



Clapham Manor
*Primary School &
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Dates for the Diary



- **Monday 12th June 2023** - Class Photo Day (**Full Summer School Uniform**)
- **Tuesday 13th June 2023** - Year 4 PGL Parent Information Meeting @ **15:45pm**
- - Year 5 Parent Workshop Secondary Transition @ **18:00pm**
- **Thursday 15th June 2023** - 2 Turing Sharing Assembly @ **9:15am**
- **Friday 16th June 2023** - 1 Armstrong Assembly @ **9:15am**

Open Classroom Week from 19th June

- **Monday 19th June 2023** - Music Extravaganza @ **17:00am**
- **Tuesday 20th June 2023** - Music Extravaganza @ **17:00am**
- **Thursday 22nd June 2023** - Windrush Event - **(time TBC)**

Head of School's Comment

Welcome back to Clapham Manor for what will be a fun, entertaining and celebratory half term! This is a particularly busy time for us and we encourage all parents / carers to check the Clapham Manor Parents Calendar to find out more about what has been planned for Summer 2.

As the weather becomes hotter, we would like to remind families to ensure children have had sun cream applied at home, during the sunnier days at school, and bring a hat and water bottle as well. Just as importantly, please remember to clearly label these items and their jumpers so we can ensure they make their way to their owners with ease!

We have lots of exciting things going on this half term; from residentials, school productions, summer fairs and more. For the children, we will be starting to prepare them for their transition into their next year group where, later in the term, they will have the chance to meet their new teacher and see their new classroom.

Finally, we are delighted to invite you all to our last 'Open Classroom' day from the 19th June where you will have the chance to learn with your child in a writing lesson! Please check Tuesday's letter for details on the visiting times.

I hope everyone stays safe in the heat and enjoys what looks to be a warm and sunny weekend!

Best wishes,

Ms Lancaster

SEND Communication

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have had some requests from parents for a donations page to buy items for our pupils with SEND. This includes dyslexia support materials, sensory resources, alternative curriculum activities for non-verbal pupils and OT tools. In light of this, we have set up a Wishlist on Amazon for direct purchases.

I would like to thank those of you who have already donated. Our therapeutic spaces have been revitalised this year thanks to your kindness and generosity.

Please see the link below:

<https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/2ILZ65NT0SDCG>

Best wishes,

Erica Williams

Assistant Head Teacher, Inclusion

Teacher Comments

Book Fair

Thank you for everyone who attended the Book Fair, we raised **£195.00** to go towards restocking the library.

A massive thank you to Regina Carrena for helping run the stall!

Year 5 Learning

As part of our science topic on life cycles, Year 5 were happy to welcome five new students to each of their classes. They arrived as eggs and soon they became larva (known as caterpillars). We had to make sure they had enough food and then they moved onto the next stage, to become a pupa. The pupa of butterflies is also called a chrysalis. Once they are ready, they break out as butterflies. We fed these for a few days so they built up their strength before we released them to the wild. It was amazing watching this metamorphosis!

Miss Stoneham



Children at CMPS taking part in Local Sporting Events

Gymnastics

Clapham Gymnastics Club, based in Clapham Leisure Centre, held their annual in-house competition.

Three children from Year 1, Josie Farley, India Arnby-Lumley and Mikail Abdullah, all came away with position medals!

Josie First place for Vault, India Third place for the Floor and Mikail First place for Overall, as well as another First place for either Floor or Vault (TBC)

Tennis

The year 4 girls represented by Sienna Small and Phoebe Jenkins took part in a Lambeth schools tennis tournament last week in Kennington. In a hotly contested tournament consisting of 6 matches for both girls, they won 10 of the games out of a possible 12. They played showing great skill, determination, and teamwork throughout. This was rewarded with an overall 3rd place finish out of 7 teams behind Allen Edwards and Reay A team (both of whom had county player in their girls' teams).

Congratulations to both Sienna and Phoebe - they played their hearts out and fully deserved their impressive final position!







Year 4 Residential Trip

Year 4 had an incredible time at the residential trip last half term. Over two days, the children and staff took part in a variety of team building activities, including paddle boarding, raft building and navigating challenge courses together. We were so lucky to have beautiful weather. The instructors commented on how well-behaved and lovely our children were, so a huge well done to them for showing the very best of Clapham Manor! I hope you all had a lovely half term.

Ms Floyd, Year 4









Year 2 London Zoo Trip

Before half term, Year 2 visited London Zoo. We have been learning all about animals and how they are adapted to survive in their habitats and this was a great way to experience some of these creatures up close. We all had a great time and thankfully, no one was eaten by the lions!

















