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Dear Parents, Carers, Friends and Colleagues,

### **Nursery places available at Brindishe Green**

There are still spaces in our wonderful nursery for children aged 3 - 4 years. We offer morning places 9.00 - 11.30 am or afternoons from 12.45 - 3.15 pm. Please tell your friends and neighbours to let us know as soon as possible if they would like to apply. They can contact us on 0208 8527245 or pop into the office to collect an application form.

### **This week at Brindishe Green**

On Sunday 4 children from year 6 braved the heat and sang at the Thames Festival on the Southbank. Many thanks to Mrs Guest and Ms Kelly who accompanied the children on a very hot September day!

On Thursday the History Man took our year 3 children back to Ancient Egypt.

### **Next week at Brindishe Green**

On Wednesday year 6 will be visiting the 'Britain at War Museum'.

### **Attendance**

Well done to Mangrove, Banyan and Birch classes this week for achieving 100% attendance! Remember we expect each class to achieve at least 95% every week please - help us to achieve this for your child.

### **Dates for your diary**

17 September - South African visitors in school

26 September - Meet the teacher meetings

27 September - Open Day

27 September - Meet the Governors. An evening for new parents/carers to Brindishe Green. Details to follow.....

22 October - Year 6 school journey

23 October - Full governing body meeting.

Please let us know if you would like to observe.

26 October - Half term holiday begins

5 November - Children return to school

7 November - Assessment week

19 December - End of term

### **Scaffolding and the new windows**

Thank you again for helping us to manage the beginning and end of day safely. We appreciate that space is restricted because of the scaffolding and the units in the playground. We really appreciate those parents with younger children who are leaving buggies in the playground to avoid congestion at the ramp door.

### **New term reminders**

Thank you to all those parents and carers who have remembered to label their children's clothes for this term. It really helps so that we can return any sweatshirts or PE kits left in the playground or main hall to their rightful owners as soon as possible. Please also remember that only water is allowed in school and we allow only watches, religious artifacts and **small** stud earrings to be worn. This is for your child's safety.

Many thanks.

...and finally

### **Free swimming if you belong to the library**

Did you know that if your child is 14 or under and has a valid Lewisham library card they are entitled to swim for free outside school hours, on weekends or school holidays. If your child does not already have a library card you can complete an application form available from your local library (take proof of address with you). Happy swimming!

Have a lovely weekend everyone and we look forward to seeing you all again on Monday at 8.55 am.

Sarah Gorbutt ,Associate Headteacher