

# SCS Newsletter

8<sup>th</sup> May 2026



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Dear Families,

This week, we have started a new range of lunch clubs across the school hosted by our specialist PE team and delivered by the Arsenal outreach team. Sessions offered include football, multi-skills and general physical activity and is available to all children in the playground at lunchtime who want to join in from Monday to Friday. We are continuing to encourage and promote physical activity and active play both in the playground and within lessons.



For any of our families who would like to spend some time viewing a typical morning of learning in Upper School, on **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> 10 – 10.45am**, we are offering a **tour of Upper School (Y7 through to sixth form)** and on **Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> at 10 – 10.45am** we are offering a **tour of Lower School (Early Years to Year 6)**. You are **all welcome to come** and soak up the atmosphere and also to speak to senior leads who will host the tour. Next week we will send home an invitation in the home/school diaries so that you can let us know if you intend to join.

**Family Learning Week** will be in the next half-term (the **week beginning June 8<sup>th</sup>**), where families will be invited into classrooms to join in with lessons alongside their children.

A reminder that this Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May at 5pm, a choir will be singing at a local church to raise money for the school charity (see the flyer below for Fellow Singers – Pure Gold concert) and anyone who would like to attend is most welcome. We also hope that lots of you can join our upcoming **Coffee Morning on 12<sup>th</sup> May** to plan upcoming fundraisers or to talk to senior leads about school funding.

## Upcoming Coffee Mornings (Tuesdays at 10am):

Dates	Theme
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> May	<p><b>Fundraising and School Charity</b></p> <p>We are asking families to attend and support senior leads and the Charity Trustees to plan a fundraising event and to promote the work of the charity. This term, we are aiming to raise just over £5000 to invest in a new set of <b>playground resources, such as those pictured.</b></p> <div data-bbox="395 1491 887 1827"></div> <div data-bbox="1075 1491 1401 1814"></div>
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> May	<p><b>Camden SEND Engagement Team</b></p> <p>Representatives from the Local Authority SEN/D Engagement Team will visit. They work with parents and carers to share their views and co-produce service improvements.</p>

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I hope that you have a lovely weekend.

Syra Sowe  
Principal

FELLOWS SINGERS  
PRESENT

# PURE GOLD

A 1HR CONCERT OF  
MUSIC FROM THE  
ENGLISH & AMERICAN  
GOLDEN ERAS

FREE ENTRY WITH  
COLLECTION IN AID OF  
SWISS COTTAGE SCHOOL



**SATURDAY 9 MAY 5PM**  
**ST SAVIOUR'S CHURCH NW3 4SU**

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CAMDEN Parent Carer Forum

## 'Parenting Girls with Autism' Reflective Space

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
11am-12:30pm

Kentish Town Congregational Church  
Kelly Street, NW5 8PH

This reflective workshop will help parent carers explore current research and thinking about autistic females while capturing the lived experiences of parents and carers raising autistic girls and young women

If you would like to book a space, please email:  
camdenpcf@kids.org.uk  
or Call/Txt 07385 003 662

Facilitated by Charlene Murphy




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CAMDEN Parent Carer Forum

## Sleep Workshop

With Sleep Expert  
Michelle Stott

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
12.30-2.30pm

ONLINE

Are you a Camden Parent or Carer of A Child or Young Person with SEND (aged 0-25) and would like to learn more about Sleep? Join us for this Online Sleep Workshop with CAMHS professional Michelle.

This relaxed session is designed for parent carers who want to understand more about their child's sleep and learn strategies that really help.

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May,  
12.30-2.30pm  
Optional 30 mins Q&A

If you would like to register for the link please email:  
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CAMDEN Parent Carer Forum

## Forum Meeting

Hybrid

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2026  
10.30-12.30pm.  
Greenwood Centre, 37  
Greenwood Place  
NW5 1LB

Are You a Camden Parent or Carer of a child or young person (0-25 years) that would like to hear service updates from

- Camden Special Educational Needs Service
- Children & Young People with Disabilities Service
- MOSAIC Health Service
- Learning Disability Community Support Service

Then Join us at Our Forum Meetings!

Meetings are Hybrid, online and in-person. Please register to receive the online link

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**Active for all**

## FUN, FREE DAY OUT FOR YOUNG DISABLED PEOPLE AND THEIR FAMILIES

Saturday 23 May

Talacre Community Sports Centre  
2.00pm - 6.00pm

Fun activities for young people aged **5 to 25**  
Children should be accompanied by a parent or carer throughout the day

Camden Active  
Come and give it a go!



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## Adult Learning Courses in Camden this Term

If you're over 19 and want to learn something new, Camden Adult Community Learning might have a course for you. There are free courses in family learning, digital skills, English for speakers of other languages, maths, community development, arts and crafts and more.

For more information [please visit the website.](#)

