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## NEWSLETTER 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2018

### Dear Parents

We have had a fantastic series of concerts from the Full Day and Reception classes this week. Once again, the standard reached by such young children has surpassed all expectations. They have demonstrated great concentration and perseverance in learning facts, songs and dances along with making costumes and sets that would not look out of place on the West End stage. I would like to thank everyone involved in putting on the concerts which are such a highlight of the summer term.

### Visitors this week

I was very pleased to welcome Mr Kevin Dobson to Broadhurst School on Wednesday this week. Mr Dobson, the new Head of The Hall Junior School, was keen to see our school and meet some of the boys who will be starting at The Hall this September.

### School Visits for children

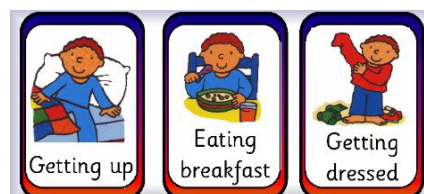
This week has given some children the opportunity to visit their next schools. It is a valuable part of the transition for children that are able to have this experience and the feedback I have received from children and parents has been very positive.

### Curriculum News from Miss Belzer Sequencing

Sequencing skills involve the ability to organise our thoughts and ideas or order events logically. We use these skills in everyday situations such as talking about what happened at school today. It requires children to process and organise information and helps them to develop their problem solving and reasoning skills. Opportunities to develop sequencing skills help children develop their vocabulary, including now and next, before and after, first, then and last.

Everyday events that can support sequencing skills at home include:

- instructions and sequences for a task, for example, making a sandwich, pouring a drink or getting ready for school
- re-telling events from a story book or a traditional fairy tale, such as, The Three Little Pigs.
- re-telling events from trips out at the weekend
- using pictures to sequence - use photocopied pictures from a story book or a series of photos taken while out on a family trip



## **Broadhurst 60<sup>th</sup> Birthday Celebration Sports Day and Picnic**

We are very much looking forward to our sports day and picnic which is taking place on:

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July  
10.30am-1.00pm**

**at  
Paddington Recreation Ground  
Randolph Avenue  
London W9 1PD**

Entrance is on Randolph Avenue. Follow the path until you come to the first clearing on the right.

The day will proceed as follows:

**10.30 AM  
Children arrive at Paddington Recreation  
Ground**

**10.45 AM  
Half Day AM races begin**

**11.00 AM  
Half Day PM races begin**

**11.15 AM  
Full Day and Reception races begin**

**11.30 AM  
Children handed over to parents and picnic  
begins**

**13:00 PM  
Official End of Sports Day**

**Apologies for the PM misprint in the  
earlier information sent. The times are  
as above for this event**

We ask that every child has an adult attend the sports day and picnic and that from 11.30am the children will be your responsibility. We also welcome other family members and siblings, if wished. If any parents cannot make the event, we would kindly ask that you make arrangements for your child to be cared for by another parent. This is for the safety of all children at a public space.

In the event of inclement weather on the day, a decision will be made at 8.00am should we need to cancel, and a text message will be sent to you. In this event, school will run at normal times.

**Thank you**

## **Class News**

Class 4 have been learning about the five senses focusing, this week, on the sense of taste. We read the story Handa's Surprise and tasted the fruit we saw in her basket; mango, passion fruit and pineapple were the children's favourites.

Sports Day is almost upon us and the children have been practising their races so, lots of cheers on the day please.

The school's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday party is soon approaching, and when here, we ask you to take a moment and look up at the amazing Union Jack bunting made by Class 4.



## Notices

A Broadhurst family with a 3 ½ year old son are looking for an after-school childminder, from late August 2018. The required hours are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday, 14:45-18:30, as well as full days during school holidays (with some flexibility). The childminder would preferably be a native English speaker and be able to pick up from Broadhurst School at 14:45. Childminder sharing is welcome. Childminding exchange is also possible on Wednesdays and Fridays.

**Please contact the School office for further information.**



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## Summer Camps - Imperial College

• Our holiday camps are either 3 or 5 days from 9.30-3.30 and are completely hands-on & project based (Siblings & friends discounts apply!)

• Younger children will be grouped by ages and will be assisted during all experiments

• All our teachers are Scientists and Science Communicators with their enhanced DBS checks and safeguarding training in place

• Our workshops are fully risk assessed

• We do have regular and accompanied breaks for refreshments

• Lunch/snacks have to be provided by parents, due to the different dietary requirements (PLEASE NOTE WE DO NOT ALLOW ANY NUTS OR EGGS IN THE ROOM!)

### May Half-term Camp

3 days from Tue-Thu, 9.30-3.30, 4-11 years, drop-off

29-31 May Evolution, Adaptations & Natural Selections - Scientific Exploration of the Five Kingdoms

### Summer Camps

Daily Monday-Friday, 9.30-3.30, 4-11 years, drop off

9-13 July The Science of the Oceans

16-20 July Isaac Newton and the Physics of Light and Sound

23-27 July Meet the Elements: Fun Chemistry

30 July-3 Aug Scientific Space Odyssey

6-10 Aug Explore the Greatest Science Inventions

13-17 Aug Amazing Brain and other Wonders of Human Body

20-24 Aug Diversity of the Animal World (Amphibians, Reptiles, Creepy Crawlers)

27-31 Aug (4 days) Aerodynamics and Simple Machines

3-7 Sep Who wants to be an Architect?

### October Half-term Camp

Daily Monday-Friday, 9.30-3.30, 4-11 years, drop off

22-26 Oct Spooktacular Science



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## Stop and Drop

Please see below the rota for 'stop and drop' next week. If you are unable to do the slot you have been assigned, we would appreciate it if you could endeavour to swap with another parent.

25/06/2018 Leo Alhadeff

25/06/2018 Liora Trup

25/06/2018 Maddox Steinberg-Aziz

25/06/2018 Marius MacNamara

26/06/2018 Matilda Saoulli

26/06/2018 Max Dawes

26/06/2018 Myra Dixit

26/06/2018 Nadia Jorgensen

27/06/2018 Naomi Rajwan

27/06/2018 Nathan Storchak

27/06/2018 Nathaniel Reiner

27/06/2018 Ognian Bhattasali

28/06/2018 Oliver Sandler

28/06/2018 Olivia Cuff

28/06/2018 Oscar Gilbert-Ross

28/06/2018 Otis Bell

29/06/2018 Rahul Kalra

29/06/2018 Raina Burman

29/06/2018 Raphael Sofer

29/06/2018 Rayan Naheta

I wish you all a lovely weekend.

With best wishes

Mrs Sylvester

Headmistress

**Proprietor:**  
**Mr. B. J. Berkery**