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Reception Visit to the City Farm

As part of their "On the Farm" topic, Reception children visited Kentish Town City Farm last Thursday. They met a whole range of animals—and even got to stroke some of them! Highlights included Dora the donkey and Pickle the guinea pig. It was a fantastic, hands-on way to build on their classroom learning. [Have a look at some of the photos here...](#)



Open Events

This week marked the final round of our Open Events, with Year 6 parents and carers joining us to celebrate their children's learning journey. It was a wonderful opportunity for the children to proudly showcase their work and give guided tours of their learning environment. All the pupils thoroughly enjoyed having their families visit and share in their success. Thank you to all the families who joined us!

South Haringey School

Dear Parent/Carer,

Choir News

We're thrilled to share that our choir was specially selected—out of all the Haringey schools who recently performed at the Royal Albert Hall—for a unique recording project. Composer Lucie Treacher transformed our music room into a mini studio for the day and conducted the choir as they sang. A huge well done to Daniel and the choir for their exceptional performance!



Ducklings in Reception

Reception classes have had a quacking good term! Inspired by their core book Farmer Duck, the children had the chance to care for five real duck eggs, which hatched one by one into fluffy ducklings, right in the classroom. Special thanks to Solomon in Holly class, who cared for them over the weekend—they came back double the size! When the farmer returned to collect them for their new life on a Kent farm, he praised Rowan and Holly classes for their superb care. [You can see some photos here...](#)



Year 2 Trip to St Paul's Cathedral

Last week, Year 2 travelled back in time with a visit to St Paul's Cathedral. The children loved dressing up and immersing themselves in the history of the Great Fire of London—right down to the smells and tools from the era! They explored the galleries, admired statues that survived the fire, and even lay under the great dome to take in its beauty; in doing so, the children enhanced their knowledge of the reason the fire started, its effect and the resulting impact. A highlight for many was the Whispering Gallery, which sparked lots of excitement and curiosity. [Photos from the trip are available here...](#)



Year 4 Trip to the Science Museum

Yesterday, year 4 visited the Science Museum; they had a fantastic time at the 'It Takes Guts' workshop. The children learnt all about how digestion works and the different nutrients we find in food. The workshop was great fun, with several children from South Haringey helping with the experiments. We even got to see a video of inside a real intestine! Thankfully, everyone still had an appetite for lunch afterwards!



Year 4 Mini Massive Concert

We are excited to announce that Year 4 will be taking part in the Haringey Mini Massive Concert at Alexandra Palace on Tuesday 15th July, 5:30 - 6:30 pm. More information to follow after the half-term break.



SHS SPORTS

This week Athletics has taken over with numerous children from the juniors taking part in tournaments. We have had the Quad Kids athletics where 4 boys and 4 girls from year 3 & 4 and year 5 & 6 all take part in the javelin, long jump, sprint and middle distance events in order to earn points for their team. Both teams performed brilliantly and both finished in 4th place out of 22 schools which is a great achievement. A special mention to King in year 4 who picked up bronze in the individual boys award for his age group.

We also took part in the Haringey Athletics Championships where athletes compete in a wider range of events. Both our girls' and boys' teams performed at a very high standard all day and both finished 6th out of 20 schools.

A massive well done to all athletes who competed.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Inset day - Monday 2nd June 2025

