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Dear parents, carers, staff, governors and friends,
Welcome to our new families in nursery and across the school.

This week at Brindishe Green

A big 'thank you' to everyone who has visited the Book Fair this week and bought books. We will be able to buy more books for the school as a result of this success and we are very grateful to our Book Fair team of staff led by Tracey Blow, who run the Fair so well and so efficiently.

Year 5 and year 2 have been visited by the fire brigade visit.

Thank you also to those parents and carers who came into school to share their home language as part of European Day of Languages.

Next week at Brindishe Green

On Wednesday year 5 will be going to the Royal Albert Hall as part of the Primary Proms.

On Wednesday Ms Wong will be collecting the Gold Award for Sustainable Travel on behalf of the school.

Attendance and punctuality

This week Olive and Mangrove class had the best attendance. Magnolia class had the best punctuality. Well done to those families who get their children into school on time every day.

Please remember that school starts at 8.55am.

Diary Dates

6th Oct - Tag Rugby Tournament Yrs 3 and 4
7th Oct - Primary Proms at the RAH Yr 5
8th Oct - Open day
15th Oct - Tag Rugby Tournament - Yrs 5 and 6
16th Oct - year 5 to the British Museum
19th - 23rd Oct - Yr 6 School Journey
20th Oct - Full Governing Body meeting
23rd Oct - Half term

Headteacher - Sarah Gorbutt

2nd Nov - Children return to school
3rd Nov - Full Governing Body meeting
9th Nov - Bikeability training - Year 6
19th November - Open Day
18th December - End of term

Brindishe Schools Community Development planning

Our third area is: Leadership and Responsibility

- ❖ Children lead as decision makers and active contributors in theirs and others' learning. They are active in a wide range of Children's Teams
- ❖ All staff take responsibility for leading their own learning and, where possible, the learning of others.
- ❖ Teachers and leaders actively organise cross-age and investigative and inter-school learning and peer mentoring across the schools and the curriculum
- ❖ We develop our thinking about the most effective approaches to learning, informed by action research
- ❖ We take a lead in national and local school-to-school support structures, such as Challenge Partners and, through our own partnerships and collaborations, build our capacity for sustained school improvement

....and finally

Emergency information

If you have not already returned your updated emergency information sheet to the office, please do as a matter of urgency. We must be able to get hold of you or your representative in the event of an emergency. ***This is a safeguarding requirement.***

Have a good weekend everyone.

Best wishes

Sarah Gorbutt
Headteacher

Executive Head - Vicki Paterson DBE