

# Holbeach

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Friday 22nd March 2019

### Year 1 Educational Visit to The Horniman Museum

Throughout this week, the children in Year 1 have had a great time visiting the Horniman Museum. They went to look for different birds to inspire their Art work for this term. They also saw many more animals and artefacts. Here is what they thought...



"I loved sketching the birds. It was easier than I thought because they were not flying around!" **Neve 1B**

"My favourite part of the day was when we got to run around in the Horniman Gardens. I also liked it when we saw the living animals. They had some sheep there who I spoke to. Baaa!" **Rafael 1SJ**

"I liked going to this museum. It was fun watching the bees and the mice moving around in their exhibition." **Avin 1L**



### Year 3 - Tate Modern Project

We are delighted to announce that the children in Year 3 took part in a project with the Tate Museum this week.

Renowned Turner Prize and Oscar-winning artist, **Steve McQueen**, is leading a project that has invited every Year 3 class across London to take part in the largest group portrait ever made.

This is an EPIC picture of the city's pupils, its rich civic diversity. As well as having their photograph taken for the project the children had a short workshop about photography.



### IMPORTANT DATES

#### Monday 25th March

- Year 5 Design and Technology Workshops (building a Lego city)
- Year 4 Science Workshop at St Dunstan's Secondary School (The Digestive System)

#### Wednesday 27th March

- Year 3 Science Workshop (using technology to investigate rocks and soils)
- Year 4 Exercise Classes for Parents (Memorable Experience)
- Parents Evening (3:40pm - 7pm) please ensure you have made an appointment with the class teacher

#### Thursday 28th March

- Parents Evening (3:40pm - 6pm) please ensure you have made an appointment with the class teacher

#### Friday 29th March

- Holbeach School Choir performing at a Care Home.
- Reading Workshop for parents in Reception (see class blogs for full details)

**A full calendar of events is available on the school website.**

### 2T Class Assembly

On Thursday, I watched the 2T Class Assembly and I thought it was great. They told us the story of The Great Fire of London and then another story about Little Red Riding Hood. Then they showed us their own versions of this story where they had changed little bits like having a different character. My favourite bit was when they sung a song about a wolf who had a rumbling tummy. **By Ibrahim (4S)**



### E-safety Ideas for Parents/Carers

The Government Agency known as Child Exploitation and Online Protection command (CEOP) have released some wonderful new resources for parents to use with younger children (4-7 years old).

As well as a snappy song there are three animated videos where children can learn about safely watching videos, sharing pictures and playing games. There is also a resource pack which includes specific information for parents/carers. You will need to have an account to download these (if you haven't got an account you can still register for one).

For further information visit:

[www.thinkuknow.co.uk/professionals/resources/jessie-and-friends](http://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/professionals/resources/jessie-and-friends)

## School aged childcare: share your experiences

We'd like to speak to a group of parents to hear your thoughts on childcare – how easy is it for you to find the childcare you need? What happens when you can't find it?

Parents don't need to prepare anything to take part, they just need to be a parent of a school child. Everything that parents say will be kept entirely anonymous.

We will provide tea and biscuits on the day and shopping vouchers worth £20 for parents who take part.

**Monday 25 March, 12:30pm-1:30pm**

Civic Suite, London Borough of Lewisham  
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To register, contact Josh on  
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