Cuffley Camp – Monday 2nd June to Wednesday 4th June 2025

Travelling Bookfair - 16th June to 20th June

Junior School Sports day – Monday 30th June 2025

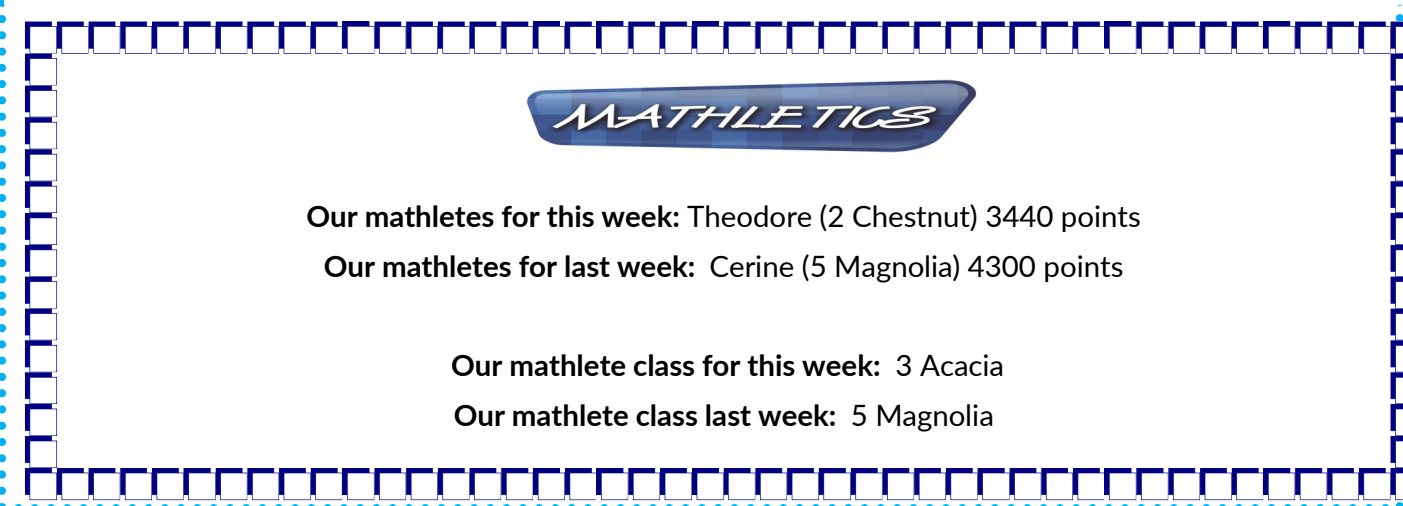
Infant School Sports day – Tuesday 1st July 2025

Pendarren – Monday 14th July to Friday 18th July 2025

[Please click here to see the school term dates for this academic year](#)

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The image shows the Accelerated Reader logo, which consists of a blue square with white wavy lines and the text "Accelerated Reader" in a serif font. Below the logo, there are two lines of text: "Our super readers for this week: Seb (3) - Sara (4) - Rufus (5) - Hugo & Clemmie (6)" and "Our super readers for last week: Valentina (3) - Francis (4) - Rufus (5) - Dimitrious (6)". The entire section is framed by a decorative border of yellow stars.





Street Art Trail and Competition!

This May half-term, we would love you to explore the street art of Haringey and be inspired to create your own piece of street art for display in a special SHS exhibition. There are lots of ways you can get involved:

- Go on James Traffon's street art safari: <https://www.james-traffon.co.uk/artwork-location-map>
- Follow the chewing gum art trail on the Parkland Walk: <https://www.parkland-walk.org.uk/ben-wilson/>
- Visit the Turnpike Lane shutter gallery: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/haringey/albums/72177720298465148/>

Explore Haringey and upload photos of the street art you find to Google Classroom

Create your own piece of street art inspired by all or some of the above!

Competition entries must be given in to the school office by Friday 6th June 2025. All artworks must be A4 or A3 in size and have your name and class written clearly on the back. We will aim to display all entries in the exhibition, with winning artworks to be framed and displayed more permanently around the school.

FRIENDS OF SOUTH HARRINGAY NEWS

DONATIONS NEEDED

It's time to gather up your trash and turn it into someone else's treasure at the school fair (21 June 2025)



We need:

- uniform and Xmas jumpers, washed and in good condition (no other clothes please) 
- Accessories e.g. hats, sunglasses, headbands, hair clips, costume jewellery 
- plant pots, seedlings and seeds 
- toys, books, puzzles games and teddies (clean, good condition, in full working order with all parts)
- Jazzy jars - fill a jam jar with old party favours 
- beads - for bracelet making
- Party bag tat - tattoos, stickers, slapbands, keyrings etc
- Nail polish 
- Bottles of spirits/ wine (in date/ unopened) 
- unwanted gifts e.g. candles, toiletry set, perfume 

- Raffle prizes- anything special you or your company can offer for our fabulous raffle? 

All donations can now be dropped at the school office.

Donations needed ON THE DAY include:

- cakes, biscuits (nut, meat and sesame free) 
- salads for the BBQ 

We still need lots of volunteers to man stalls. Shifts are only an hour, leaving you with plenty of time to enjoy the fair. Please join the Summer Fair Planning WhatsApp group.

Join here: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/FHxXxWielbBD5B2M0J3uI8>

Donate an hour of your time....you'll be rewarded with plenty of smiles on the day Now isn't that worth it?

Thank you

PSA TEAM

SOUTH HARRINGAY SCHOOL

SUMMER FAIR

SATURDAY 21ST JUNE

11-4PM (11-12 QUIET HOUR)

BBQ BATTLE OF THE BANDS
FACE PAINTING MUSIC WORKSHOPS
BOUNCY CASTLE PLANTS BOOKS

ENTRY:
£1 ADULTS / 50P KIDS
MATTISON ROAD,
LONDON, N4 1BA



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