



Stebon Primary School's Burdett Gazette



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22.03.2024

Issue 24

Key dates:

Tue 20 Feb - Thu 28 Mar 2024:
School open for Spring Term

Mon 25 Mar - Wed 27 Mar 2024:
Y3 Performances

Fri 29 Mar - Fri 12 Apr 2024:
Spring Holiday

Mon 15 Apr - Fri 24 May 2024:
School open for Summer Term

Thu 2 May 2024: Polling Day -
School closed for pupils

Mon 6 May 2024: May Bank
Holiday

[Oct 2023 - Apr 2024 lunch menu](#)

[New: Apr 2024 - Oct 2023
lunch menu](#)

PE timetable

[Term dates for 2023/24 & 2024/25](#)

Congratulations to Y3 Beethoven
class who had 100% attendance
this week!

Attendance

**Every day matters – Every
minute counts!**

Stebon's magic number is
97 This is because we are
aiming for 97% attendance.

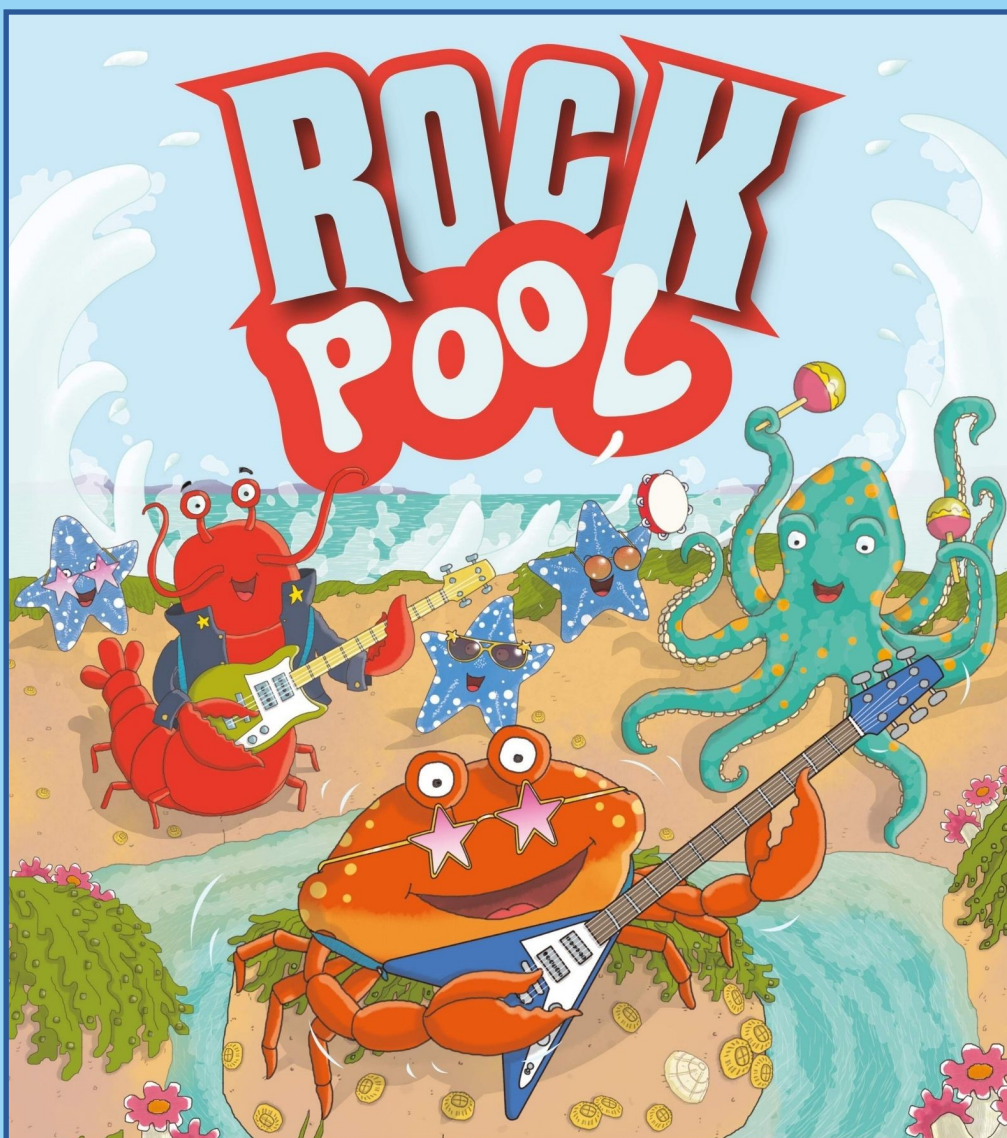
**This week's whole school
attendance was 96%**

