

NEWSLETTER

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RETURN TO SCHOOL MONDAY 6TH JUNE

MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

It has been a lovely end to this half term as we all came together to celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. It was a fun packed afternoon with songs through the decades, poetry recitals and amazing art work on display. The children had the most amazing time, sang their little hearts out and danced to mark this momentous occasion. We had a special visit to



the school during our celebrations from Feryal Clark, Member of Parliament (MP) for Enfield North. She thoroughly enjoyed all the performances and was amazed at all the effort and enjoyment. Thank you to Feryal Clark for visiting our school and for such positive feedback.

It has truly been an incredible half term, with so much taking place across the school. Both staff and pupils have worked tirelessly and the Year 6 and Year 2 SATs, although challenging, demonstrated the resilience of our children and commitment to their education. I feel very proud of every single one of them for their efforts.

The summer discos also proved to be a huge success. Thank you to Rebecca and the wonderful FOBHS team for organising such a fun packed event, where the children had lots of fun dancing with their friends and teachers.

I would like to say good luck to Miss Finch who will be leaving us this term to have her baby. We wish her all the best and look forward to hearing the news of her baby's arrival.

Wishing you all a fabulous half term break. I hope you all enjoy the Platinum Jubilee celebrations and spend quality time with friends and family, whether it is neighbourhood street parties, family get togethers or just enjoying the week to relax and recharge your batteries!

Thank you to all staff and parents for your continued support and look forward to what the next half term will bring. **Anna Theodosiou**

Diary Dates

2022

Half Term

30th May—2nd June

Return to school

Monday 6th June

Sports Day

Thursday 23rd June

INSET Day

Friday 24th June

Last day of Term

Friday 22nd July

SCHOOL DINNERS

The total cost of school dinners for the period 6th June to 22nd July (excluding 23rd & 24th June) will be **£78.21**.

New menus for next term can be found further on in this newsletter.

**SAVE
THE
DATE**

THURSDAY 23rd JUNE 2022

**SPORTS DAY AT
LEE VALLEY ATHLETICS
CENTRE**

FRIDAY 24TH JUNE

**INSET DAY
School closed**

Message from the new Chair of Governors

Hello everyone, it gives me such pleasure to be writing to you all this half term, as the new chair of Governors.

First let me introduce myself. My name is Rachael Sitch and I have been a part of the Bush Hill Park community since 2013, when my son joined the nursery. I have seen the school grow into this wonderful space for our children to develop and learn and I'm so excited to lead the governing body into the next part of the journey here.

For anyone that doesn't know me from my parent days, please do not hesitate to come and say hello, I'm looking forward to meeting more of you all over the coming weeks and months. I should be easy to spot around school with the bright pink hair!



It's been another busy half term here, sports activities (I hope you all managed to catch the mini golfers on BBC Breakfast), school discos, and most notably, both the year 2 and 6 SATs took place. The staff have all taken the time to tell me how incredibly proud they were of every student in those year groups for their attitude to the tests and the resilience they demonstrated during those weeks. Well done everyone! Thank you to all the parents and carers that supported the students over that period also.

Finally, I want to take a moment to thank Roger on behalf of the governing body for all his experience, passion and commitment for the last few years, he will be sorely missed, and I have very big shoes to fill!

I'm looking forward to an action-packed end to the year, summer is officially in sight!

Have a lovely half term break .

Rachael

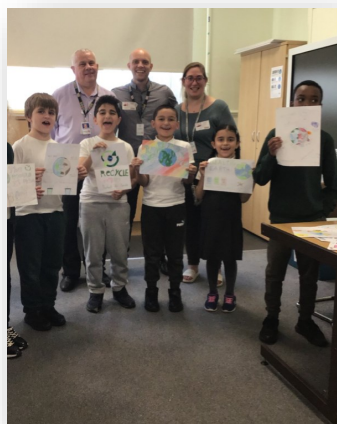
DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

