



Friday, 27th May 2022

# **Our May Value is Thoughtfulness**





International Evening 2022

The last six weeks have been an incredibly busy time at Bonneville.

At the beginning of this term, Reception places were confirmed with families. We look forward to welcoming the new Reception children.

Well done to year 6 for working so hard, remaining focussed and getting through the SATs tests with such maturity.

We ended the term with the return of our annual International Evening. Thank you all for your support.

Please ensure you get key dates in your diary for next term.

Have a safe and enjoyable half term break.

See you all on Monday 6th June at 8.55am on the gate.

Ms A. Parker Executive Headteacher

#### **Important Dates For Your Diary**

Return

Monday, 6th June

**Yr4 Times Tables Parent Workshop** 

Thursday,9th June, 4.30pm

**Open Morning** 

Monday, 13th June

**Creativity & Enterprise Week** 

Monday, 20th to Friday 24th June

**KS2 Sports Day** 

Tuesday,21st June

**KS1 Sports Day** 

Wednesday,22nd June

**EYFS Sports Day** 

Thursday,23rd June

**Enterprise Fair** 

Friday 24th June, 2.45pm

**Bonneville Summer Fair** 

Sunday 10th July, 12.00pm

**Last Day Term** 

Wednesday, 20th July 1.30pm

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# **Early Years Foundation Stage**

#### **Nursery Parent Update**

This term we have been learning about minibeast. In PSED, we started talking about being assertive and using our voice to speak up, saying what we want or how we feel confidently. We also talked about our feelings, naming them and learning how to work through to calm ourselves down in order not to get too overwhelmed by them.

In Maths, we began sequencing our observation of the changes we observed and adding the changes from incubator to brooder, using words such as 'first', 'then', 'after'. We went over our numbers and shapes to consolidate our learning.

In phonics and literacy, we have been learning our sound of the week which is 'g' and writing the letters we have learned so far. We are trying to blend the sounds we have learned so far to read words such as 'sat', 'pin' and 'pig'.

In understanding the world, we have been looking at the different habitats of the minibeast and exploring our immediate environment by going on a minibeast hunt. We found so many minibeast under logs such as slugs, worms, centipedes and under leaves such as ladybirds. We have really enjoyed observing our tadpoles change and grow into frogs which we released into our forest school pond.

In EAD, we also used salt dough to make our chosen minibeast adding different materials to add more details such as leaves used as wings. We drew our families again adding more complex details. We shared our family stories with our adults and wrote the first letter sounds of our families such as 'm' for mummy.

We are looking forward to the next term as we get ourselves ready for the next stage of our school life. Have a wonderful rest.



**RC Class Assembly** 

Tuesday, 12th July

Thursday, 14th July







# **International Evening**

Thank you to everyone who came to our first International Evening since the school closure period through the Pandemic. It was amazing to see so much of our school community together. We were truly touched by the tremendous generosity of food and culture sharing. The event just could not have worked without you all playing your part. We are a family, and our children benefit hugely from these experiences.

Well done to all of our children for their beautiful singing.

It was great fun raffling the names of our new chickens, welcome to the Bonneville Family Luna, Esmerelda, Maddie, Fuzz and Mischief.

We cannot thank you all enough!









#### **Notices**

# **Open Morning**

Our open morning events have been fully booked.

The next event is

Monday 13th June 2022

@ 9.30am

Spread the word! Must be pre-booked!

Please remember to label your child's clothing so our playground monitors can unite items to their owner.

Name and class will do!

### **Attendance Winners**

Congratulations to the following classes





96%

98%

#### **Parental Involvement**

Remember to visit our 'Call to Action' page on the website, if you want to find out how you can volunteer at the school.

We currently need helpers for International Evening and more generally parent readers.