Come on Stebon!



The last day of the spring term is next Thursday 28 March 2024.
School will finish at 1:30pm for all pupils, please contact the school
office if you need to collect after this time,

This week is the last week for all after school clubs. Only teatime club
will be running, if you need your child to go to TTC, please let the
office know.



MON 25TH MARCH 2:30 – RS & AE
TUES 26TH MARCH 2:30 – LVB & BC
WED 27TH MARCH 2:30 – EF & MC



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Year 3 & Year 2 have been working hard to put together some great shows, don't miss out! Here's a photo from Beethoven class' rocking rehearsals.



Some of our pupils attended a SEND sports day at St Paul's and St Luke's Primary School Saira, Saimon, Ajwad, Yusha and Hamim had a great time trying different activities!





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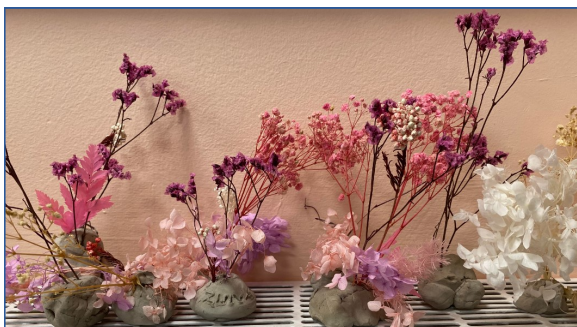
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Mount Everest Explorers group were asked what they felt was an important cause to raise awareness for. They chose Palestine. They used lots of different art forms to create work for their exhibition. They used clay, dried flowers, collage, painting, pastels and drawing. Here are some of the results!



Ramadan Food Stall!

On Wed 27 March
At home time - 3:30pm, outside the hall

Sultana, one of our staff members, is organising a stall with lots of delicious homemade food which will be sold on Wednesday!

In line with the spirit of Ramadan, we intend to donate all proceeds from the stall to Zakat to support those in need.



THE SWIM VAULT

SWIMMING MADE SAFE & SECURE.

Stebon Primary School,
Burdett Estate, Wallwood St,
London, E14 7AD

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Swimming Lesson Programmes:

- Adult 1:1, 2:1 & Group Lessons
- Children 1:1, 2:1 & Group Lessons
- Gender Specific Group Lessons
- Home Visits
- Swim Squad
- Virtual Lessons



**Artsmark
Gold Award**
Awarded by Arts
Council England

Shakespeare Schools Festival 2024



On Feb 9th, Year 4 performed in the Shakespeare Schools Festival at The Greenwich Theatre - we were all treated to a wonderful evening of live theatre by our confident and fantastic young performers!



*Photographs can be ordered from
<https://www.splaatphoto.co.uk/>*

MACBETH

"A chilling, bold and crystal clear production of Macbeth."

"SOMETHING WICKED THIS WAY COMES"

Macbeth
by Stebon Primary School - Emmeline Pankhurst Class
at Greenwich Theatre, 9th February 2024
appraised by Ben Vardy

Congratulations Stebon Primary School - Emmeline Pankhurst Class for your fantastic reimagining of Macbeth as part of the Spring 24 Shakespeare Schools Festival. It was a thrilling night of theatre, and I'd like to shine a spotlight on some aspects I really loved.

I loved the way you used your ensemble to create a huge variety of locations, moods and atmospheres. Your battle choreography in particular was bold and exciting, and created a tangible feeling of jeopardy and violence.

