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Dear parents and carers, friends and families,

Last week at Brindishe Green

On Tuesday, our year 5 children from Walnut Class took part in Young Voices, the largest school choir concert in the World, at the O2. It was a very long day, but the children were incredible, resilient and enthusiastic! Thank you to the many parents and carers who bought tickets for the event and to Mr Rose, Mr Gray, Ms Sarah, Ms Brennan and Ms Campbell for making it all possible for them.

Thank you also to Emily Hopkins and the Drumbeat Outreach Service for their important workshop on Thursday aimed at supporting children with eating and sleeping difficulties. We hope the parents/carers who attended found it useful.

Also on Thursday a group of more able mathematicians took part in an exciting workshop at Blackheath High.

Another sports win for Brindishe Green!

Well done to the Brindishe Bulls basketball team members Finlay, Omar, Enrique, Nisa & Mumina (yrs 3 & 4), who won our most recent trophy on Tuesday.

Such an achievement by our children given that ~~they played 24 teams~~ **winning the final 8-0, winning every match and** Mr. Lewis says that the children played brilliantly. They showed fantastic determination and resilience as they had to come from behind to win both their quarter and semi-final matches. It was amazing to see how working together as a team can make such an impact. It really shows again how - 'Together We are More'.

Dates for your diary

Headteacher - Sarah Gorbutt

30th Jan - Year 5 to the Science Museum

6th Feb - Yr 2 & 6 height and weight measurement

9th Feb - Full Governing Body meeting at BM.

10th Feb - Yr 1 to Manor Park

10th Feb - Half term begins

20th Feb - Children return to school

23rd Feb - Book Fair arrives

W/C 20th and 27th Feb - Mid term reviews with parents/carers

23rd March - Musicians Concert

Attendance at Brindishe Green

Well done to Banyan again and Birch for 100% attendance as well as Chestnut 3 for being the top attenders last week.

Lilac, Oak and Chestnut 4 have had the best punctuality this week. Well done to all!

Cold mornings and cold children!

We are unable to accommodate children in school earlier than 8:45am and there are an increasing number of children arriving as early as 8:00am or 8:15am. It's too very, very cold in the mornings and we would appreciate it if parents/carers could ensure that children are not being left outside school to freeze in the mornings! Thank you.

..and finally

Please remember that the office is not open to callers until 8:30. Can everyone please use the posting box if possible to drop off slips and forms and letters and only call in to the office if you have money to pay or need to deliver a message in person. Many thanks.

Hope you had a great weekend.

Best wishes

Sarah Gorbutt
Headteacher

Executive Head - Vicki Paterson DBE