30th May—3rd June	Half term
Monday 6th June	First day back at school—8.50am
Friday 10th June	Fluoride Programme for Nursery, Reception & Yr1 children
Wednesday 15th June	Borough Athletics at Lee Valley Athletics Centre
Monday 20th June	Dental Survey for selected children in Reception & Year 1
Tuesday 21st June	Year 6 Junior Citizenship Scheme
Thursday 23rd June	Whole School Sports Day at Lee Valley Athletics Centre
Friday 24th June	INSET DAY—school closed
4th—8th July	Year 6 Activity Week
Wednesday 13th July	2.00pm Year 6 Leavers Show
Monday 18th July	Reports to parents
Wednesday 20th July	Meet the Teacher
Thursday 21st July	5.30pm Year 6 Leavers Disco
Friday 22nd July	Last day of Term—1.30pm finish



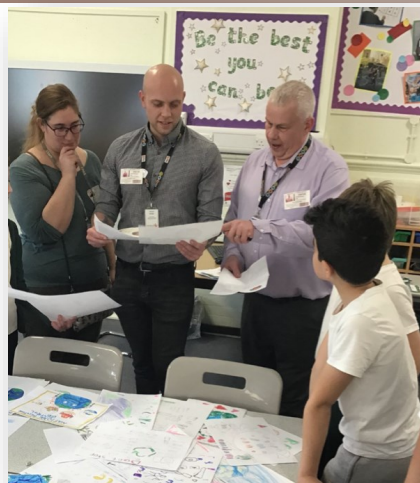
The Junior Travel ambassadors met with School Council to discuss the School Travel plan and ways we can encourage people to walk to school and not use the car. They are working out ways to raise money for new scooter and bike racks. We also discussed issues around transport to school and why people still come by car. They would be interested to know if anyone has any ideas how to get more people using active transport, rather than cars. Contact the school travel group, via the school office.

TRAVEL AMBASSADORS WORKING WITH THE SCHOOL COUNCIL



The School council had some very exciting visitors from Enfield Council. They have been working on a very special recycling project with the Borough to promote recycling!

They are also working alongside travel ambassadors to promote The Big Pedal and encouraging cycling, scooting and walking commuters!



ENFIELD MUSIC SERVICE

Parents are now able to book music lessons and activities for Autumn 2022 from the Music Store: <https://traded.enfield.gov.uk/musicstore>

Autumn term music lessons in schools will start from week commencing 19th September and will include 11 lessons throughout the term. Saturday Centre sessions start on 17th September 2022.

The deadline for bookings is 10th July which gives parents plenty of time to consider and book their Autumn term music options.



Cycle Confident has been a registered Bikeability provider since 2008 and has provided cycle training to thousands of children since then. Bikeability is designed to give children the skills and confidence to ride their bikes.

There are three Bike Bikeability levels and children are encouraged and inspired to achieve all three, recognising that there is always more to learn and to enjoy on a bike.

This term children from Years 5 & 6 took part in Level 1 & 2 training and by the end of the week all children were riding with confidence and enthusiasm, as you can see from the





DAYWEAR



Bush Hill
Sweatshirt
from £11.95



Bush Hill Cardigan
from £12.95



Bush Hill Park
Fleece
£15.00



Bush Hill Park
Polo Shirt
from £6.95



White Short or
Long Sleeve Shirts
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from £10.95