I was extremely impressed by the maturity of your tragic acting. Your performances drew the audience in, allowing them to empathise with the dark and brooding emotions of the characters. By the end of the play, you had plunged the audience into a gruesome world of death and revenge!

It was so clear that you all understood the story that you were telling, and the Shakespearean language you were using to deliver it. This allowed you to guide the audience through the complicated story in a way that everyone understood what was happening. It also meant that all the characters you created were detailed and varied, and that their intentions and personalities were all crystal clear.

I thought that your conduct throughout the day was excellent and professional. You were always friendly, inquisitive, respectful and supportive of one other, and it was a great pleasure working with you!

This was a chilling, bold and crystal clear production of Macbeth, with extremely impressive ensemble battle scenes. I think you should all be very, very proud of what you have achieved together. Congratulations to you all!

We're thrilled to have reimagined Shakespeare with you this year and have loved being with you on your journey from classroom to stage. We can't wait to work with Stebon Primary School - Emmeline Pankhurst Class again in the next Festival!

A CHILLING, BOLD AND CRYSTAL
CLEAR PRODUCTION OF MACBETH



"I loved acting out the battle scenes in Macbeth. I did feel nervous but I put my energy into my sword fighting and battle scenes with Macduff. SSF was hard but it was fun and I want to do it again." - Muhammad

ROMEO & JULIET

"A modern and deeply tragic production of Romeo and Juliet."

"FOR NEVER WAS A STORY OF MORE WOE"

Romeo and Juliet
by Stebon Primary School - Rosa Parks Class
at Greenwich Theatre, 9th February 2024
appraised by Ben Vardy

Congratulations Stebon Primary School - Rosa Parks Class for your fantastic reimagining of Romeo and Juliet as part of the Spring 24 Shakespeare Schools Festival. It was a thrilling night of theatre, and I'd like to shine a spotlight on some aspects I really loved.

Your understanding of the Shakespearean language was excellent. This was clear from the drama of your scenes and the precision of your narration. These two aspects working together allowed you to guide the audience through your story with confidence and clarity.

I was greatly impressed by your ensemble work; you worked together seamlessly, using your voices and physicalities to create a wide range of locations, moods and atmospheres, all of which added greatly to the telling of your story. I especially enjoyed the fight sequences!

I really enjoyed the way you wove your hip-hop theme into this old traditional play. It was such a bold adaptation, and allowed you to include moments of lightness and fun into an otherwise very serious story.

I thought that your conduct throughout the day was excellent and professional. You were always friendly, curious and well-focused, which allowed the tech and dress rehearsals, as well as the performances, to run smoothly and enjoyably for all involved.

This was a modern, bloody and deeply tragic production of Romeo and Juliet, and I think you should all be extremely proud of what you have achieved together. Congratulations!

We're thrilled to have reimagined Shakespeare with you this year and have loved being with you on your journey from classroom to stage. We can't wait to work with Stebon Primary School - Rosa Parks Class again in the next Festival!



**A MODERN, BLOODY AND
DEEPLY TRAGIC PRODUCTION
OF ROMEO AND JULIET**



"The rehearsals were really exciting. Everyone kept trying and trying. I loved acting out the drama of Romeo and Juliet. I liked it when Romeo was sword fighting with Tybalt" - Sameerah

THE TEMPEST

"This was a beautiful, funny and haunting production of The Tempest with a razor-sharp ensemble."

"WE ARE SUCH STUFF AS DREAMS ARE MADE ON"

The Tempest
by Stebon Primary School - Helen Keller Class
at Greenwich Theatre, 9th February 2024
appraised by Ben Vardy

Congratulations Stebon Primary School - Helen Keller Class for your fantastic reimagining of The Tempest as part of the Spring 24 Shakespeare Schools Festival. It was a thrilling night of theatre, and I'd like to shine a spotlight on some aspects I really loved.

What a start! You really grabbed your audience's attention with your dramatic and exciting storm sequence that included the whole ensemble (and a couple of cartwheels!) This sense of ensemble was maintained throughout your piece, using all your actors to create a variety of locations, atmospheres and moods.

