

# Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2022

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Dear Parents and Carers,

We have reached the end of our first half term of the year here at Haymerle. It does not seem that long ago that we were opening the gates for the first time but, as they say, time flies when you're having fun!

For many children and families this has been your first term with us and we are delighted to see how well the children have settled into school routine.

We have had a busy term with Create Arts running an art of, 'Environmental Tales' project. Music Therapy has started with Sarah and Yoga classes are up and running. This week we welcomed an Olympic Athlete, Victoria Ohuruogu. We would like to thank you all for your support with this sponsored event.

Thank you to those parents/carers of our new starters who were able to attend our first induction session with the therapy staff.

Next term our Occupational Therapist will be offering some training to all parents around feeding and motor skills. We also plan on holding an informal coffee morning, welcoming SIAS and Early Help to be present to answer questions you may have about support in Southwark for children with SEND.

We hope you have a wonderful break.

Miss Nolan **Headteacher** 

# **BLACK HISTORY MONTH**

Southwark Council are holding some events and workshops in October to celebrate Black History Month. Many events are taking place during the half term.

See link below for more information;

https://www.southwark.gov.uk/events-culture-and-heritage/search?c=308



## **FAMILY SUPPORT**

With the rise in living costs and utility bills rising, we do not think anyone in our community should have to face going hungry. If you are facing a crisis and need some help, there are a number of agencies and charities that offer this help, including the following;

Southwark Foodbank;

https://southwark.foodbank.org.uk/get-help/how-to-get-help/

Peckham Park Road Pantry;

https://www.yourlocalpantry.co.uk/pantry-listings/london-peckham-park-road-pantry

Please note there will be no school on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October.

Children return to school on Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> November.







## **SPORTS FOR SCHOOLS**

We were very excited to welcome a top athlete, Victoria Ohuruogu to the school this week. The children took part in a fun fitness circuit and so many of you sponsored your children raising money for new PE equipment. We hope the children were inspired to be more physically active. This was a terrific and memorable event.



# **TERM DATE 2022 - 2023**

#### **Autumn Term**

Thursday 1 September 2022 to Friday 22 October 2022 **Half Term** – Monday 24 October 2022 to Friday 28 October 2022

Monday 31 October 2022 to Friday 16 December 2022

## **Spring Term**

Tuesday 3 January 2023 to Friday 10 February 2023

Half Term – Monday 13 February 2023 to Friday

17 February 2023

Monday 20 February 2023 to Friday 31 March 2023

### **Summer Term**

Monday 17 April 2023 to Friday 26 May 2023 (May Day bank holiday will be taken on 1 May) Half Term – Monday 29 May 2023 to Friday 2 June 2023 Monday 5 June 2023 to Friday 21 July 2023

# **Inset Days**

Monday 31st October 2022

# **CREATE ARTS**

We have been very lucky to have been chosen by Create Arts to take part in a project this term on 'Environmental Tales'. We have been working with an artist to create art works based on saving the planet. The children have enjoyed learning about ways we can save the planet and things that are causing it harm. We are very proud of the way they have all worked together and produced amazing pieces of art.













