

At James Wolfe, we are constantly striving to further enrich the opportunities and experiences for our pupils -- this may include playground improvements, extracurricular activities, development of indoor spaces (e.g. libraries), special provision, inspirational visitors and experiences. If you would like to make a contribution to our fundraising efforts, please go to our Go Fund Me page at <https://gofund.me/3f7ee947>. We will share updates on how we spend these donations in the Weekly Wolfe. Thank you in advance for your contributions.

Thursday 6th July 2023



Dear Parents,



This week has been very exciting, as we began our transition events across the school! All children met with their new teacher and got to experience their new classrooms for the first time. There will be a second **OPPORTUNITY** next week, where the children will again visit their new classroom and spend the afternoon getting to know their new class teacher.

We have also welcomed some of our new Nursery children and their families into school for the first of our transition Stay & Play sessions. Next week, we will be saying hello to the rest of our new Nursery, along with our new Reception children and we cannot wait to give them a taster of the amazing activities and experiences that we have in store for them from September.

This is an extremely busy time of the year and we cannot thank you all enough for your support; it really does mean the world to the children and us. With that said, I would like to remind you to check the dates of the final few events of the year – we wouldn't want you to miss any of the excitement.

Due to the extremely unpredictable weather in our lovely country, we sadly had to postpone our Sports Day for Years 1-3, but I'm now excited to share that we have been able to rearrange this for Friday 14th July from 1:30pm to 3:00pm.

Please also remember that we have our Open Evening on Wednesday 12th July between 4:00pm and 6:00pm, including the launch of the 'James Wolfe Sculpture Trail'. During the Open Evening you will be able to meet with your child's current and new class teacher, as well as collect your trail booklet, which will lead you around the various locations showcasing the wonderful sculptures created by James Wolfe pupils.

We look forward to seeing you there!

Kind regards,
Mrs Curtis

Breakfast Club

BREAKFAST CLUB

The booking letter for September's Breakfast Club was sent out to parents yesterday (Wednesday). Booking will be available from Midday on Friday (7th July).

Places at Breakfast Club (both campuses) must be booked in advance. If parents find they are unable to book, for example there are no spaces, they must email admin@jameswolfe.greenwich.sch.uk to ask if there are any spaces available. **Please can parents note that they must book for their child to attend.**

The price of Breakfast Club provision will increase in September to £3.50 per day.

The start and finish times of Breakfast Club are: Randall Place 8am to 9am and Royal Hill 7.45am to 8.45am. Children may arrive any time up to 15 minutes before the end.

Industrial Action Update

CLASSES OPEN TOMORROW

Reception Mango and Year 2 Beech have now been added to the classes open tomorrow (Friday 7th). This means the following classes will be open:

- Reception Peach • Reception Mango • Year 1 Fir • Year 1 Willow
- Year 1 Silver Birch • Year 1 Hazel • Year 2 Beech • Year 2 Rowan
- Year 2 Elm • Year 4 Sun • Year 5 Jupiter • Year 5 Earth

If your child is not in one of the above classes, they should not attend school tomorrow.



RECYCLING BANK

Last week, the school had two clothes recycling banks installed, one near the entrance to each campus, for the use of both parents and staff -- and, in fact, we have already had to have the Randall Place bank emptied, so thank you. Please note that these recycling banks are for clothes only and we ask that you please do not put any mouldy clothes, food waste or any other general waste into them.



WEEKLY WOLFE

Due to a change in the advice given to us by our data protection advisors, from the start of next term, the Weekly Wolfe will automatically be sent to all parents, who will no longer have to sign up to receive it.



HOLIDAY FOOD AND FUN

Holiday Food and Fun is back for the upcoming holiday, including free activities for young people in Royal Greenwich!

If your child is aged between 4 and 16, and receives or is eligible for benefit-related free school meals, they'll be able to claim a spot at one of the participating clubs, which will run between Monday 24th July and Friday 1st September 2023.

Please check the directory at <https://www.royalgreenwich.gov.uk/holidayfoodandfun> and then contact your preferred club to secure your space.