Use the link below to get involved.

https://www.bonneville-primary.lambeth.sch.uk/calling-for-action/

#### Place2be

After piloting with parents and carers in their partner schools, Place 2Be are proud to have launched Parenting Smart for all UK parents and carers of 4-11 year olds. The Parenting Smart site is completely free to use and access, full of tips and advice on a range of topics including transition to secondary school, meltdowns, and sleep difficulties. You can follow the link below to visit their site for the latest resources.

https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/

# **Voluntary Reader**

If you would like to be a secret reader next term (reading a story to your child's class), or would like to support us in maximising children's opportunity to practice their reading skills, please email the office we would love to have your support.

# **Car Damage**

In order avoid being liable for any damage caused, whilst waiting to collect children, please do not lean on the cars parked by the roadside.

# **Pyjama Day**

Thank you to everyone who got involved in Pyjama Day!







# **Key Stage One**

#### **Year 1 Parent Update**

Please find below Year 1 buzz bits, Amanda is sending you the pictures separately.

In English we have been exploring rhyming poetry. We used the story 'The snail and the whale' to help us create our own rhyming poems.

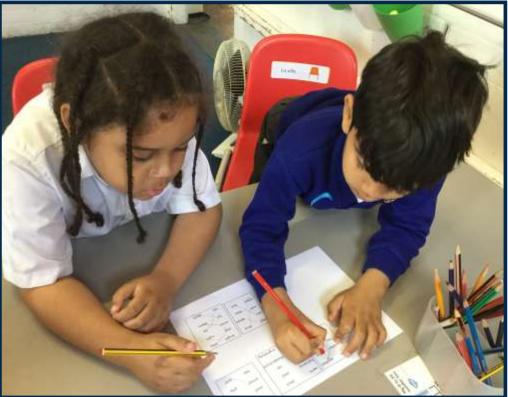
In Maths we have been looking at finding the difference by counting back on a number line.

In Geography we have continued our learning about 'At the seaside'. We looked at maps and how maps use symbols to represent features. We practiced using coordinates to find different locations.

In Science we have been exploring the diet of different sea creatures as well as exploring their different physical features and making comparisons.

In PSHE we have been learning about friendly behaviours and how we can use this to help our friends.

In Art we created sea creatures using clay inspired by the sculptor Henry Moore. We used different techniques to help us attach the different parts of our sculptures.







**1J Class Assembly**Wednesday,29th June
9.15am

1G Class Assembly Friday,1st July

# **Notices**









Free Caribbean meal afterwards!

#### FREE STOP AND SEARCH WORKSHOP 6.30pm-9.30pm

Do you know the grounds on which you can be searched by police? Are you aware of the different type of searches? If the answer is no then join us to learn about your rights and share your experiences

#### Location

Black prince trust community hub Beaufoy Walk, London SE11 6HU



If you are interested contact: Cherrelle: 07859 882974 Reahana: 07735677206 Instagram: Lambethyoungadvisors Twitter: LambethyoungAdvisors



Find tickets on Eventbrite.co.uk



#### Children come first when we come together

It's better to talk than shout.

We're here to listen if you're feeling stressed about any school related issue.

Call 020 8673 1183, or email admin@bonneville-primary.lambeth.sch.uk

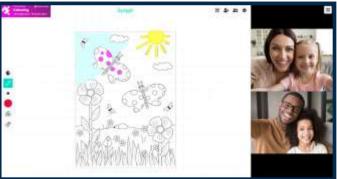


All children at Bonneville have been given 100% FREE access to Squiggle, an exciting new online video chat app built by Dan, one of the dads at our school. Squiggle lets you draw, play and collaborate together while in a video call. Think Zoom for children. It's perfect for classic pencil-and-paper games, such as noughts & crosses, dots & boxes, colouring in

and **hangman**, but when you sign up you'll also be able to play **chess**, **draughts**, **Pictionary** and **word searches** with your friends and family wherever they are in the world.







# **Key Stage One**

**Year 2 Parent Update** This week we were very fortunate to have lots of furry friends visiting year 2! A local lady called Veronica was keen to share her rat and their pups. We had the opportunity to hold the rats and realised the pups were eager to run around and explore the classroom. Don't worry we didn't lose any!