I was particularly impressed by your use of transitions: you kept your story moving throughout the performance, always keeping the audience on their toes, and surprising them with a wide array of intriguing and unexpected stage pictures.

You all had a very strong grasp of the meaning of the Shakespearean language, which allowed you to deliver the story clearly and confidently. The audience were engaged and enthralled throughout your performance, and a huge part of this was your clear understanding of the story and characters.

I really impressed by how professionally you conducted yourselves throughout the day. You were always friendly, respectful and supportive of one other, and it was a great pleasure working with you!

This was a beautiful, funny and haunting production of The Tempest with a razor-sharp ensemble, and I think you should all be hugely proud of what you have achieved together. Congratulations to you all!

We're thrilled to have reimagined Shakespeare with you this year and have loved being with you on your journey from classroom to stage. We can't wait to work with Stebon Primary School - Helen Keller Class again in the next Festival!

THIS WAS A BEAUTIFUL, FUNNY
AND HAUNTING PRODUCTION OF
THE TEMPEST WITH A RAZOR-
SHARP ENSEMBLE

coram
SHAKESPEARE
SCHOOLS FESTIVAL



"I loved SSF because I liked seeing how everything works backstage and being in the big theatre. My favourite moment of the night was my Caliban entrance. I wasn't nervous because I felt ready and I had practised lots at school." - Shayaan



CONTRACT CATERING SERVICES

LUNCH MENU

Apr 2024 - Oct 2024



Week 1	 Monday 'Planet Earth Day'	 Tuesday 'Street Food Day'	FREE FROM Main Allergens Wednesday 'Traditional Day'	 Thursday Turkish	 Friday 'Favourites'
Dates	15 April • 29 April • 13 May • 27 May • 10 June • 24 June • 08 July • 22 July • 05 Aug • 19 Aug • 02 Sept • 16 Sept • 30 Sept • 14 Oct • 28 Oct				
Option 1	Vegemince Penne Pasta Bolognese	Beef Chilli in Soft Taco Shell with Potato Wedges	Chicken Sausage with Mashed Potatoe & Gravy	Beef Kofte in Sweet Pepper & Tomato Sauce with Pitta Bread or Rice & Tzatziki	Cod or Salmon Fish Fingers with Chips
Option 2	Chickpea & Vegetable Jambalaya	Margarita Pizza with Potato Wedges	Vegetarian Tikka Masala with Rice	Beetroot & Ginger Falafel with Fluffy Pita Bread & Creamy Tzatziki Sauce	Battered Vegetable Sausage with Chips
On the side	Sweetcorn & Broccoli	Roasted Mediterranean Vegetables	Green Beans & Roasted Cauliflower	Shredded Green Cabbage & Carrots	Peas & Baked Beans
Salads	Tomato, Basil & Red Onion Salad	Crunchy Red Coleslaw	Chef's House Salad	Turkish Shepherd's Salad	New Potato & Chive Salad
Dessert	Fruity Yoghurt Bar	Cheddar Cheese with Breadstick	Fresh Fruit Salad	Minted Lime & Strawberry Yoghurt	Apple & Berries Yoghurt Crunch
DAILY OPTIONS - Daily Salad / Fresh Bread / Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter / Yoghurt					

Week 2	 Monday 'Planet Earth Day'	 Tuesday 'Street Food Day'	FREE FROM Main Allergens Wednesday 'Traditional Day'	 Thursday Puerto Rican	 Friday 'Favourites'
Dates	22 April • 06 May • 20 May • 03 June • 17 June • 01 July • 15 July • 29 July • 12 Aug • 26 Aug • 9 Sept • 23 Sept • 7 Oct • 21 Oct				
Option 1	Macaroni Cheese	Southern Fried Chicken Burger with Cajun Potato Wedges	Minced Beef Cottage Pie	Puerto Rican Chicken and Rice	Battered Pollock Fillet with Chips
Option 2	Bombay Vegetable Biryani	Vegetable Lasagne	Vegetable & Beans Chilli with Rice	Quorn Carne Guisada with Garlic & Parsley Bread Slices	Cheese & Broccoli Quiche with Chips
On the side	Peas & Sweetcorn	Green Vegetable Medley	Carrots & Green Beans	Latina Broccoli & Baby Corn on the Cobs	Peas & Baked Beans
Salads	Couscous Salad	Crunchy Coleslaw	Chef's House Salad	Cauliflower Ceviche served with homemade tortilla	Asian Noodle Salad
Dessert	Fruity Yoghurt Bar	Cheddar Cheese with Breadstick	Fresh Fruit Salad	Tropical Fruity Yoghurt	Apple & Banana Yoghurt with Rice Krispies
DAILY OPTIONS - Daily Salad / Fresh Bread / Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter / Yoghurt					