Friends of James Wolfe School

Hi everyone,



Thank you to everyone who came to support us last Friday! A great deal of food and drink was consumed and a lot of fun was had by all! Every penny we made will go back into the school. With your help, we are able to buy all the little extras that help make James Wolfe an amazing place to learn and grow.

This was our last event of the school year. If you would like to get involved and help us put on events and fundraising activities, please get in touch.

Please follow/like us on Twitter/Facebook to find out more about what we do, as well as about upcoming social/fundraising events. All are welcome!

Email: friendsofJWS@gmail.com

Facebook: <https://en-gb.facebook.com/FJWSGreenwich>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/fjwsgreenwich>

IMPORTANT DATES

Summer Term 2023

- Thursday 6th July -- Year 3 Egypt Trip to British Museum
- Thursday 6th July -- Year 4 Sun Trip to Bank of England Museum
- Thursday 6th July -- Year 2 Beech & Rowan Trip to Horniman Museum
- Monday 10th July -- Year 2 Elm & Maple Trip to Horniman Museum
- Monday 10th July -- New Reception Stay & Play
- Tuesday 11th July -- Year 6 Performance (2pm)
- Wednesday 12th July -- Transition Afternoon and New Reception Stay & Play
- Wednesday 12th July -- Open Evening
- Thursday 13th July -- Reception Sports Day (RM/RP AM, RL/RC PM)
- Thursday 13th July -- Year 6 Performance (5:30pm)
- Friday 14th July -- Year 4-6 Sports Day
- Friday 14th July -- Year 6 Performance (5:30pm)
- Monday 17th July -- Nursery Sports Day and Celebration Assemblies
- Tuesday 18th July -- Reception Picnic in the Park
- Thursday 20th July -- Year 6 Leavers' Assembly (2pm, The John Roan)
- Friday 21st July -- Last Day of Term

FREE SCHOOL MEALS FOR ALL CHILDREN FROM SEPTEMBER



Dear Parent/Guardian,
From the new Autumn term, commencing September 2023, all children in Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 living in Greater London will be offered Free School Meals.

In response to the rising cost of living, the Mayor of London has made a commitment that every primary school child is entitled to a Free School Meal. This important step extends the existing Free School Meal provision – currently available to children in reception, and years 1 and 2 – to all primary school children in Greater London.

Chartwells Schools – as your catering partner – design nutritious seasonal menus, lovingly created by our team of talented chefs and dedicated nutritionists, who make sure the menus are packed with all the ingredients children need to grow strong and healthy.

Every day there is a choice of two hot main courses, jacket potatoes, pasta or a packed lunch. The meals are nutritionally balanced and feature familiar favourites as well as exciting new flavours, to encourage children to try something different.

We also cater for children with allergies and intolerances, so they can feel safe and included with their friends whilst eating school meals. If your child has a dietary requirement, please read the attached letter from the Chartwells Medical Diet Team to ensure we can cater for all children from September. Please provide all information as soon as possible, and before 21st July 2023, to allow the Medical Diets team enough time to develop an appropriate menu for your child/children.

Please visit your school's website for any further information on how to order meals in advance.



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

WHAT IF MY CHILD HAS AN ALLERGY OR SPECIAL DIET?
Our primary objective is to keep our pupils – your children – safe every day when enjoying their school meals.
We take allergies very seriously and, supported by our robust Medical Diet Policy, we will do everything possible to ensure that as many children as possible living with food allergies and intolerances can eat safely at school with their friends.
To find out more please email: chartwells.medicaldiet@chartwells-group.co.uk

WHAT IS INCLUDED IN A SCHOOL MEAL?
Every day you can be assured that a school meal will offer:
• At least two portions of fruit and vegetables
• Dairy food items rich in calcium for strong bones and teeth
• Starchy carbohydrates to provide energy
• A protein source to support the body's growth and repair.

HOW DO I ORDER AND PAY FOR SCHOOL MEALS?
All children in our school are entitled to a delicious hot meal or packed lunch for free.
Many schools provide an online portal that allows you to order your children's meals.

