

Brindishe Green School

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Dear parents and carers, friends and families,

This week at Brindishe Green

Thank you to the many parents and carers who supported our final Sports Day on Monday for yrs 3 and 4 and to the yr 5 children who took part in our special tri-school debate on Monday.

On Wednesday we held our annual barbecue and on Thursday, our athletics and tennis teams represented Lewisham in the London Youth Games. Thank you to Mr Lewis and Mr Sinclair for supporting the children and to the many parents and carers who came along. The children performed very, very well and gave it their very best! Well done to all who took part.

The school nursing team have been in to school twice this week to carry out hearing and sight tests for all yr 1 children.

Dates for your diary

- 9th July - Brindishe Manor Summer Fair
- 12th July - Year 3 to Chislehurst Caves
- 13 July Nursery 'Big Toddler', Manor House Gardens
- 14th July - Family picnic for Reception children and sponsored walk for the Roy Castle lung foundation.
- 14th July - End of year reports to parents/carers
- 18th July - Learning Outside the Classroom yrs 1 & 4
- 18th July - Year 6 matinee performance at 2.00pm
- 19th July - LOTC for yrs 2 & 5

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- 19th July - Year 6 performance at 6.00pm
- 20th July - LOTC for yrs 3 & 6
- 20th July - Year 6 Prom
- 21st July - End of Term
- 6th September - Children return to school

Attendance at Brindishe Green

Well done to Beech, Palm class and Chestnut 4 for having the highest attendance.

Beech(again!), Magnolia and Chestnut 2 had the best punctuality. Well done Beech for getting both!

Animal Agents

This year's Lewisham Libraries Summer Reading Challenge is Animal Agents! As the children read books over the summer, they will be given a sticker and once they have collected enough stickers, they will be able to crack the case and catch the mischievous crook!

It is totally free and to get started, all your child has to do is sign up at their local library where they will be given a folder to keep a record of their Summer Reading Challenge. There are also many free workshops that they can attend over the summer holidays. The Challenge is a great way to talk about and share books as a family and many children who have taken part in the past return to school with a new enthusiasm and confidence for reading. Please visit www.animal-agents.org.uk or contact libraries@lewisham.gov.uk for more information

Photographs

If you have ordered photographs of your child, these will be returned to the school next week and given out on Tuesday.

Executive Head - Vicki Paterson DBE

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Safeguarding Update

Please make sure you are monitoring the apps and websites your children visit. Please use

<https://www.net-aware.org.uk/>

to check the age at which your child should be accessing and how safe and secure the app or website is. We are aware that there have been concerns raised recently about the app **musical.ly**

Most parents and careers in Brindishe Green will settle their debts next week.

Make sure you settle yours.....

It's easy to do - just go online via the school website or click here

<http://green.brindisheschools.org/page/?title=making+payments+online&pid=67> and pay

your child's dinner money or drop a cheque in an envelope with your name and payment information and leave it in the office postbox handily sited just by the entrance buzzer (This box is emptied every day at 9.30 and 4.00).

.....and finally

Please find information for parents/carers on the *Carnival Against the Cuts* on July 16th and enjoy People's Day on Saturday at Mountsfield Park from 12.00 noon till 8.00pm.

Have a lovely, sunny weekend everyone!

Best wishes

Sarah Gorbutt
Headteacher