

# THE PAKEMAN PRESS



**Pakeman  
Primary  
School**

**Thank you for taking the time to read this weekly newsletter. We hope you will find its contents useful.**

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## A Visit To Kenwood House

As part of their *Writing through Art* project, year 3/4 visited Kenwood House to see the paintings that they have studied and written about this term. They also had a chance to explore the grounds before their picnic on Hampstead Heath. They looked like they had great fun rolling down hills and climbing trees too.

[Kenwood House](#)



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Summer Fair**

4th July

**School Productions**

13th and 14th July  
(10am and 2pm)

**End of term**

20th July **at 1.30pm**



## SUPER STARS



Indigo	Andria
Lilac	Aribah
Silver	Ramzan
Crimson	Louisa
Yellow	Adnan
Gold	Wahab
Green	Bayan
Pink	Leonardo
Purple	Mujiza
Orange	Tommy
Brown	Amarachi
Red	Milly
Blue	Redon

**Well done superstars!**



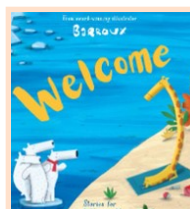
## Refugee Week

Refugee Week is next week. It is a time to celebrate the many contributions of refugees and encourage understanding and empathy between communities.

The book link below includes some lovely books to help start important conversations about why people are displaced and the challenges they face when seeking safety.



[Refugee Booklist](#)





## Attendance and Punctuality



Year Group	Best Attendance	Most Improved	Best Punctuality
EYFS & KS1	Under 96%	Under 96%	Crimson Class
KS2	Red Class	Blue Class	Brown Class



With the arrival of hot summer weather, it is important to make sure that your child is being sun safe.



### Remember to:

- \* Apply sun lotion at home before school.
- \* Provide sun hats for outdoor play time.

## Enjoying The Outdoors

Early years children have been having a very busy learning time in the school's outdoor play areas this week.



## Healthy Eating Week

This week is the [British Nutrition Foundation's](#) Healthy Eating Week. This is a great opportunity to create some healthy and delicious meals with your child.



Learning to cook at a young age can set children up with positive eating patterns for life. Children tend to be more willing to eat a variety of foods when they've been involved in the cooking. So why not pull your aprons on, click on the link and try a new recipe! [Recipes](#)

## Caterlink Survey

As Pakeman's catering provider, Caterlink would love to hear your views on the catering service they provide to your child's school. They value feedback and would like you to help them improve the current service they provide.

This term Caterlink have set up a Parent/Carer survey about their meal provision. The survey will close on 21<sup>st</sup> July. It can be accessed through the link below if you would like to take part.

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/M67CD59>



# Social Change Coffee Mornings & Afternoons

## HOUSING AND REPAIRS

TUESDAY 20TH JUNE

2PM IN THE LAB

TUESDAY 27TH JUNE

2PM IN THE LAB

Please come and join us if you are experiencing:

- Delays with repairs in your home
- Difficulties with communicating with your housing team
- Mold or ongoing issues in your home



Reducing food waste and  
empowering communities

## TRY OUT OUR COMMUNITY FRIDGE



THIS FRIDAY

9:00 – 10:30AM

IN THE LODGE

A Community Fridge is a space that brings people together to eat, connect, learn new skills and reduce food waste. It is a site where local people can share food, this includes surplus from supermarkets, local food businesses, producers, households and gardens.



For information about our Pakeman community fridge initiative and other food related projects which take place please contact Marcia.

[mharris@pakeman.islington.sch.uk](mailto:mharris@pakeman.islington.sch.uk)

Or tel: 020 7607 2575



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## Coffee Mornings

For parents and carers of children with special educational needs and disabilities

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> May 10am – 12pm

Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June 10am – 12pm

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> July 10am – 12pm

At: Lough Road Centre N7 8FF

Email: [islingtonsend@family-action.org.uk](mailto:islingtonsend@family-action.org.uk) or

Call 0203 031 6651 to register

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/IslingtonSENDIAS>



## Do you need support to access Islington services?

Do remember that our Child and Family Support Worker, Natalie, is available to help Pakeman parents and carers to access a range of services in the borough. She also organises coffee mornings to bring adults together to discuss a range of issues.

Look out for Natalie in the playground.

You can also email her: [nbroomes@pakeman.islington.sch.uk](mailto:nbroomes@pakeman.islington.sch.uk)

Or ring the school office to make an appointment: Tel: 020 7607 2575



## Little Angel's Explorers

Join Angel's Little Explorers on an adventure in Little Angel Theatre's weekly playtime for the smallest theatre goers. An object centred session which allows babies and toddlers to engage their senses to explore the world around them in a light, fun and creative way.



Little Angel Theatre offer two free places per session to members of the local community.

Please fill in the slots as soon as possible and they will be in touch to confirm whether you have a space. The workshops take place at [Little Angel Studios](#) on Sebbon Street.

Each adult can bring up to 2 children with them, you do not have to attend all the sessions but can select which ones you would like to attend!

Summer holidays – Parents guide to help keep children safe online

# School's out for summer!

It's always best to be prepared

During the summer holidays, without the distraction of school, internet usage for many young people can increase all the way up to September. This guide is designed to help parents with a realistic approach to help keep their children safe when using the internet, social media and playing online games. Please click on each image below for more information.



**A Parent's Guide to Social Media**



**A Parent's Guide to Sharing Pictures**



**A Parent's Guide to Gaming**



**A Parent's Guide to Live Streaming**



**A Parent's Guide to Online Grooming**



**A Parent's Guide to Online Influencers**



**A Parent's Guide to Fake News**



**A Parent's Guide to Privacy Settings**

Online safety is when young people know who they can tell if they feel upset by something that has happened online.

**Parents** please contact your school if you would like to attend a parents internet safety workshop or have any concerns.

**Schools** please [contact us](#) if you would like a SKIPS Safety Net session delivered to your parent groups or staff.

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Working with Home Office 'PREVENT', The Police and Crime Commissioner and Children's Safeguarding Partnerships to help keep children safe online.

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