Please Note that some dishes maybe subject to local changes to suit individual school needs



CHICKEN RICE AND VEGETABLES

Recipe Inspired by **Elijah** Year 4
St. Anne's & Guardian Angels Primary School

Fantastic FOOD IN SCHOOLS

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:
Every effort is made to minimise risk of cross-contamination. However, it should be noted that our food is prepared in a kitchen where known allergens may be present and therefore the risk of cross-contamination remains a risk. Please ask staff for further details regarding specific dietary requirements and/or allergens.



This term we are making **WEDNESDAY ALLERGY FREE DAY**

With a new menu that does not contain any of the **14 MAJOR ALLERGIES**



SUPPORTED BY
THE HOLIDAY
ACTIVITIES &
FOOD
PROGRAMME

CRICKET COACHING PROGRAMME

EASTER (WEEK 1)

VENUE: STEPNEY GREEN SCHOOL
BEN JONSON ROAD
STEPNEY
E1 4SD

TUESDAY 2nd APRIL 2024: 10am-3pm

WEDNESDAY 3rd APRIL 2024: 10am-3pm

THURSDAY 4th APRIL 2024: 10am-3pm

FRIDAY 5th APRIL 2024: 10am-3pm



PLATFORM

Supporting young people to progress
through and in cricket



IS THIS COACHING PROGRAMME FOR YOU?

This course is appropriate for any child in school years 3 to 6.

Children will experience cricket in a fun, safe and progressive environment, building on their development at an appropriate rate.

Both beginners and children who have experienced cricket before are welcome.

DETAILS

- **COST:** These courses are Free of Charge
- **PLACES:** Allocated to the first 30 respondents on a first come-first serve basis
- **AGES:** 7-11 Years Old
- **LUNCHES & REFRESHMENT:** Parents of children entitled to a Free School Meal will be provided with a hot lunch (Please highlight any dietary requirements when signing-up)
- **CLOTHING & EQUIPMENT:** Regular sports kit & trainers (non-marking soles); Personal protective equipment preferred, although we can supply if a child does not have their own

THE COACHES

LEAD: JAHID AHMED



Jahid Ahmed is a former Essex seam bowler who has worked extensively in youth cricket. He is one of an exclusive group of Level 3 coaches, he has led the development of junior cricket in East London and he is a fast bowling and high performance coach with Kent CCC.

OTHER COACHES INCLUDE:

Matt Golding (current Minor County Cricketer; Level 2 Coach), Jonathan Rodda (Club Youth Lead; Level 2 Coach), Matt Stiddard (London Schools U14 Lead; Level 2 Coach), Nikhil Nomula (Middlesex Youth; Level 3 Coach).



**TO BOOK YOUR PLACE OR TO DISCUSS ANY ASPECT OF THE COURSE
PLEASE CONTACT:**

JAHID AHMED

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Family Cycle Course



Are you looking to gain skills to cycle together with your family and you live in Tower Hamlets?

Join our FREE 3-day Family Cycle Course

Dates: During school holidays

Our next course will happen on:

Tue 2nd, Thur 4th and Fri 5th April

beginners session 10:00 - 12:00

improvers session 12:30 - 14:30

Place: Victoria Park

approximate Postcode E3 2LA

Contact:

✉ cycletraining@bikeworks.org.uk

☎ 0208 980 7998 (option 1)



Please visit our [**Cycle Training**](#) page for more information;