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Trousers
from £10.95



Heart Grey
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£12.95



Banner Essex
Shorts
from £10.00
SEASONAL ITEM



David Luke Girls
Junior Trousers
from £10.00

PE KIT

COMPULSORY

OPTIONAL

EITHER

*Prices correct at time of printing



White PE T-Shirt
from £4.50



Bottle Cotton Shorts
£5.50



Bottle Shadow
Stripe Shorts
£6.50



Bottle Jogging
Bottoms
£9.50



Bottle Plain Crew
Neck Sweatshirt
from £10.95



Plimsolls
£6.50

ACCESSORIES



**Zeco Gingham
Summer Dress**
from £9.50



**Twin Pack
Cotton Tights**
from £9.00



Helix Laundry Marker
£2.99



**Zeco Ankle Socks
(5 Pack)**
£7.95



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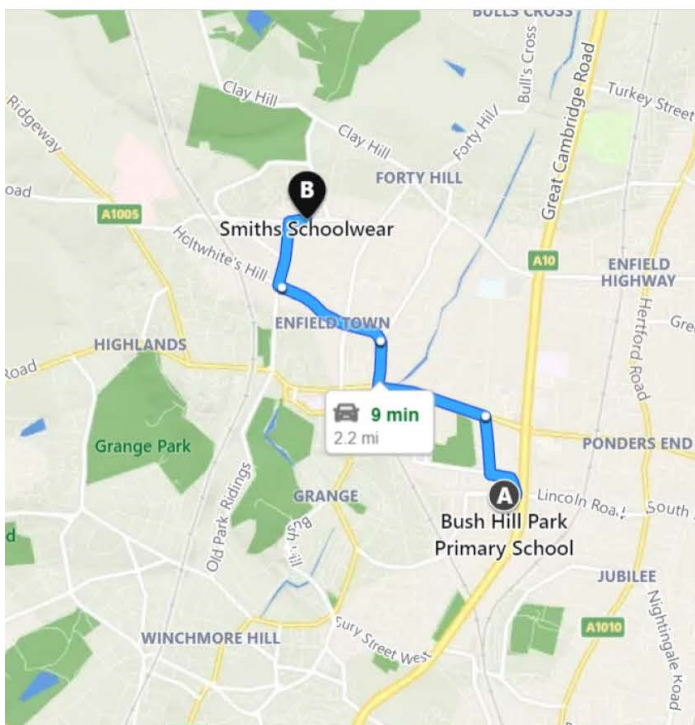
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Sat: 9am - 5pm
Sun: CLOSED



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Have your say!

Whilst the feedback we get from our customers is always great to hear, we would also love to hear from you, as parents and guardians, about what you like about the school meals and where you want to see improvements.

[Click here](#) to complete our 5-minute survey about school lunches and be in with a chance of winning a £50 Amazon voucher!

T&C's: Survey closes, winner to be contacted via email. Winner to be announced in the next Parent Newsletter in September 2022

Free School Meal Eligibility

You may be entitled to support for school meals. By taking this up you can save over £400 a year per child in school, and you'll know they are receiving a hot, healthy and delicious lunch at school.

FREE MEALS FOR RECEPTION, YEAR 1 AND YEAR 2

All pupils in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 are entitled to receive a meal at no cost for the Parent or Guardian.

To find out if you qualify, and how to apply
Ask at your child's school
<https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

Main dish:
Queen's Platinum
Jubilee
Served from
25th May 2022



CHEFS IN SCHOOLS
REVOLUTION IN SCHOOL FOOD

We are proud to be the first local authority in the country to have partnered with Chefs in Schools – a not-for-profit charity whose mission is to encourage and enable schools to serve great, creative school food that doesn't just fill young people up but feeds their imagination too. Chefs in Schools believe that teaching the next generation how to cook and enjoy real food is crucial for their long-term physical and mental health.



Our Award Winning Service

Our team has been working extremely hard, in the office and out in our schools. The hard work, passion and determination have not gone unnoticed. We're pleased to announce we won the Contract Caterer of the Year Award at the Public Sector Catering Awards. We have also been shortlisted for the MJ Team Of The Year award.

FINALIST **MJ**

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SERVED

June 2022: 6th & 20th
 July 2022: 4th & 18th
 September 2022: 5th & 19th
 October 2022: 3rd & 17th



Our summer menu has been developed by our talented chefs to celebrate the fresh seasonal produce.

A range of dishes to suit all dietary requirements as well as deliver high levels of nutrition and flavour.



