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Dear parents, carers, staff, governors and friends,

UNICEF Day of Change

Today children brought a £1 for UNICEF Day of Change and wore odd socks (and some other things that were also odd!).

Thank you to all those who took part and for helping with this year's theme which is about helping to fund vital aid and education to those children caught in emergencies such as in the Philippines and in Syria.

More sport at Brindishe Green!

Thank you to Mr. Baguley, Mr. Lewis and Mr. Rich for organizing our very successful tri-school hockey tournament this morning. All games were well played and the children were gracious in defeat and always very supportive of their partner schools. The final score saw Brindishe Manor take 1st place and Brindishe Green in 2nd. A great result for us at such an early stage with this sport. We are looking forward to seeing how we do in the County Championships next week!

Also this week at Brindishe Green

Olive class welcomed May-Ling's dad on Monday who led the class in baking bread in our children's kitchen. The children really enjoyed seeing the changes that took place during the bread-making process and of course tasting their creations at the end of the day!

Thank you to Amelie's mum for bringing Bella the Yorkshire Terrier into Lilac class so that children could learn more about dogs and how to look after them. Thank you to Alex's mum Caroline who came into Chestnut 3 to talk about Stone Art. Many thanks also to the year 5 parents who accompanied the children on their recent trip to the Science Museum. All classes in Reception and Year 1 took part in a 'Drama4All' workshop on Tuesday about animals who live in the jungle. A group of 10 more able mathematicians from Year 5 visited Blackheath High School for a special morning of maths challenges on Tuesday and had a fantastic time.

Next week at Brindishe Green

On Monday there's an Able Writers workshop at Blackheath High for our Year 5 children
10th Feb- Safer Internet Day
10th /11th and 13th Feb - Reception are off to National Gallery
10th/11th Feb - Nursery will go to Manor House Library
10th -13th Feb - Year 1 are visiting Mudchute Farm
11th Feb - Full Governing Body Meeting (1) at Brindishe Manor. *Please let us know if you would like to attend so that we can organise seating for you.*
11th-13th Feb - Year 6 visit the Geffrye Museum
...and don't forget the Reception Art Exhibition in Main Hall on Friday afternoon from 3.30 - 4.30. Look forward to seeing you then.

Dates for your diary at Brindishe Green

23rd February - Children return to school
26th February - Full Governing Body Meeting
(2)
27th February - Book Fair
W/C 3rd - 9th March - Maths workshops for
parents/carers in Reception, Yr 1 and 2 at
9.00am or 6.00pm
5th March - World Book Day
16th March - Science Week
W/C 18 March - Mid-term reviews with
parents/carers
23rd March - Mock Sats week for Yr 6
27th March - Break for Easter

Thank you

Have a lovely weekend!

Best wishes

Sarah Gorbutt
Headteacher

***** Please note. Despite our best efforts
the school will be used as a polling station
on May 7th for the General Election. We
are very sorry for any inconvenience.
Please make a note in your diaries.***

Attendance and punctuality

This week Palm and Willow Class had the
best overall and Elm Class had no lates at all
this week and will receive a special dance
session from our dance teacher Mr. Talmud!

...and finally

We break for half term on Friday 13th for
one week only and return on Monday 23rd
February at 8.55am. Please make sure you
take all your child's belongings with you for
the half term holiday at the end of the day
and check the Lost Property cupboard.

See attached: Term Dates for next
Academic Year 2015 - 2016