In English this week, children have been exploring and creating book reviews. On Monday we explored a range of book reviews and identified their different features. Towards the end of the week, children put their knowledge of book reviews into writing amazing ones of their own.

In maths, we reminded ourselves of our arithmetic knowledge and the correct methods to use for each operation.

In topic, we learnt all about significant people connected to our local area. Children researched Charlie Chaplin, Ken Livingstone and David Bowie, then created informative fact files using sub-headings. We were able to reflect on their local and global impact.

In PE this week, the two Year 2 classes came together for a selection of athletic activities, which ended with a big relay race.

In RE, we learnt about the Gurdwara which is a Sikh place of worship. We discussed the rooms in a Gurdwara and the purpose of each. Year 2 then made a booklet describing parts of the Gurdwara and it's impact on the community.

In Art this week, children are exploring contrast. They are using different shading techniques with charcoal and pencil and seeing how the techniques can be used to create light and darkness in pictures.

In Science, we are planning an investigation on our topic of plants. We want to see how different variables affect the growth and health of plants. Children will get the chance to decide on the variables they want to explore and what constants need to remain the same for a fair test.

2l Class Assembly

**2W Class Assembly** 

Wednesday, 15th June

Friday,17th June







#### 'BonneFILL' Our new Eco-refill company!

This week we launched our new business venture called 'BonneFILL'. We will be selling a range of eco-friendly washing-up liquids, hand washes and body washes in a range of different scents. The idea is that the liquids will be sold in 100ml or 500ml quantities and will be sold to customers who bring their own 're-usable' plastic containers. This means that as well as being a great enterprise project, we will also be looking after the environment and helping everyone to recycle their plastic containers.

The team plan to launch their range of products on Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June at end of the day outside the Year 5/6 gate. The launch assembly held for KS2 was fantastic- see pictures. The team really did well to market their products and encourage EVERYONE, including staff, parents and carers to buy their products and make their new business a success.

We will be sending out a short questionnaire at the start of the new term to ask for feedback. Any family who completes a questionnaire will receive a 10% discount on their first purchase. We hope that everyone will support our new business which will run alongside our re-launched 'Fruitilicious' tuck shop, starting again in the new term.



# **Lower Key Stage 2**

#### **Year 3 Parent Update**

This week we have been learning about Benjamin Zephaniah and exploring his poetry. We will continue with this after half term looking at poems about children in diverse modern Britain. To support this please could you discuss your family history and heritage with your child over half term.

In Science we have been learning about the requirements for a plant to grow and carrying out experiments.

In Topic we have been learning about the Mayan way of life.

In PSHE we have been looking at diverse families and how families love, care and support each other.

In Maths we have been consolidating our knowledge of time using analogue, digital and 24 hour clocks. Please take opportunities to practise telling

In Art we created our own picture in the style of Henri Rousseau, layering leaves and flowers.

Please make sure you have given consent and paid for the Brockwell Community Greenhouse trip on Scopay.

Have a wonderful half term -

The Year 3 team.



Monday,4th July

Friday,8th July











# 'Bonneville's Anti-Bullying Bricks.

Last November we held Anti-Bullying week. This year's theme was 'One Kind Word'. All of KS2 and some of the children in KS1 designed their own bricks that included their kind word for each other. Mr Connelly, with the help of Julio, have finally built our 'Anti-Bullying Wall'. It's taken a while, but the wait has been worth it! It looks great and is something we can all admire each day and think about what it represents to us all. Well done to everyone who was involved.





# One Kind Word



# **Lower Key Stage 2**

#### **Year 4 Parent Update**

What a wonderful half term in year 4 we've had. Made even better by a fantastic final week of half term! The children have been busy bees this week taking part in science day, art day, international evening and a final day wearing their pyjamas!

In English this half term, we've squeezed in lots of learning. We've written poems in the style of Valerie Bloom and performed them for our groups. We've had a go at creative style writing and come up with our very own story based on the ideas from The Promise by Nicola Davies. We've just started researching and sorting lots of facts about The Industrial Revolution, ready to write a chronological report all about it when we come back after half term.

