

RUSHEY GREEN NEWSLETTER



Trinity Laban Dance Show Stoppers 2022

4 March | 2022

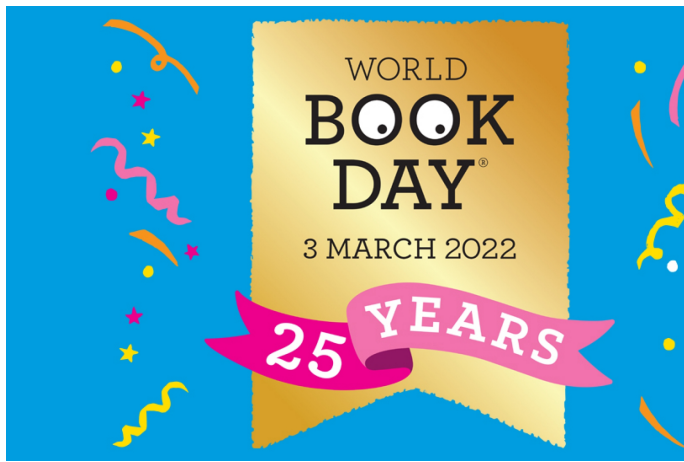


Book Week

Focus of the week

- Book Week
- Trinity Laban dance
- World Book Day
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- Message from the SENCO

The weekly News



Dear Families,

It has been another great week. The focus being the 25th anniversary of World Book Day. The children were so excited yesterday to take part in the fun filled day of reading activities. The staff and children have been working hard to decorate the classroom doors based the book they were learning about.



Look out for more World Book Day fun in next week's newsletter!

CORE VALUE: COLLABORATION

This term as a school, we will be learning about '**collaboration**.'

The children will be exploring what the term means and how they can show collaboration. Collaboration helps children to discover each others' strengths, interests and capabilities; they can learn from each other.

Each child can develop a unique set of skills and knowledge in a fun and efficient way.



Serena Williams championed the UNICEF Schools for Africa initiative, providing education to the most marginalized and vulnerable children.

"I want to have an opportunity to help UNICEF make the world aware of challenges that children face."

Serena Williams

"If everyone is moving forward together then success takes care of itself."

Henry Ford

Wanting to reach the same goal

Sharing knowledge and skills

COLLABORATION

Sharing ideas

Team work

Working together

Being co-operative

Gareth Southgate has gone on to be one of England's most successful managers.



"Regular communication, listening more than speaking and empowering people to make their own decisions is a key to success."

Gareth Southgate



RIGHTS RESPECTING SCHOOL

Supporting your response to the current crisis

Articles of the Week:

Article 38
Article 39

GET TO SCHOOL ON TIME

Did you know early morning learning tasks start from 8.45 - 9am?

10 Minutes late every day equals 50 minutes lost learning over a week!

Coming up.....

Reception classes visiting Moon Lane Books

Year 4 parents only: Parent forum (virtual) meeting, Wed 9th March, 12 -12.45 pm about 'The Multiplication check' (link will be sent on Monday 7th March 2022)

Friday 11th March Football tournament

Rights Respecting Schools



Can you think about why children should be protected from wars?

Article 38 (war and armed conflicts): Governments must not allow children under the age of 15 to take part in war or join the armed forces. Governments must do everything they can to protect and care for children affected by war and armed conflicts.

Article 39 (recovery from trauma and reintegration):
Children who have experienced neglect, abuse, exploitation, torture or who are victims of war must receive special support to help them recover their health, dignity, self-respect and social life.

Possible activities to complete at home:

- Think about where you feel safe. **Draw a picture of your safe place** and share it with a friend.
- **Create a cosy corner in your home** where people can go to feel safe and secure.
- **Design a poster to promote peace.** You could include why war is so dangerous for children and emphasise that children have the right to be protected from war.