CAN A PACKED LUNCH BE PROVIDED INSTEAD OF A HOT MEAL?
Absolutely! Our packed lunches are made fresh, made daily and are designed to be both tasty and nutritious, ensuring that children enjoy a balanced and satisfying meal.

Our menus are packed with familiar favourites such as cheese & tomato pizza, roast dinners and hotly pies



LOVE SCHOOL MEALS

NUTRITIOUS FOOD AND MEMORABLE EXPERIENCES




MAKING HEALTHY CHOICES

AT CHARTWELLS, WE ARE PASSIONATE ABOUT ENCOURAGING AND ENABLING MORE CHILDREN TO MAKE HEALTHY CHOICES AND ENJOY A NUTRITIOUS SCHOOL MEAL TO GET THE MOST OUT OF THEIR DAY.

Chartwells school meals have been lovingly created by a team of talented chefs and dedicated nutritionists, making sure menus are packed with all the ingredients children need to grow strong and healthy.

Making a home-packed lunch for your child each day can be time-consuming and expensive. School meals can relieve some of this pressure by providing a hot, nutritious lunch for your child, every school day.



THE BENEFITS OF SCHOOL MEALS

<p>MAKING CHILDREN HEALTHIER Children having school meals are more likely to eat fruit and vegetables and drink water throughout the day.</p>	<p>BEHAVIOUR & CONCENTRATION A healthy school meal helps children get the best from their learning.</p>
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THEY ARE FREE FOR ALL CHILDREN FROM RECEPTION TO YEAR 6
Speak to your school about signing your child up today!

<p>TASTY THEME DAYS Throughout the term, your child will get to experience delicious theme days where we bring excitement to the dining hall with new and exciting choices such as our Space Adventure or Mid Summer Magic.</p>	<p>MAKING FOOD FUN We want your children to have fun and the dining hall is a great place for them to enjoy themselves with topics, whilst they learn about different types of food.</p>
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WE EDUCATE AND INSPIRE CHILDREN WITH OUR BEYOND THE CHARTWELLS' KITCHEN WORKSHOPS

Save up to £457 with FREE school meals



YOUNG GREENWICH

JULY - AUGUST

- Aged 10-19 (up to 25 for those with SEND)
- Who live, work or study in The Royal Borough of Greenwich

SUMMER ACADEMY 2023

FREE SUMMER ACTIVITIES FOR YOUNG PEOPLE

ACTIVITIES INCLUDE

- Army Bootcamp
- Street Dance
- Art and Design Workshop
- Rock Climbing
- Drama and Acting
- Careers workshops
- Film Making
- Boxing
- Knitting & Embroidery
- Song-writing and Production
- Comic book design
- Fashion workshops

AT VARIOUS VENUES IN GREENWICH

SCAN TO BOOK ACTIVITIES

07896104694

ygsummeracademy@cact.org.uk

young-greenwich.org.uk/ygsummer2023

YOUNG GREENWICH

SUMMER CAMP

July - August 2023

Free Activities

- PHYSICAL ACTIVITY
- ACTIVE LEARNING
- CREATIVE ARTS

Sessions open to young people:

- Aged 8-14
- Living or studying in Greenwich
- Receiving free school meals

WEEKLY PROGRAMME 10am - 3pm

LOCATIONS IN GREENWICH

SUMMER SCHOOL IS BACK FOR 2023

Join us for a fun-packed week where you will spend time creating your own musical before taking part in a dazzling performance for friends and family at the end of the week.

LIMITED PLACES
Book Today to avoid disappointment

FOR 7 - 16 YRS
CHOBHAM ACADEMY, STRATFORD
24 - 28 JULY AND 21 - 25 AUGUST
9.30AM - 4.30PM DAILY
VISIT THE WEBSITE FOR MORE DETAILS

020 7682 1403

hello@afperformingarts.com

THE STRINGS CLUB

Make sure your child's Summer is unforgettable!

The Strings Club multi-award winning summer Holiday Camps for 4-11 year olds offer top quality childcare that you can trust.

