



Points to note:

- 'Getting ready for Nursery' workshops available 9th, 11th and 13th May (see below)

Key dates for Summer Term:

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| • Monday 9 th – Thursday 12 th May | Year 6 SATs tests |
| • Friday 27 th May | Last day of Summer 1 half term – finish at usual times |
| • Monday 30 th May – Friday 3 rd June | Half term holiday |
| • Monday 6 th June | First day of Summer 2 term |
| • Monday 13 th - Friday 17 th June | Year 6 School Journey to Kent |
| • Tuesday 12 th July | Year 3 Singing Concert to Parents/Carers @ Webb's pm |
| • Thursday 14 th July | Year 4 Instrumental Concert @ Webb's pm |
| • Friday 15 th July | Year 6 leavers' party after school |
| • Tuesday 19 th July | Year 1 Singing Concert to Parents/Carers @ Webb's pm |
| • Thursday 21 st July | Last day of school year, non-uniform day (no donation needed).
Year 6 leavers' assembly on Zoom 10am – Parents/Carers of children in Year 6 are welcome to join us |

Finish times:

- Year 6: 1.50pm
- Years 1 – 3: 2.15pm
- Years 4 – 5: 2.20pm
- Reception: 2.25pm
- Nursery: 2.30pm

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you will have read in the accompanying letter from the QIE trust, we are very pleased to share with you the news of our new Executive Headteacher, John Budden, joining us in September as well as saying farewell to myself and Suzette Coleman, as we are both moving on to Headteacher roles in other schools.

We know that any change can be unsettling as well as exciting. John Budden has already met with Mary-Lyne Latour a number of times over the last few weeks, including most of today, and a large part of the discussion is of course developing the leadership and staffing structures across sites, ages, subjects and responsibilities and so on going into September and beyond. He will also be with us at various times over the summer term to get to know the school and to make the transition as smooth as possible as Belleville goes into its next exciting phase.

On a personal note, it will be a time of mixed emotions for me after 18 wonderful years at the school – I'll continue to give my all to Belleville in the coming months and, as I will still be within the QIE trust, my connection to this great school will continue, albeit from Beckenham!

Have a great weekend and with best wishes,
Sarah Atherton (Headteacher Juniors)



If you are worried about something
If you are worried about someone else.....



You can talk to
ANYONE who works
for the school

Safeguarding is the
responsibility of EVERYONE



Our first priority is to ensure all children and adults are safe.

Please do talk to any member of staff if you have any worries for yourself or others in our community.



Photo Permissions

We often take photographs and video of children at school to help promote the positive aspects of learning and we would love to be able to use more of them in newsletters such as this one.

Images of the children achieving and enjoying activities really do help celebrate the children's work in an exciting and immediate way with our current families and with those who may be considering joining the school in the future. We always follow the Department of Education guidelines and we will not use the names of any child if an image of that child is used.

We are currently making sure that the school's photography permissions are up to date for every child and will be writing to some families next week to ask them to complete a short form to confirm whether they provide or withhold their consent.

If you receive this letter, it may be because you haven't previously returned your form, or because you have provided us with two different answers, or because your child has joined the school since we last sent out the form. If you do receive this letter, please could you take a moment to complete and return the form for each of your children. It is very important that we record your preference either way.

Thank you very much in advance for your help with this.

Sports News - Football at AFC Wimbledon



Obviously, being a Dons (AFC Wimbledon) fan, it was an amazing experience that I will savour for the rest of my life. It was a fun experience and I was honoured to play on a professional football pitch and we managed to get a glimpse of the youth team. The coaches at the club were very kind and the reffing was fair. All the teams were respectful and we had a great time

Louis, Year 5



Winning wasn't the main goal that day – it was to have fun and make the most of this once in a lifetime experience. Every player put 100% effort in and had an amazing attitude. Belleville takes us to amazing places!

Jack, Year 5



Ahoy there me hearties!

Reception enjoyed a swashbuckling themed day today as part of our Sea Adventures topic.

In full pirate regalia, we had a book reading and Q&A with Holly Ryan, the author of 'Never Mess with a Pirate Princess'; made our own treasure maps; followed a treasure map to find some hidden loot and performed a pirate dance for our friends in other Reception classes.