In maths this half term, we've focused on lots of really important life skills. We've been learning about the place value of decimals and focusing specifically on the tenths and hundredths, which lead us perfectly into learning about money! The children learnt how to add, subtract, multiply and divide money, all key life skills for when they're older. We also were practising telling the time to the nearest minute on an analogue and digital clock! The children all worked really hard at this, but this skill can be tricky, so please keep practising telling the time with them at home.

Our new topic this term is 'Saving Our World', we've been learning lots about the Industrial Revolution, and the positive and negative impacts it had on the economic climate and the actual climate of the world! We've learnt about food miles, and how this can be damaging to the world and how it is adding to climate change. They've learnt about Fairtrade and how this effects people, as well as the working conditions during the industrial revolution.

In science this half term, we learnt all about living things and their habitats! We spent the afternoon in forest school, which was such a treat as some of the children haven't been there since year 1 and some haven't been at all! We look some information sheets down, and tried to identify some different living things. Then, we spent a wonderful morning at Clapham Common (thanks again to all our parent helpers, you were all amazing!), where we found local living things and observed them in their habitats. We had an exciting time, we managed to see a carp which a fisherman had caught, lots of parakeets, a heron and even a terrapin!

In art, we've been printmakers! We've spent the half term creating mood boards, sharing ideas and then planning out our print design. We then all got together for art day in the hall! The children made environmentally friendly print boards from recycling cardboard, and created their design. They all turned out amazing and the children were all really pleased.

Next half term, we will be taking 2 trips! The first trip will be to London Zoo on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July. Thank you so much to the parents who have already signed up, we have now filled our free of charge parent helper slots. We will also be heading to the South Bank centre to meet the author and illustrator of Mayhem at the Museum!! The children will take part in lots of activities and then they will get their very own copy of Mayhem at the Museum!







#### **4W Class Assembly**

Tuesday,28th June

**4N Class Assembly** 

Thursday, 30th June

# **Upper Key Stage 2**

#### **Year 5 Parent Update**

We want to start by saying thank you for being so supportive in terms of the children's learning. We cannot believe we only have 7 weeks left of the school year! Next half term, we will be visiting Kidzania as part of our topic – Micro society. We are now in the process of writing your child's report, which as you know, will be used for their prospective secondary schools. Wishing you all a happy half term.

Maths: In Maths, we have been learning about geometry – the study of shapes. The children have made exceptional progress in this area – measuring angles using a protractor, calculating angles on a straight line and around a point. We have also consolidated our learning of polygons and quadrilaterals. Next half term we will continue our learning of geometry. MyMaths and Times Tables Rock Stars as part of their homework.

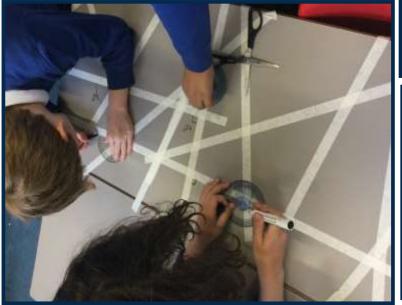
Humanities: Our topic this term is 'Micro Society'. The children have named their society, voted for their currency and flag. We have been exploring the concept of supply and demand and with this in mind have produced advertising materials for products. They have been so enthused by the topic that it is showing in their level of maturity during lessons.

English: Our English text this half term is 'When the bees fly home' which is a fable focussing on themes of family life and different emotions. The children explored characters and were able to write their own fable. We also examined features of instructions and as a result wrote our own – How to make bees wax candles based on our text.

R.E: In R.E this term, we will be exploring Jesus – divine and human. We explored Christian beliefs about Jesus the son of man and Jesus the son of God.

Computing: This half term the children have been using purple mash to create their own 3D packaging linked to micro society.

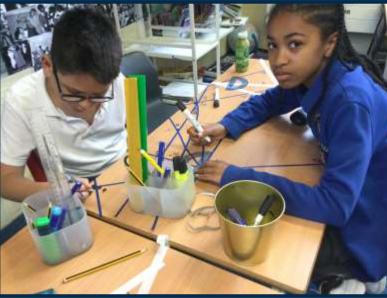
P.E. Our P.E days are Wednesday and Friday. Please ensure that you have your P.E kits at school at all times. We will be learning to play basketball.





