

Brindishe Green News  
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Dear parents, carers, staff, governors and friends,

Welcome to all our new reception children and their families who joined us this week. We are looking forward to getting to know you and are delighted to see that the children have settled so well despite the disruptions to their classrooms! The children are managing lunchtimes really well and enjoying the experience.

#### Meet the teacher

Look out for a letter from your child's class teacher inviting you to come and meet with them over the next few weeks. These meetings are a chance for us to meet as many of you as possible, explain the ways in which you can support your child with their learning, for the teacher to explain the routines for each class and for you to ask any questions. If you would prefer to have a private meeting with the teacher, please let them know so that a date can be arranged for you. We look forward to meeting you all.

#### Newsletters

Don't forget you can find electronic versions of the weekly school newsletters on our school website

<http://www.brindishemanor.lewisham.sch.uk>.

#### Next week at Brindishe Green

On Thursday and Friday next week (Sept 17 and 18), year 6 will visit the Royal Artillery as part of their learning about WWII

#### Diary Dates

17<sup>th</sup> Sept - Hockey Tournament Yrs 3 and 4

W/C 21<sup>st</sup> Sept - After school clubs begin

W/C 21<sup>st</sup> Sept - Meet the teacher

24<sup>th</sup> Sept - Hockey Tournament Yrs 5 and 6

24<sup>th</sup> Sept - 'At home' for new families to

Headteacher - Sarah Gorbutt

Brindishe Green...more information to follow

6<sup>th</sup> Oct - Tag Rugby Tournament Yrs 3 and 4

7<sup>th</sup> Oct - Primary Proms at the RAH Yr 5

8<sup>th</sup> Oct - Open day

15<sup>th</sup> Oct - Tag Rugby Tournament - Yrs 5 and 6

19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> Oct - Yr 6 School Journey

20<sup>th</sup> Oct - Full Governing Body meeting

23<sup>rd</sup> Oct - Half term

2nd Nov - Children return to school

3<sup>rd</sup> Nov - Full Governing Body meeting

9<sup>th</sup> Nov - Bikeability training - year 6

19<sup>th</sup> November - Open Day

18<sup>th</sup> December - End of term

**\*\*Please see term dates on the reverse of this newsletter**

#### Transfer to secondary school 2016

Please look out for information about secondary school open days. Please remember that online applications must be received by **October 15<sup>th</sup> 2015**.

More information can be found:

[www.lewisham.gov.uk/secondaryadmissions](http://www.lewisham.gov.uk/secondaryadmissions)

If you would like support with this process, please let us know.

#### Clubs and classes

Letters have gone home this week about our clubs and classes beginning again from September 21st. Please ask at the office if you have not received this information.

#### Safeguarding at Brindishe Green

Please make sure we have up to date telephone numbers and details for you and anyone you have agreed to collect your child. If your child has an asthma pump or epi-pen these may need updating - **it is important that these always remain in date**. Finally if your child has an allergy of any kind, we will need you to complete a medical form. Please see the school office for more information.

Best wishes for a warm and restful weekend

Sarah Gorbutt  
Headteacher

Executive Head - Vicki Paterson DBE