7.5 million children are now at risk as the conflict continues to escalate. With explosions in major cities across the country and thousands of families being forced to flee their homes, UNICEF is calling for an immediate ceasefire. We also support children and families by:

- helping to provide them with access to clean water and nutritious food
- helping to make sure that child health and protection services are sustained
- working with our partners and the UN High Commissioner for Refugees to assess the refugee situation across neighbouring countries.





Natural yogurt with strawberry fruit puree

Dish of the Week

By Chef Luke



ART EXHIBITION

21st April 2022

We are planning a fundraiser, we need some inspiration, any talented artists please come and share your skills with us.

We would love to hear from you.

admin@rusheygreen.lewisham.sch.uk

Preserved lemon and thyme Chicken

Garlic Mushroom and breadcrumb topping

Brown lentil & herb salad

Chefs in Schools Competition!

Over the years, many parents have asked for the recipes their children enjoy every day in school. Now, they're widely available in a beautiful new cookbook from the school food charity, Chefs in Schools. Every sale of the book supports their charity. To celebrate the launch of the book – they are giving away five copies. Find out more here:

<https://gleam.io/LhO92/pavilionfeed-your-family-competition>

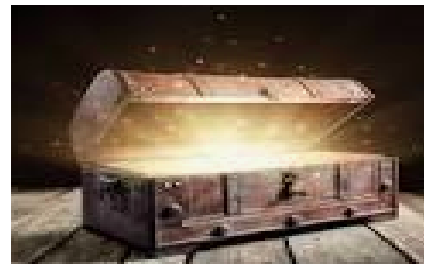
By Ms Thomas : 4P

We have had a fun packed week : Adventure stories for English, Introduction to Habits in Science and Latitude and Longitude for Geography!

Here is some writing from the talent we have in Pakistan Class.

Out of thin air!

Everywhere she looked, she was speechless, "That is wonderful !" She cried looking at all those massive, hard stone statues in disbelief. What could have been so amazing? As Lauren walked around, at the corner of her eye she spotted an old, miniature box.



"What's that ?" She wondered. As she approached the box, behind one of the most famous statues that have probably been here for centuries, There came a light tap behind her, as she turned around no one was there, everyone left ! Was it just her imagination or was it real ?

Suddenly, A quiet whisper came, as silent as an abandoned, lonely village with no people in it. "Hello, who's there, show yourself ! I don't have all day you know." She whispered bravely, though still in horror. Behind her appeared a figure all in black from head to toe, chasing her like a wild lion running for its prey." Help, help me, someone, anyone ? " She yelled as her heart was beating rapidly and repeatedly.

Almost unbelievably, something strange happened, "What's that miniscule box doing, peeping behind us? "Spoke the pitch dark figure. Just then the box floated above the rusty, old crates and knocked him out. "What's inside this magical box ? "

Carefully, she picked up the mysterious box and slowly opened it. Inside were mythical objects that you've never seen and could drop your jaw to the floor. But just guess what happened, just guess "Aaaahh! " She got sucked inside and disappeared, police are searching for her and is nowhere to be found.

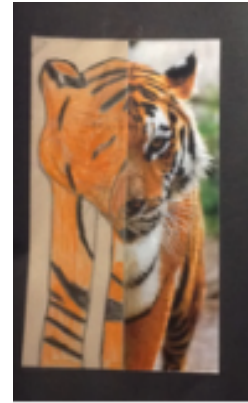
By K.G.