Science: Our Science this term is properties and changes of materials. We have researched a key scientist called Stephanie Kwolek who was an American scientist that invented an amazingly strong but thin material called Kevlar. We compared materials and investigated what they could be used for taking into account their properties. We have also investigated conductors and insulators. The children carried out a test to find the best material to use for the inner lining of a lunch box.

PHSE: We will be focussing on family. The children now have a better understanding of different types of families and the role each member plays in that family.



**5H Class Assembly** 

Tuesday,14th June

**5F Class Assembly** 

Thursday,16th June

# **Upper Key Stage 2**

#### **Year 6 Parent Update**

WOW! What a half term Year 6 have had. The term started of preparing for the end of KS2 SATs; in the second week of May the children all worked really hard and showed true resilience as they took their tests. We are all so proud of them. Thank you to everyone who has supported them at home and a huge well done to the children who have put in so much hard work, especially those who attended before and after school boosters.

This week on Tuesday, we travelled to Stockwell Primary School, where we joined them and Jessop Primary School and had our inaugural BJS Federation Transition Social. The children were all grouped according to the secondary schools that they were going to in September. They all had an opportunity to get to know one another during icebreaker activities then collaborated together to create a presentation about how to have a sensational secondary school experience, their motivations and their ambitions. The day ended with wide games and the children all buzzing with excitement from the new friends they had made.

Maths: In Maths we have been working within our groups to complete a "Theme Park Maths" investigation. The children have been tasked with several activities where they were given a budget and they had to design and draw a map of a theme park based on certain criteria and costs. Activities went on to explore running costs, income, profit and loss. We were able to draw on previous learning in Maths and in our Y5 Topic 'Microsociety'. The children have demonstrated that some will make brilliant business people when they are older! We will continue to use our Maths skills to approach problem solving and investigations.

English: In English, we have had a real focus on writing. Year 6's final judgements for writing aren't made until the end of June so we want to ensure that all the children have the best opportunity as possible to show off what they are capable of. We have been covering a range of genres linked to our Survivor topic including poetry and narratives based on the key text "The Lost Words" and recounts based on the recent tornados in Germany. After half term, we will base our writing on the survival stories from the sinking of RMS Titanic and write diary entries and informal letter.

End of Yr6 Party- Monday 18th July 5pm Leavers Assembly- Monday 18th July 5pm





Humanities: We are really enjoying our "Survivor" topic. In this topic we have been exploring extreme weathers, natural disasters and real life survival stories. We have begun to explore what causes extreme weather and natural disasters, in particular plate tectonics, volcanoes and their impact on communities, and will look earthquakes after the half term. We have used a range of primary and secondary sources to carry out independent research on the sinking of the Titanic. After half term, we will use this research and explore some the survival stories behind this historical event and write a recount.

After the half term we are really looking forward to the trips and events that we have planned for the Year 6 children. Remember that on the first week back we are going to Kidzania on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June. We are also really excited about our residential trip to Blackland Farm and day trip to Chessington World of Adventures. We will also be putting on a production, so look out for further information regarding that!

# **B**onneville Summer Fair

Our school Summer Fair is on Sunday 10th July. In due course I will be asking for your help to make this a big bonanza for our children. Keep an eye out on the 'Call to Action' page of the schools website to see how you can get involved.



# Friends Association Bonneville FAB

Thank you for your attendance, engagement and contributions at all FAB events!

# Please get involved, more hands make light work!

Many, many parents are involved in enabling fundraising for our school. Thanks again to the FAB Office Team. We always welcome new people who wish to be more involved. A donation of 1 hour per term (that's only 3 hours per year), of your time, is all that we ask.

Whether it be class rep, planning/hosting an event or standing on a stall. Any help is great help!

Every parents is a member of FAB, and my request is for everyone to get involved, in any way you can.

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