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Dear parents, carers, staff, governors and friends,

End of year Reports to parents and carers

You will be receiving today your child's end of year report which will include a number of accompanying sheets, statutory assessment results (for those in year 1, 2 and 6), your child's view and a response sheet for you to complete. If you would like to discuss your child's report with the class teacher, please let them know. We hope you find our shorter, more personalized report format helpful in understanding your child's strengths and next steps and will continue to support them over the holidays with their learning.

We are delighted with the progress and achievement of our children and look forward to receiving your responses to their reports over the next few days.

This week at Brindishe Green

All this week, children from across the school took part in a set of special activities as part of our 'Learning Outside the Classroom'. Thank you to the adults who came to support the children with their learning and we look forward to displaying photographs and writing from these early next term.

Thank you also to the many adults who supported Year 1 on their visits to the Cutty Sark and to the many Reception parents and carers who accompanied the children to their sunny sports day in Manor House Gardens. We are delighted so many of you were able

to join them.

Also today, 6 children from BG and 12 children from our two partner schools, Brindishe Manor and Brindishe Lee, took part in a special coding morning.

Next week at Brindishe Green

Next week is our final week at Brindishe Green before the summer holidays. It will be a normal week and school will finish at 3.15pm on Friday 17th.

On Tuesday, Nursery children from Brindishe Green and Brindishe Manor will come together for the annual 'Big Toddle' and family picnic in Manor House Gardens. All money raised will be for Barnardos and we look forward to seeing as many of you there as possible. Please note that Nursery will be closed on that day

Afterschool Clubs

Just to remind you that all afterschool clubs are now finished for the term **except for Cricket (Monday), Fun & Fitness (Monday), Cricket (Thursday) and Tennis (Thursday)**.

Dates for your diary at Brindishe Green

14th July - Family picnic at Manor House Gardens

14th July - Year 6 Performance 1.45pm only

15th July - Year 6 Performance at 6pm only

16th July - Year 6 Dinner and Dance 6.00 - 8.00pm

17th July - End of Term

3rd September - Children return to school

Dates for the next academic year are enclosed with this newsletter and available on our website www.brindisheschools.org

Attendance and punctuality

This week Mangrove and Redwood had the best attendance. Chestnut 2 had the best attendance in the Reception class- well done Chestnut 2! Elm class also had the best punctuality - well done Elm class!

<http://www.lewisham.gov.uk/inmyarea/events/whats-on/peoples-day/Pages/default.aspx>

Wishing all our families a lovely weekend.

Travel Health

Public Health England is advising that anyone planning on travelling overseas this year should seek health advice from their GP before they travel. If you would like information on preventing infection and what vaccinations are required these can be found on the National Travel Health Network and Centre at www.nathnac.org/travel/ and information about hand hygiene for children on <http://www.e-bug.eu/>

Best wishes

Sarah Gorbutt
Headteacher

...and finally

Have you got any school books at home?

Please make sure you have a good look at home for any Brindishe Green reading books (they will have a school stamp on the inside cover). If you find them, please bring them back to school and return them to the class teacher or the school office.

We need to check we have everything we need for next year. A lot of money has been spent on books for reading areas this year and we want to make sure that they are all returned so that we have enough for next year. Many thanks for your help.

Lewisham People's Day on Saturday

It's Lewisham People's Day on Saturday in Mountsfield Park and we understand the Queen of Snow and the Ice Princess (The sisters from 'Frozen') will be there too from 12.30 - 1.00pm.