Whole School Art Exhibition

On Thursday 25th May, we held our first Clapham Manor Art Exhibition. Thank you to everyone who attended and saw the children's fantastic art work and efforts over the last year. It was lovely to see the children so enthusiastic about sharing their learning and seeing everybody have a go at the different art skills on the tables.

Many thanks,

Katie















Year 6 Buddhist Temple Trip

Year 6 went on a fantastic trip to the Buddhist Centre on Friday 26th May. They were able to learn about Buddha, try some meditation and explore the beautiful temple and surrounding gardens. Thank you to Ms Gillis for organising the trip and all of the adults that helped!







PTA

Year 6 Fundraising

The PTA are helping Year 6 to raise money to help them celebrate the end of their time at Clapham Manor School. We are hoping to raise enough money to pay for, a year book for each child, trophies for the end of year awards and maybe some other things to support the end-of-year arrangements. We will be holding ice lolly and popcorn sales every Friday to raise money for this cause but would appreciate any additional donations that parents would like to make. Thank you in advance for generous!

Click on [Get Tickets](#) to make your donation or make a donation at the sales on a Friday, by cash or card.

Popcorn and Ice Lolly Sales

The last three Popcorn and Ice Lolly Sales before Half Term raised a total of **£327.36**. A huge thank you to the parent volunteers, Year 6 staff and children who made the event happen! and of course, those who made the purchased the Popcorn!

In total we currently have £427.36, which will support purchasing leaving gifts for the current Year 6 children.

Don't miss the next Popcorn Sale - Friday 16h June 3.30pm until 4pm - Junior Playground! Come and purchase a bag of popcorn after school, all funds raised will go towards the Year 6 Leavers Gifts. Every Friday after Half Term, there will be either an Ice Lolly or Popcorn sale at the same time, in the same place until July 14th, 2023. [WE STILL NEED VOLUNTEERS TO SUPPORT THESE SALES! Click Here](#)

[to sign up](#); alternatively contact either, the Year 6 Teachers; PTA PTA@clapham-manor.co.uk; or the school office.

Edible Garden

Come and Join us in the Edible Garden (Nature Garden) in the Infant (KS1) playground this **Sunday 11th June from 11am – 1pm** to help maintain the growing spaces to support the whole school growing project ahead of our stall at Venn Street market on the 15th July! [Click here to find out how to support the Venn Street Market event.](#)

To help out this Sunday there is no experience necessary just a pair of willing hands. We will be mainly weeding and watering the areas of the garden where children have planted out their seedlings that were carefully grown in their classrooms (but also some general care of the surrounding areas). We will also be looking for ideas to make the spaces pretty perhaps with some flowers in some of the numerous planters around the school!

Please let Vivien (07880 605 448) know if you are able and planning to come! Children welcome to join you under your own supervision! 🌱

Please do RSVP via [Classlist](#) or contacting Vivien direct, in case we have to cancel last minute due to weather – hopefully not – but just in case will want to be sure everyone knows.

Summer Disco - Friday 30th June, for more information; or to [volunteer](#) and purchase tickets, [click here](#)

Summer Fair - Saturday 8th July 12noon until 4pm [click here to find out how you can help support the fair.](#)

Have you joined Classlist?

[Join The Friends of Clapham Manor Primary School on Classlist](#) you can keep up to date with all the PTA activities, sell/buy items from other parents. You can even communicate with parents/careers from your child/children's class, while only sharing your name! All other contact details can remain anonymous.

Donate to PTA while shopping online -

Don't forget to register Friends of Clapham Manor on your [Easy Fundraising](#). While you shop normally online and at no additional cost, you can raise funds for the PTA. [Learn more from this link on how to do that.](#) So far, we have raised £140.00 this year!

If you are interested in volunteering for the PTA, please contact PTA@clapham-manor.co.uk







Clapham Manor
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Creating Brighter Futures

The Friends of Clapham Manor presents...

SUMMERDISCO



£3.50
PER SESSION

Friday 30 June

3:45pm – 5:00pm: Early Years (Nursery & Reception),
and Year 1 & 2
5:30pm – 7:00pm: Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Lower Hall, Clapham Manor Primary School

Children must be supervised at all times by the adult in attendance!
Tickets available via [Classlist](#).

Pizza for £1 | **Adult Bar** | Unlimited Juice Bar | **Snack Bag on arrival**



The Friends of  Clapham Manor
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Junior Adventures Group - JAG

Join JAG this Summer! Action-Packed Holiday Club delivered by JAG at Clapham Manor Primary School, throughout the Summer Holiday!