We pretended to be fierce and menacing but we tricked everyone . . . we are kind and gentle really!





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Pop-Up Food Tasting Session at Meteor Street



Children, parents, families (and staff!) enjoyed a free tasting session at Meteor this week hosted by our caterers, Harrisons. They shared some of the delicious dishes, desserts, salads and breads that they offer the children.

Thank you to Mary, the Meteor chef, and her team for making the extra dishes for us.

This week, we have welcomed a new permanent chef, Gergana, to the Webb's Road site after many months and we will host a similar event once she has settled in.

We will be having a fantastic Jubilee lunch party on each site before half term to celebrate the Queen's 70th year as monarch – more details to follow.





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**BELLEVILLE
FUN RUN**

**SUNDAY
MAY 22**

Join us on Sunday May 22. 9-11.30 on Wandsworth Common
opposite Bolingbroke Academy.

RACE DETAILS

9:00am: Registration opens

9:30am: Years 5-6 Race 2km

9:45: Years 3-4 Race 2km

10:00am: Years 1-2 Race 1km

10:15am: Nursery & Reception Race 500m

10:40am: Mums Race 2km

10:55am: Dads Race 2km

11:10am: Prize Ceremony

Medals for all participants!

Tickets £5 - buy from PTA website.



Getting ready for nursery

WORKSHOPS



Toilet training

Join Victoria Ley from Contact to get tips on toilet training

Monday 9th May on ZOOM

10-11 am Meeting ID 878 0784 8288

Passcode: 862269

Toilet training advice drop in

2-3 pm Meeting ID: 894 5556 7149

Passcode: 153130

contact For families with disabled children

Speech and language

Join Jo Hardman, Highly specialist Speech and Language therapist on supporting your child to be ready for nursery focussing on communication and language

Wednesday 11th May on ZOOM

10-11 Meeting ID: 305 470 5207

Passcode: Speech

2-3 pm repeat of morning webinar



Transition

Join Aditi Rao, Educational Psychologist for support on preparing your child for nursery

Friday 13th May on TEAMS

10 - 11am

1.30 - 2.30pm

To book your place please email hannah.skaife@richmondandwandsworth.gov.uk for a link to the Teams Meeting, specifying morning or afternoon session





TERM DATES 2021-2022

Summer Term 2022

Bank holiday:	Monday 2nd May – school closed to children
Local Elections:	Thursday 5 th May – Nursery closed (Nursery used as a Polling station)
Last day of Summer 1 term:	Friday 27 th May
Spring half term holiday:	Monday 30 th May – Friday 3 rd June
First day of Summer 2 term:	Monday 6 th June
Last day of Summer 2 term:	Thursday 21 st July – finishing an hour earlier than usual

TERM DATES 2022-2023

Autumn Term 2022

Inset Days:	Thursday 1 st – Friday 2 nd September – school closed to children
First day of Autumn 1 term:	Monday 5 th September
Last day of Autumn 1 term:	Friday 21 st October
Autumn half term holiday:	Monday 24 th October – Friday 28 th October
First day of Autumn 2 term:	Monday 31 st October
Last day of Autumn 2 term:	Friday 16 th December

Spring Term 2023

Inset Day:	Tuesday 3 rd January – school closed to children
First day of Spring 1 term:	Wednesday 4 th January
Last day of Spring 1 term:	Friday 10 th February
Spring half term holiday:	Monday 13 th February – Friday 17 th February
First day of Spring 2 term:	Monday 20 th February
Last day of Spring 2 term:	Friday 31 st March

Summer Term 2023

Inset Day:	Monday 17 th April – school closed to children
First day of Summer 1 term:	Tuesday 18 th April
Bank holiday:	Monday 1 st May – school closed to children
Last day of Summer 1 term:	Friday 26 th May
Spring half term holiday:	Monday 29 th May – Friday 2 nd June
Inset Day:	Monday 5 th June – school closed to children
First day of Summer 2 term:	Tuesday 6 th June
Last day of Summer 2 term:	Friday 21 st July