Venue - James Wolfe Primary School, Royal Hill, SE10 8RZ
Dates - wc 24th July - wc 21st August 2023

Our interactive activities are led by qualified, friendly, fully-DBS checked practitioners and musicians who know how to inspire children from drop-off to pick-up time!

Why Join The Strings Club?

- Sessions in guitar, violin or ukulele
- FREE to hire instrument - even to take home
- Different theme every week
- Afternoon workshops from sport to art to drama
- One trained adult to 8 children - for all ages
- Daily Diaries and Newsletters - with access to gallery
 - Book 1 day to the whole experience
- Discounts including 10% sibling discount and tax free childcare
 - EYFS Ofsted registered

Get your child signed up today for this enriching experience that will improve their wellbeing.

Exclusive Discount for James Wolfe Pupils.

To claim your discount simply call our friendly Head Office team and we'll pop a 10% discount onto your booking.

Visit www.thestringsclub.org or call our Head Office on 0121 296 9204.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

The Strings Club

Gold Trusted Service Award

Music & Drama Education Awards 2022

Winner 2021-22

Greenwich Music School

Young Musicians Holiday Course

Ages 7-11 | Mon 31st July - Thurs 3rd August at Mycenae House

Contact us on 020 8305 1286 or at info@greenwichmusicschool.org.uk

Prices online - means texted bursaries available.

Young Musicians Holiday Course

Enjoy creative music-making this holiday!

Monday 31st July to Thursday 3rd August 2023
9.30am-3.30pm
For children aged 7-10 (plus age 6 going into school year 3).

The course is packed with engaging and fun activities, with plenty of variety - for example drumming, singing or body percussion sessions, creating and composing music together, making instruments, imagination and movement activities and listening.

"My daughter absolutely LOVED every day! She said she wishes she could go everyday until she is 100 years old. The activities and pacing of the day sounded perfect too. It was such a joy to be able to watch all the children learnt on Friday!" - NATALIE

Children will enjoy creative music and games in Mycenae Gardens (weather permitting!), prepare music and perform to each other and to the whole group. It's a great way to make new friends and explore music-making!

During the course the children will develop projects and build skills, working towards something special to share with family and friends at the end of the course.

The course is led by professional musicians and music education experts, and balances enriching musical learning experiences with down-time and fun for the holiday season.

Suitable for absolute beginners, those who have already started learning an instrument, and those who have been learning for several years.

Location: Mycenae House, SE3 7SE
Book at greenwichmusicschool.org.uk

STANLEY'S SPORTS ACADEMY ACTIVITY CAMP

BOOK NOW!




1	2	3	4	5
Stanley's Sports Academy is running their sports activity camp at the James Wolfe Primary School, Randall Place, SE10 9LA	Everyone is welcome to attend! You can book in now or ask for more information by emailing nadira.a@ssportsacademy.org	We are running from 24th Jul - 04th Aug 5 days of exciting fun sports and nutrition activities for everyone to enjoy. BOOK NOW!	Free spaces available for children receiving FSM! Please enquire via email. Only 30 free spaces available!	Contact Us nadira.a@ssportsacademy.org info@ssportsacademy.org https://www.stanleysportsacademy.com/ @stanleysportsacademy



ACTIV CAMPS

AllKidsCan will be running ActivCamps across four schools in The Royal Borough of Greenwich and surrounding areas over the Summer. As part of the ongoing work they do with the Greenwich School Sports Partnership, they offer a £10 discount to all new parents making their first booking for a child who attends a GSSP member school, which luckily James Wolfe is! For more information, please visit <http://www.allkidscan.co.uk> or email them at info@allkidscan.co.uk.



PARENT HEALTH DROP-INS

The Young Greenwich School Nursing Service are offering parent drop-in sessions on the following dates:

- Thursday 6th July 2023 at Hawksmoor Youth Hub from 11am - 12pm
- Tuesday 11th July 2023 at Woolwich Common Youth Hub from 1pm - 2pm
- Thursday 13th July 2023 at Avery Hill Youth Hub from 12noon - 1pm

These sessions are open to all families of school-aged children across Greenwich and parents are welcome to discuss any health concerns they may have.



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