

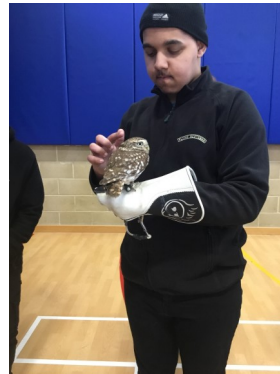
Spa Bermondsey Newsletter

Welcome to our monthly newsletter, keeping you up to date on all the events and activities at Spa Bermondsey.

Owls

We had 8 owls visit Spa Bermondsey this month. We learnt lots about owls, including that most owls are not nocturnal, that some see in colour and some see in black and white and that most owls see in slow motion.

Pupils all had the chance to hold an owl and they really enjoyed doing this. We hope to have them back next year.



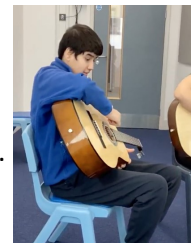
Enrichment activities

April continues to be a busy month. We've had a KS3 class go travel training using the Southwark travel training bus. They learnt about how to be safe on a public bus, how to deal with common difficulties and what to do if an inspector gets on the bus.



We've had a KS4 class go to the SeaLife centre. Pupils really enjoyed the sensory experience of the aquarium and being able to see a range of sea creatures.

We have a group of pupils having guitar lessons at Spa Camberwell once a week for ten weeks. Pupils are learning a range of music skills as well as learning how to play guitar. Pupils are really enjoying this experience



Roadworks on Monnow Road

Thames Water continue to work on Monnow Road. The work has moved further down Monnow Road so the road is now clear around the school. We appreciate there are still issues with high volumes of traffic in and around the area due to the road works and we hope this finishes soon.

Sports Day in Lewisham

The Lewisham Disability Sports Network are hosting an inclusive multi sports festival for Deaf, disabled and neurodivergent children, young people and their families aged 5–25 on Saturday 8th June 2024. This is a free event but you need to register in advance:

Register: <https://bit.ly/LewishamMultiSportsFestival2024>

Local Offer

Southwark's Local Offer has lots of information on fun things to do. You can find it here:

<https://localoffer.southwark.gov.uk/leisure/afterschool-and-youth-clubs/>

<https://localoffer.southwark.gov.uk/youth-offer> has information for those aged 16-25

The Thrive to 25 Initiative has secured funding for lots of exciting activities. Check out the Coding Club, Toucan Trips Club, Angels Club—all for 16-15 year olds with SEN.

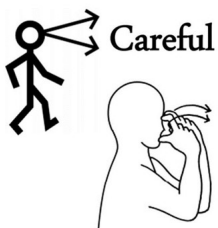
You can also use the One Hub to find information about events in Southwark <https://www.onehubsouthwark.co.uk/activities>

Upcoming Dates for your Diary

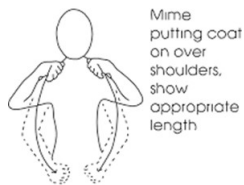
- May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 6th May 2024
- Summer Half Term: Monday 27th May — 31st May 2024
- Summer Fayre: Wednesday 3rd July 2024 4:30—7pm
- Parents evening: 10th July 2024
- Leavers Assembly: 23rd July 2024 (last day for leavers)
- Last day of term: Wednesday 24th July
- Pupils return Tuesday 3rd September 2024

All term dates can be found on our website in the Parents tab

Key Signs



Careful



Mime putting coat on over shoulders, show appropriate length

coat



For hot food make sign from mouth

hot (feeling hot)



Park

You can find a clickable copy of this newsletter on our website—see the News and Dates tab



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