Cuba Class

Chinese New Year



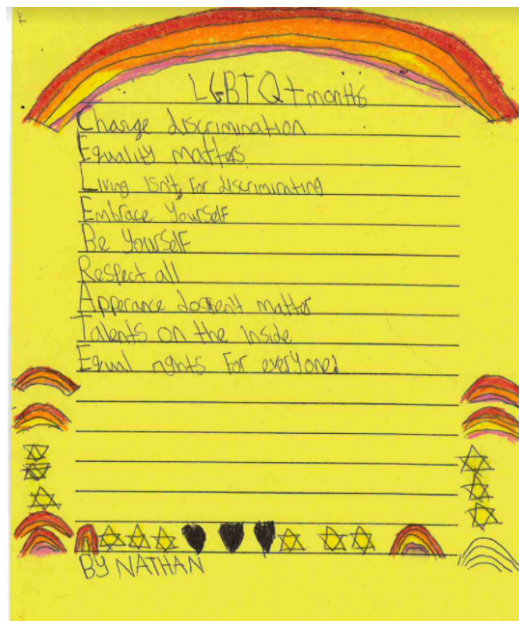
Before half term, Cuba class learnt about Chinese New Year. We looked at how it is celebrated and which animals are honoured each year. We discussed the link between the lunar calendar, by which the Chinese New Year date is decided, and our knowledge of the phases of the moon. As it is the year of the tiger, we created artwork inspired by the animal.



LGBTQ+ History Month



This month, we learnt about celebrating the LGBTQ+ Community. We had a class discussion about identity and how everyone is different in some way. We discussed how we accept people for their differences and we support each other. To celebrate these differences 5CU



created acrostic poems using the word CELEBRATE our DIFFERENCES.

Lewisham Live Dance at Blackheath Halls



wow!
Spectacular!
Amazing!
I'm so proud of you!
well Done!



This was some of the reaction from parents, friends, family and teachers. Year 5 & 6 children represented Rushey Green school in the Lewisham Live Dance at Blackheath Halls on Tuesday evening.

Rushey Green dancers were the last act to perform on the night, with a lively performance named 'Past, Present and Future, the audience enjoyed the children's performance so much that they received a standing ovation (the only school to get one).
whoo, Hoo! we are incredibly proud of our pupils who represented the school to the highest level.

MESSAGE FROM OUR SENCO



Hello Rushey Green Parents and Carers,

My name is Annisha Thomas, and I have recently joined Rushey Green Primary School as the new SENCO. Thank you all for your warm welcome to the school; it has been lovely to meet many of you, each morning, on both playgrounds. I am so happy to be a part of the Rushey Green family.

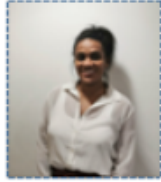
I have worked in education for 18 years (within the borough of Lewisham) and have enjoyed being a SENCO for the last 6 years.

If you have any concerns about your child/ren's needs or learning differences, please do come and find me in the playground or contact the office to arrange an appointment with me. It is always helpful to share your concerns with your child's class teacher initially.

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS

SAFEGUARDING

Miss Stacey McIntosh



Pastoral Manager &
Designated Safeguarding Lead

If you are concerned about the safety of a child at Rushey Green Primary School, please contact our Designated Safeguarding Lead Miss Stacey or the Designated Safeguarding Governor via the School Office.

If your concern is urgent and out of school hours, please contact:

MASH: 0208 314 6660



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on science,
research &
experience



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**Feeling overwhelmed?
Trying to manage the
stresses of parenting?**



Join our research into a new parenting group for parents of children, aged 2-11, who experience strong emotions and struggle to trust in relationships.

- Learn discipline strategies that work
 - Improve communication
- Meet other parents who share your experience
 - Enjoy family life more

For more information, sign up here:

https://kclbs.eu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_3luWeTjmKHZaKYC

Lewisham EP Connect

A TELEPHONE SERVICE FOR PARENTS & CARERS

Talk to one of the Lewisham **Educational Psychologists (EPs)** about issues related to your child. We can offer support to think about..

How to help your child with their learning/ homework

Managing routines at home

School issues, e.g. peer relationships / friendships, learning

Other services that might be helpful to you

Supporting your child's well-being

A listening ear for you... How you are feeling?

Fears and worries associated with return to school after lockdown

Understanding children's feelings and behaviour

Please let us know if you are calling about a looked after child

