



Dear Parents,

Future Dates

Monday 9th July-Individual Athletics Finals-Norman Park.

9th-13th July Y6 Isle of Wight Trip

9th-13th July Y5 Top up swimming lessons

Tuesday 10th July-Y4 Re Celebration Day at Bishop Justus

Thursday 12th July- Deadline for Y5 parents to return Secondary School Data Form and documents.

Thursday 12th July-Bromley Community Wellbeing Parent Workshop on Managing Your Child's Anxiety 10am.

Thursday 19th July-PTA Disco with the Funky Chicks Reception and KS1 5pm-6.15pm and KS2 6.30pm-8pm.

Friday 20th July am- Y6 Leavers Service at Keston Church.

Friday 20th July-Last Day of Term Finish at 1.30pm.

Next week's dates

Tuesday 3rd July-Y6 Secondary School transition day.

Wednesday 4th July-Y1 trip to Brooklands Museum.

Wednesday 4th July-Y3/4 Quadkids Competition at Langley Park School for Boys

Thursday 5th July-Y2 trip to Horniman Museum.

Thursday 5th July-Keston Bank last session of the year.

Awards

The Spike Trophy was presented to YR. Well done.

The Music Trophy was presented to Y1 for their amazing work with percussion instruments!

Gold Awards were awarded to Pearl-Bleu (Y1), George, Bobby, Isabella, Ellie (Y4) Joseph (Y5J), Daniel and Elicia (Y6).

Head Teacher's Awards were presented to Livia and Grace (Y6) for their Maths Challenge. Well done girls.

School News

After School Clubs

Gym, Crunch Bunch and Pixel Gang all finish next week. All other clubs finish the week of 9th July.

Inconsiderate parking

I was disappointed to receive another complaint from a resident about inconsiderate parking on Sports Day. **Please do not block their drives or park on the yellow zig zag lines.**

A member of staff witnessed children running in and out of cars in the school car park. Please ensure that you keep an eye on your child at all times and use the footpaths into school.

School Times Tables Competition

This week has seen the second round of the competition, which was a verbal competition between the 4 class winners from last week's heats.

The overall winner from each class was:-

Y1-Mason M

Y2-Evan

Y3-Charlie

Y4-Taylor

Y5-Aaron W

Y6-Livia

Next week we have the final stage of the competition.

The above winners will go head to head in a verbal competition to find the overall group winners. (Group One Yrs 1, 2, 3) (Group two Yrs 4, 5, 6). Good luck.

Miss Askew

Summer School

The booking form has been emailed to parents this week and payment is now open on School Gateway. Mr Hunnisett, Miss Whiting and Miss Jeffrey will be running the Summer School for the first week of the summer holidays 23rd-27th July. The cost will be £30 per day or £125 for the week. **Please note that it is only open to children at Keston School in our current Reception-Y6 classes. Places are limited.**

M&N Sports Football Camp 6th-9th August

At the moment we don't have enough numbers for the football camp in August to be viable. If you would like your child to attend please can you let us know by Monday 2nd July.

Y5 K'Nex Summer Challenge

We loved the K'Nex Challenge. We learnt about what engineers do and how many different attempts it takes to get a design right. Our task was to design a siege machine. We had to think about different

structures. We had to have good teamwork and be willing to change our ideas. We built the best catapult and won sweets! It was super fun. Ralph, Jack, Aaron W Y5J.

Y5 trip to Aquinas Schools Festival

On Tuesday Y5 went to a Church in Bromley. It was good fun and we did lots of activities. There were 7 other Aquinas Schools there, including Parish and Trinity. It was good fun and Y5 enjoyed it. Carys Y5W.

Y4 Bowles

On Wednesday Y4 took part in a Bowles Enrichment Session. They had a really fun morning taking part in team building activities.

Bowles was so much fun! The challenges were epic. My favourite one was the spider's web. We also got soaking wet. We had to leave our clothes out to dry. Sofia.

My favourite activity was the water one! We had to cover all the holes on a pipe and then we poured a big bucket of water in the pipe. We all got wet. Jacob.

Sacred Music Recital

On Thursday Y1-Y6 were treated to a wonderful music recital from Sacred Music for Schools. They performed works by Goodall, Vivaldi, Faure and Weelkes. The children really enjoyed the performance and were able to ask questions at the end.

The children were asked if they would be interested in auditioning for Southwark Cathedral Choir. Auditions will take place in school before the end of term.

Please ask your child to talk to Mrs Lawrence or the school office if they are interested.

If your child was inspired by the music and singing BYMT offer lots of opportunities for children to sing in a choir or play a musical instrument. BYMT are also running a Musical Theatre Summer School Monday 20th-Friday 24th August for students aged 8-21. For more information please visit their website www.bymt.co.uk or tel 0208 467 1566.

Reception trip to High Elms

On Thursday Reception Class went on a trip to Beeche at High Elms. We played parachute games, explored the woodland and tried pond dipping.

A fun day was had by all. Miss Tomlin.

School Lunches

We have a significant amount of outstanding lunch accounts. Please ensure your child's account is settled in full before the end of term via School Gateway. A reminder that current Y2 children will be

charged for their school lunches with effect from September 18 at a cost of £2.20 per day.

As from September we will only require 1 weeks' notice to change between packed lunch and school lunches.

Keston Bank

Next week Keston Bank will open on Thursday at 8.30am instead of Wednesday. This will be the last session of the year.

PTA Chairs

I am delighted to inform you that Rachel Caton, and Clare Sterry will be the new Chairs of the PTA. Thank you very much for volunteering. The PTA is such a valuable part of school life, organising fun events and raising lots of money. Thanks again to Lucy and Gail for all their hard work.

Sporting News

Ella and Gabriella Y3 have been selected to represent Kent Girls and Ladies League U8's with Petts Wood FC in a National Tournament at St George's Park this Saturday. St George's Park is the home of the FA and English Football where grass roots teams up to the England Senior Team train and play. This really is a huge achievement for them as there are only 16 girls selected to represent Kent with 2 teams of 8 attending and is recognition of their performance throughout the season. It is also with thanks to Mr Hunnisett for all his hard work and hours of training with the girls that they have this opportunity. Mr Mayhew.

Community News

Downe Primary School

Inflatable Day Friday 13th July 3-7pm

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.

Julia Evison