



Belleville News

13 February 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

It was very good to see many of you in school over the past couple of nights for Parents' Evenings. Please stay in touch if you have any issues you wish to raise, because we know it is best to deal with issues in the early stages, rather than allowing them to develop.

If you were not able to make either evening, please do get in contact with your child's teacher.

Next week is half term so we wish everyone an enjoyable break and we look forward to seeing all the children back at the normal start time on Monday 23rd February.

John Budden
Executive Headteacher

Mary-Lyne Latour
Headteacher

Important Dates

Spring Half Term - Monday 16 to Friday 20 February.

First Day of Spring Term 2 – Monday 23 February.

Belleville Choir perform at Wandsworth, London Borough Culture Event: Sing to Thrive – Thursday 19 March, choir singing at 4.30pm. Putney Exchange. Further details to follow.

Year 6 Singing Project Performance – Friday 20 March, 10.30-11am, Webb's Lower Hall. All Y6 classes. The parts and backing tracks are [available to practise on our website](#).


Year 6 at Wandsworth Music Brighter Sounds Concert – Wednesday 25 March, 7.30pm, Fairfield Halls

[Term dates for 2025-26 and 2026-27 academic years are on our website.](#)

Ramadan

Ramadan begins around Wednesday 18 February 2026 and we are aware that some children may be fasting from food or water during this time. We can support children in Year 5 and Year 6 who wish to fast at school. If you wish your child to fast, or keep a partial fast during the school day, please provide a written note to your class teacher or the school office or email enquiries@belleville.q1e.org.uk with your child's name and class. Children may NOT fast at school without their parents/carers' permission.

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Girls' Football Team Success

Belleville Primary School enjoyed another fantastic day of football as the girls' team competed in a Chelsea FC hosted tournament. With 24 teams involved and only the group winner progressing to the semi-finals, the challenge was tough from the start. The girls won their first four matches and showed incredible determination to secure a 1-0 victory in their final group game, earning a place in the semi-finals. A confident 3-0 win then sent Belleville into the final against Honeywell.



The final was closely contested, with Belleville dominating the first half before Honeywell fought back, coming agonisingly close with a shot off the post. Thanks to the girls' positivity and support for one another, Belleville held their nerve to win on penalties and secure a place at Chelsea's training ground in Cobham on Monday 9 March. A Chelsea coach commented, "We've never seen a more positive, nicer group of girls win a tournament before." We are incredibly proud of the team and look forward to the next stage of the competition.

School Orchestra at Mayor's Charity Gala

Congratulations to our School Orchestra who performed at The Mayor's Charity Gala Concert with Wandsworth Music on Tuesday evening with a rousing rendition of Ghostbusters. The concert raised money for Mindworks UK, Wandsworth Oasis and Wandsworth Welcomes Refugees and for Wandsworth Music's scholarship and bursary scheme.



Wellbeing Workshop

The Education Wellbeing Service is running an online parent/carer group on **Understanding and Supporting your Child's Sleep** for parents/carers of children aged 4 – 8. The group will run on Friday lunchtimes from 12.30-1.30pm for four weeks from Friday 23 February 2026.

For more information or to sign up for your free place, please [visit their website](#).

ADHD Parenting Workshop

Wandsworth's SEND Hub are running a four week free course for parents and carers who have a child that has been newly diagnosed with ADHD or is on the pathway awaiting assessment. Taking place over 4 weeks, with discussions based around real-life scenarios, each 2-hour session will support you to meet the daily challenges using practical and proven strategies.

The course runs on Fridays from 10am – 12 noon, starting from Friday 6 March, at the Henry Prince Clubroom, SW18 4UN. To find out more or sign up, please [visit their website](#).

Our number one priority is to ensure that all children and adults are safe. If you are worried about something or if you are worried about someone else, you can talk to ANYONE who works for the school. Safeguarding is the responsibility of EVERYONE. Childline: 0800 1111



Reception Update

As we reach the end of this half term, we are delighted to share a few highlights from a busy and exciting few weeks of learning.

One of the highlights was our Dinosaur Workshop, where the children enjoyed hands-on activities and learning about prehistoric creatures. This inspired our dinosaur project, during which the children worked collaboratively to create impressive dinosaur artworks. Their enthusiasm, teamwork and creativity were wonderful to see, and their finished dinosaurs will be proudly displayed in our classrooms.



In maths, we focused on number bonds, patterns and part-whole models. The children practised breaking numbers into parts and explored how these combine to make a whole, strengthening their understanding of addition and subtraction.

In literacy, the children explored storytelling through story maps. They learned to identify key events using pictures and simple phrases, supporting their understanding of story structure and sequencing. This learning could be seen in their imaginative role-play during continuous provision.

Thank you for your continued support. We are very proud of all that the children have achieved so far this year.

Belleville PTA

Thank you to everyone who supported the PTA Valentine's Bake Sale today.

As part of the PTA's work to make our school community even better, we're running a quick **Parent Survey** to hear your thoughts and ideas. Your feedback will help us shape events, priorities and support for our kids this year. ➦ [Take the survey here](#). Thank you so much for your time and support!

Save the dates! As part of their fundraising activities for their PGL residential trip, Year 6 will be organising **School Discos** for each year group. Further details to follow!

Friday 6 March, Webb's Road: Reception/Year 1 (3.45-4.30pm), Year 2 (4.45-5.30pm), and Year 3 (5.45-6.30pm).

Friday 13 March, Meteor Street: Year 4 (3.45-4.30pm), Year 5 (4.45-5.30pm) and Year 6 (5.45-6.30pm).