



## BIRD OF PREY VISIT AND PHOTOGRAPHS

Dear Parents/Carers,

On **Wednesday, 30<sup>th</sup> March**, the children will be having a talk given to them about the ecology and conservation of Birds of Prey by Mr. Alan Ames, (The Birdman) founder of Eagle Heights Wildlife Foundation in Eynsford, Kent. They will meet four different birds. By bringing the birds to schools, Mr. Ames highlights the need for conservation, and explains to the children about predators, ecology, adaption and how the natural world works, and the problems it faces. Eagle Heights have reintroduced Buzzards to the Darent Valley and have also initiated a scheme to provide nesting boxes for Barn Owls amongst other projects, details of which can be found at [www.eagleheights.co.uk](http://www.eagleheights.co.uk)

After the presentation there will be an opportunity for the children to have their photograph taken holding one of the birds on their gloved hand. Each colour photograph will cost **£5.00** with a mount and will measure 5" by 7" (siblings can have one photograph together). The cost for pupil premium children will be **£3.50**.

If you wish your child/children to be photographed, please make a payment via our online payment system called Pay360 by **Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> March**. The product name is Bird of Prey - pictures and it can be found in Events section. Whilst purchasing the product, you will be asked to give a consent for the picture to be taken in line with the Data Protection. This is a requirement and pictures will not be taken without a consent.

The photographs will be ready for collection at the school approximately 4-5 working days after the visit.

**GDPR COMPLIANCE:** The photographs are taken by Mr. Ames on a digital camera. The images are downloaded onto a laptop and the images erased from the memory card. The images are then uploaded to Photobox [www.photobox.co.uk](http://www.photobox.co.uk) who print the pictures and send them directly to the school. The images are stored in a Photobox album on the laptop for 28 days in case any duplicate pictures are requested or any get damaged in transit. The images are then permanently deleted. Images or pictures are not shared with any other third party or published elsewhere.

Vulnerable children. If required, the photograph can be printed at the school and the digital image deleted immediately afterwards.

If you have any questions, please email me at [ngentleman@sunnyhill.lambeth.sch.uk](mailto:ngentleman@sunnyhill.lambeth.sch.uk)

Thanks

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