Year 5 children have been practicing at lunchtimes and took part in the KS2 Dodgeball competition this Wednesday. Their performance was amazing and they won 4 out of the 5 games they played, Well done!

Christmas is coming...

Next Friday, 1st December, come to the middle gates at 1.30pm and spend the afternoon in class with your children having Christmas fun and making decorations together. After this, from home time until 4pm, our Christmas fair will take place in the canteen and under the shelter. There will be a range of games to play (all 50p each) and a range of Christmassy gifts and treats to buy (all just £1).

At 4pm, the choir will sing then we will light up the school for Christmas together. We look forward to seeing you all there to have fun and celebrate the start of Christmas fun together.



*Be Kind, Be Safe,
Be Responsible,
Enjoy Learning*



Well done DH4, & PL1 for having the highest attendance this week!!! - The attendance bears are coming your way!



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The Christmas dinner meal choices are on My Child At School app ready for you to order in advance for your children. Please ensure that you place your orders online as soon as possible so that we can order and prep the treat in advance.

Lunches

If your child has school meals, please ensure you select your chosen meal on the My Child At School App at least 24 hours in advance, ideally for the entire week or more.

Clubs

All school led clubs will be finishing on Friday 8th December. External clubs, for as Football & Basketball will finish on 13th December.

School Gates

Just a reminder that, since September, the school gates are opened at 8.35am and close at 8.45am, please ensure your child arrives promptly between these times at the gates as, once the gates close (promptly at 8.45am daily) they will need to enter through the school office and will be marked in late.



Winter clothing

As the weather is starting to turn cold, please ensure your child has the appropriate clothing, such as a coat, gloves and hat when needed. Please make sure their name is in every item so they do not get lost.



Christmas Dinner Menu

Roast Turkey/Vegan
Quorn Fillet
Roast Potatoes
Mixed Veg
Stuffing Ball
Pig in Blanket
Yorkshire pudding

Chocolate coated Xmas
tree ice cream
Shortbread Cookie
(Dairy & gluten free options available)

£3.00 per meal

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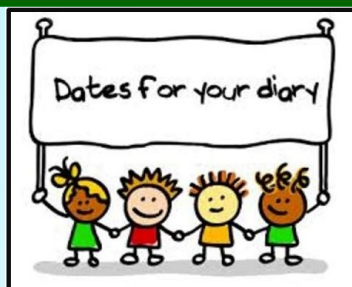




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Dates for the Diary

- **29th November**—Reception open evening 5pm (for prospective parents for new admissions)
- **1st December**—Christmas Decoration afternoon 1.30pm (Parents to come in and work with children)
 - Christmas fair 3pm onwards (School Shelter and Canteen)
- **6th December**—Nursery Christmas Performance 10am (School hall)
- **11th December**— Reception Christmas performances 10am & 2pm
- **12th December**—Years 3 & 4 Christmas performance 10am
 - Years 1 & 2 Christmas performance 2pm
- **13th December**— Years 1 & 2 Christmas performance 10am
 - Years 3 & 4 Christmas performance 2pm
- **13th December**—Christmas Dinner Day / Christmas Jumper Day
- **14th December**— Year 5 & 6 Christmas Performance 10am & 2pm
- **18th December**— Year group/class Christmas parties
- **20th December**—Crazy Hair Day /Christmas non-uniform (50p donation to PTA fundraising)

***** School finishes for all pupils including nursery at 1pm on 20th December *****

***** All children will have lunch before they come home *****



Southend East Community Academy





SECAT Academy Committee - Vacancies

We are seeking to appoint new representatives for our **Academy Committees** who can make a real difference to the future life chances of young people in our Trust and communities.

Our mission is to achieve outstanding outcomes for the young people in our community by providing an engaging, challenging and linear learning experience from age 2–18, that equips them to live happy and successful lives.

We are looking to further strengthen our Academy Committees to support Headteachers and staff in continuing to achieve outstanding outcomes. The Academy Committees report to the Trust Board. Their work is vital for the Trust Board to plan strategically for the development of the Trust.

Academy Committees hold a monitoring role in three key areas: Special Educational Needs (SEN), Curriculum and Community Relations.

You do not need to be a parent or carer of a child at any of the schools within our Trust. You may already be a member of an Academy Committee within the Trust and would be willing to support additional Academy Committees also.

We are looking for someone willing to bring energy, enthusiasm and commitment to the role, and who will broaden the diversity of thinking on the Academy Committee.

We welcome applications from anyone regardless of their age, experience, disability, ethnicity, heritage, sexuality, gender and socio-economic background.

Please contact the Trust Governance Manager: katylove@secat.co.uk for more information, an application pack and to arrange a suitable time to talk.

For more information about SECAT, please visit: www.secat.co.uk

SECAT is committed to safeguarding the welfare of young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment.

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