



Comet News

July 2018

Here we are at the end of another year, with many of our children transferring to primary school. We would like to wish all the children lots of luck, to build on their interests, to be who they want to be and to keep learning. We have high aspirations for all our children. We would also like to say a BIG thank you to all our parents/carers who have supported their children in their learning and also supported Comet in their child's first experience of education.

Class base rooms

In September there will be some changes to the staff's base room. There will be a letter to follow to give you all the information.

*Summer party - Friday 20th July
11am -1.30pm*

You are all invited to our summer party. There will be fun, games and Pirate Polly, who will entertain us.

Please bring some of your favourite food for us all to share and see the party food list in the hall.

We look forward to seeing you all there.



Please note, this is the only session for children on the day and parents **MUST stay with their children.**

The last day for breakfast and tea club is Thursday 19th July.

Children's Summary Reports

If your child is transferring to Primary School you will receive your child's summary report on Wednesday 11th July. We hope it's a true reflection of their time at nursery. Included is a feedback sheet and we would really like to hear your views about the summary and your child's time at Comet. We are also asking parents to complete the question 'How has Comet helped your child helped your child or family?'

Your feedback will help us shape what we do at Comet and how we can best support children and their families.

Thank you.

Rose Vouchers and the Food co-op at Comet



Are you in receipt of Healthy Start Vouchers? Do you receive any benefits? If you do, then you could receive up to **£6 extra per week, per child** (under the age of 5 years old), in Rose Vouchers to spend on Fruit & Vegetables. For more information please see Kelly in the children's centre.



The St. Hilda's Food Co-op is visiting us on:

Tuesday 10th July, 11am - 12.45pm

The fruit and vegetables are at a great price and you can also use your Rose Vouchers!



Spitalfields farm trip for Moon Room

Tuesday 10th July for all morning children and families

Wednesday 11th July for all afternoon children and families

Moon Room will be closed for those days and will reopen as usual on Thursday 12th July.

Thank you

We would like to say thank you to all the parents who helped us with our outing to Willow's Farm, it was a great success and the children really enjoyed getting so close to the animals.



Children's events and whats on in the summer holidays

Museum of Childhood in Bethnal Green have lots of fun, free events and activities over the summer holidays

<https://www.vam.ac.uk/moc/whats-on>

Kidzmania in Powell Road E5 8DJ looks like a fun day out!

<http://www.kidzmania.co.uk>

Time out has a guide to '101 things to do in London with kids'. Some of them are free, but lots of great ideas.

<https://www.timeout.com/london/kids/101-things-to-do-in-london-with-kids>

Don't forget Comet's Children's Centre is open from Monday 23rd July to Friday 17th August. We have lots of activities and outings available, please see our summer timetable and don't forget to book the outings.

http://www.cometnurseryandcc.co.uk/website/childrens_centre_timetable_/148616



Have a fantastic summer holiday and we will see some of you back at Comet in September.

Dates for your Diary

Summer Term 2018

Wednesday 11th July - Reports to parents for children who are transitioning to Primary School

Thursday 19th July - last breakfast and tea club

Friday 20th July - End of term party for children **and** their families
11am - 1.30pm for all children
and last day of term

Autumn Term 2018

Thursday 6th September - Children return to nursery

We will inform you of any new dates as soon as possible.