

TORRIDON NEWS

9th November 2018

Dear parents and carers,

Thank you to all who attended our curriculum meetings this week. I hope you found them to be useful and informative.

Please remember that all our curriculum leaflets and home learning information is on our website <u>www.torridonprimary.lewisham.sch.uk</u>

This week we had our school council elections. Children presented their manifestos to their classmates and were elected by secret ballot.

Next week is anti-bullying week and the first task for the newly elected councillors will be to help me to write the school's anti-bullying policy.

I am delighted to have such a wonderful team of young leaders to help me with the development of Torridon Primary School.

We will also be raising funds for Children in Need. There will be wristbands for sale in the playground every morning before school and children will be able to wear their own clothes to school on **Friday16th November** for a donation of £1.00.

Thank you for your ongoing support

Best wishes

Manda George

Headteacher



Year 4 Swimming

From week beginning Monday 12th November, Year 4 will begin their swimming lessons at Downham Swimming Pool. They will be taught in the learner pool by trained swimming instructors from Downham with lifeguards also present. Staff members will also be at the poolside as a familiar support for the children.



If you haven't done so already, please complete and return the questionnaire/permission slip which accompanied the letter sent home.

Friends of Torridon PTA need your vote!

VOTE FOR TORRIDON AT THE CATFORD SOUTH LOCAL ASSEMBLY MEETING MONDAY 12th NOVEMBER!

Friends of Torridon PTA is excited to have been shortlisted for one of the Catford South Local Assembly's Annual Fund Awards for our green hedge around the school, for which we are still fundraising. The 6 (out of 14) projects awarded the money will come down to a free public vote on the night, so **WE NEED YOUR VOTE!**

We'd be very grateful if you could please attend the **meeting** on **Monday 12th November** from **7-9pm at Rushey Green Primary School**, Culverley Road, Catford, SE6 1LA and **cast your vote for Torridon's Cleaner Air Hedge Fund!**

We will have a stall at the meeting, so do come over and say hello!

Thank you so much for all of your support thus far - we hope you are enjoying seeing the first part of the hedge that has gone up.

Many thanks

Torridon PTA



Stars of the Week—2/11/18



Class	Pupil	Class	Pupil
RAZ	Arun	4V	Christopher
RE	Aksa	4NS	Malachi
RS	Baenla	45	Dejaia
1KJ	Rhia	4L	Shaysta
1MJ	Mustafa	5C	Frankie
1JB	Eliza-Rose	5A	Isabelle
2E	Samaya	5L	Vinishdan
2D	Aaliyah	6RS	Elijah
2SA	Lovpal	6C	Allana
3C	Rafan	6CH	Zaynab
3A	Liyah	Lighthouse	Joshua
30	Christina		







Remembrance Assemblies

This afternoon we held special assemblies to celebrate Armistice Day and to mark the centenary of the end of World War 1. Children presented their art work, poetry and songs to remember soldiers who gave their lives fighting bravely in the war.







Clubs



There are still spaces available for a number of After School Clubs and Music lessons. Please log on to Parent Pay to register your child and pay.



School Council

Our elected school council members are:

Name	Class	
1KJ	Tobi	
1MJ	Ava	
1JB	Kip	
2E	Isaac	
2D	D'Angelo	
2SA	Requelme	
30	Bryant	
3A	Ruben	
3C	Molly	
4NS	Lalu	
4L	Ojorie	
4S	Laura	
4V	Anush	
5A	Jake	
5L	Angela	
5C	Denisha	
6RS	Amina	
6C	Shathurya	
6CH	Hanna	
KS1 Lighthouse	Nathan	
KS2 Lighthouse	Nickai	



School Milk

School Food Plan legislation states that children of all ages should have access to milk during the school day. Our school milk scheme is administered by Cool Milk. To register your child for school milk, please visit https://www.coolmilk.com/register

Registering your child provides them with the opportunity to make payment for milk when your child turns 5, in line with School Food Plan legislation.

Reminders

Monday 12th November-Odd Socks Day

Children are encouraged to wear odd socks to show their support for Anti-Bullying.





Friday 16th November-Children in Need

Children can bring in a donation of a $\pounds 1.00$ and come to school in non-school uniform.

Book Fair



A reminder that our book fair will be held here on **Monday** 12th until Friday 16th November. It will be in the Year 5 hall after school each day until 4pm. The school will receive commission for each book sold.

Dates for your diary

Start of Anti Bullying Week	
Sharing assemblies for 2E, 4V and 5C	
Children in Need	
Year 6 height and weight screening	
NSPCC workshops	
2E trip to Tower Bridge	
2D and 2SA trip to Tower Bridge	
EYFS Open Day	
EYFS Open Day	
EYFS nativity	
Carols in the playground	
EYFS Open Day	