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Dear parents and carers,

I wanted to let you know that we are delighted to welcome Katie Matthews to Brindishe Lee as the new Deputy Headteacher. Ms Matthews has been in our schools for 8 years now as a teacher and team leader at Brindishe Green and then at Brindishe Manor and during her time has already held responsibilities for maths and science and design technology as well as being a champion for more and most able children. I know that Brindishe Green children, staff and community will be sad to see her move schools but it's so great to know she will now support Brindishe Lee and Lisa Morris in the next academic year when Mrs Morris takes the reins.

We have now very nearly completed our recruitment and staffing for September and as soon as we have the Headteachers will let you know classes and staff for next year. I know you are very keen to hear.

We are desperately hoping the rain holds off tomorrow because we are all looking forward to seeing you at the fun run at Sutcliffe Park. If you are running - Good Luck! If you are not I'm sure you will come along anyway to meet your community, cheer on your friends and family and enjoy the fresh air and fun. See you there ?

And finally please do read the latest independent reports on our three schools on our website. Each school has a current and full review and the reports, written by lead Ofsted inspectors, will give you a real insight into what goes on for children every day in a Brindishe School.

Best wishes,

Dame Vicki Paterson DBE
Executive Head
Brindishe Schools

This week at Brindishe Green

This week we welcomed our new reception parents and carers - over 100 of them! We look forward to getting to know each other over the next few months.

Well done to our year 1 and 2 children who took part in their sports day this week. We were delighted to see the sun shining and so many parents and carers coming to support their children. Results have been announced in this week's praise assembly and we can reveal that the Blue team won overall!

Well done to our cricketers who competed against 33 top performing schools at the London Youth Games this week coming 17th out of all primary schools in London (2000+)!

We hear we were also placed 13th out of all schools in London for athletics and our indoor athletics team came 2nd in the Lewisham Borough finals - 3 points below the winners! Well done to all those children and of course to Mr Lewis, their amazing coach - you have achieved so well.

Diary Dates

11th July - End of year reports to parents/carers

13th July - 'Big Toddle' and picnic for BG and BM Nursery families at Manor House Gardens

13th July - Nursery closes

20th July - Yr 6 end of year Prom

21st July - End of Summer Term

5th September - Children return to school

Attendance and punctuality

Well done to Redwood and Birch class for top attendance this week and to Chestnut 2 were also the top attenders in Reception this week again! Well done also to Magnolia class for having the best punctuality!

....and finally

TRI- SCHOOL FUN RUN - June 25th

We still have spaces on the coach if you would like to join us on Saturday morning. If you still wish to take part in the race, you can register on the day. Otherwise we look forward to seeing you at Sutcliffe Park - first race starts at 10.00am. Please ask at the school office if you need more information.

Sutcliffe Park address: Eltham Rd, London SE9 5LW

Have a great weekend.

Best wishes

Sarah Gorbutt
Headteacher