Experience an exciting summer at JAG's Summer Adventure – their six-week holiday club packed with diverse activities and challenges designed to help your children discover their potential, build friendships, and have a blast! Their program is guided by our "Whole of Child" approach that fosters creativity, learning, inclusion, participation, well-being, and happiness. With a broad range of activities, children will conquer challenges, explore, discover, grow, create, and achieve, while earning badges for their accomplishments. Join us here this Summer for a memorable holiday filled with adventure and fun! ☑ Activities focussed on improving your child's skills & supporting their development. ☑ NEW activities and daily plans ensuring no two days are ever the same. ☑ NEW Adventure Diaries – extra activities & sections where children can document their Summer. NEW Special Events – featuring Nerf, Zoo lab, Creation Station & Action for Children! The JAG Games – running every Friday throughout the holiday!

Secure your child's spot in advance and enjoy significant savings!

Use code: **ADVENTURE10** and save 10% off your booking!

The offer ends at Midnight on **Sunday 2nd July!** Unlock a Weekly Booking Discount if you book a full week (Mon-Fri) - automatically applied at checkout!

Book Now: <https://www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/holiday-clubs/>

Learn More: <https://www.junioradventuresgroup.co.uk/holiday-clubs/whats-on/>



MY
Summer
 Adventure

Amazing Holiday Club Experiences!

Give your child a summer holiday to remember with JAG! Join us for an action-packed holiday programme full of play and adventures. Children will enjoy a brilliant mix of skills for sports, engaging activities to get children moving, creative sessions that encourage children to express themselves and much more. Parents can relax in the knowledge that their child is safe, well cared for, active and most importantly having fun!

- ✓ Ages 4-11 years
- ✓ 70+ locations
- ✓ Keep active & improve wellbeing
- ✓ Release Creativity
- ✓ Make memories to last a lifetime
- ✓ Explore a variety of child interests



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Parent Feedback

Like your children we want to keep improving and your feedback is invaluable!



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Junior Adventures Group

Building brighter futures together

Attendance



W/C 22nd May 23

Star Class goes to with %

W/C 5th June 23

Star Class goes to with %

Community Notice!

Imagine

Venn Street Market

This year the Market is holding its second art competition where pupils can *Imagine* their favourite foods and market experiences.

We want your wonderful and talented pupils to *Imagine* where their food comes from and to make colourful designs to go onto the Market's new tote bags. These can be sold at the Market and also at your School! The Market will select a winning design from each participating school and the winners will be announced at this year's **Clapham Leaf Club Grand Finale on Saturday 15th July!**

So, where does our food come from?

Foods are grown from a seed by feeding it water in the sunshine and watching it grow. Perhaps your pupils will want to draw an allotment patch or just an image of an apple or seed. The artworks can be very simple with a picture of a vegetable or farm. They can *Imagine* their favorite food: fruit/vegetable, cake, loaf of bread, fish, hot street food; or where their food is grown eg farm, garden, school greenhouse; their favourite Venn Street Market stall or market experience or even how their favourite food makes them feel!

We want to inspire all pupils to *Imagine* the chain of the food supply and how we all get to choose what we grow, what we buy and what we eat and, most importantly, what makes us happy!

The winning designs will be printed onto the Market's organic cotton tote bags which will be sold at the Market but can also be sold at the participating schools where half of the proceeds go back into each school's PTA group to support funds for the school.

We hope this enjoyable project will enable the children to understand the food chain supply - where our foods come from and where and how we choose the foods we eat.

This project ties in neatly with our yearly *Clapham Leaf Club* project where pupils are invited to grow foods from seed and sell at the Market amongst our food stalls on Saturday 15th July. We aim to have the designs ready in time for this year's Clapham Leaf Club so that the winners can be announced, and the participating Schools can sell their bags at the Grand Finale!

Please see below further instructions.. The closing date for artwork submissions is Friday 2nd June 2023. Any questions/concerns let me know.. Email kate@vennstreetmarket.co.uk or 07794 080473..

Many thanks!
Kate Greening

COMPETITION

Venn Street Market

Imagine

Where does food come from?

What is your favourite fruit or cake?

How does it make you feel?

Please design a colourful picture to go onto the Venn Street Market's official market Tote bags. There will be only one winner from each participating School and their design will be printed onto market Tote bags to sell at Venn Street Market and at your School helping to raise funds.

All designs must be submitted by hand to Venn Street Market on Friday 2nd June when Kate will be along to collect the artwork. The winners will be announced at Clapham Leaf Club's Grand Finale held at Venn Street Market on Saturday 15th July.

Good luck to you all!

JUNIOR TENNIS COMPETITION
At Hillside Gardens Park, Tulse Hill, SW2 3HL



ENTRIES OPEN ON: 2pm Friday 9th June 2023
ENTRY CLOSING DEADLINE IS: 3pm Sat. 17th June 2023
For more information and to enter your child, visit:-
www.seriousabouttennis.com
> Junior Tennis Coaching
> French Open Team Challenge
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