WEEK 1

MENU FOR SUMMER/AUTUMN TERM

(V) Vegetarian (VG) Vegan

MONDAY

Cheesy Tomato and Basil Pasta Bake Peas (V)	Summer Frittata Peas (V)	Jacket Potato with Cheddar Cheese or Baked Beans (V)(VG)
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Yoghurt Pot (V) or Fresh Fruit (VG)

TUESDAY

Sweet & Sour Chicken with Vegetable Noodles Green Beans	Sweet & Sour Quorn Pieces with Vegetable Noodles Green Beans (V)	Pasta with Tomato and Basil Sauce (VG)
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Very Berry Banana Bread (VG) or Fresh Fruit (VG)

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables Gravy	Vegetable Roast Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables Gravy (V)	Jacket Potato with Cheddar Cheese or Baked Beans (V)(VG)
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Fruity Flapjack (VG) or Fresh Fruit (VG)

THURSDAY

Mexican Chilli Bowl Rice Sweetcorn Salsa Tortilla & Cheese	Veggie Chilli Bowl Rice Sweetcorn Salsa Tortilla & Cheese (V)	Pasta with Tomato and Basil Sauce (VG)
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Sticky Banana Cake (VG)

FRIDAY

Fish and Chips Peas Ketchup	Veggie Sausage and Chips Peas Ketchup (V)	Jacket Potato with Cheddar Cheese or Baked Beans (V)(VG)
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Mixed Fruit Pot (VG)

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SERVED

June 2022: 13th & 27th
 July 2022: 11th
 September 2022: 12th & 26th
 October 2022: 10th



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WEEK 2

MENU FOR SUMMER/AUTUMN TERM

(V) Vegetarian (VG) Vegan

MONDAY

Lasagne
 Garlic Bread
 Peas
 (V)

Summer Frittata
 Peas
 (V)

Jacket Potato with
 Cheddar Cheese or
 Baked Beans
 (V)(VG)

Yoghurt Pot (V) or Fresh Fruit (VG)

TUESDAY

Jollof Rice with Chicken
 Crunchy Slaw
 Green Beans

Sweet Potato &
 Black Bean Stew
 Jollof Rice
 Green Beans
 (VG)

Pasta with Tomato
 and Basil Sauce
 (V)

Lemon Drizzle (VG) or Fresh Fruit (VG)

WEDNESDAY

Beef Burger
 Potato Wedges
 Coleslaw

Veggie Burger
 Potato Wedges
 Coleslaw
 (V)

Jacket Potato with
 Cheddar Cheese or
 Baked Beans
 (V)(VG)

Coconut Rice Pudding (VG) or Fresh Fruit (VG)

THURSDAY

Chicken Sausages
 Mashed Potato
 Green Beans
 Gravy

Veggie Sausage
 Mashed Potato
 Green Beans
 Gravy
 (V)

Pasta with Tomato
 and Basil Sauce
 (VG)

Banana Chocolate Cake (VG)

FRIDAY

Battered Salmon
 Bites or Fish Fillet
 Chips
 Peas
 Ketchup

Sausage Roll
 Chips
 Peas
 Ketchup
 (VG)

Jacket Potato with
 Cheddar Cheese or
 Baked Beans
 (V)(VG)

Mixed Fruit Pot (VG)

FINALIST THE MJ



SECOND HAND CHILDREN'S BIKE & SCOOTER MARKET

Saturday 28th May 2022 – 10am to 4pm

**St James Open Space, Next to St John & St James's
Primary School, Grove Street, N18 2TL**

SELL A BIKE

Bring your unwanted bikes and we'll service and sell on your behalf at one of our many London bike markets. Check our website for details.

BUY A BIKE

Pick up a fully checked, competitively priced used bike. Kids bikes and scooters available at subsidised prices. First come first served.

Clean Air Route

This market is part of a project around Grove Street N18 and St. John & St. James' Church of England Primary School and the wider regeneration around Fore Street, Angel Edmonton - <https://letstalk.enfield.gov.uk/clean-air>

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THE CONCOURSE (OUTSIDE LIDL), 69 SMYTHE CLOSE, N9 0TZ

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DR BIKE

Dr Bike will also be there offering free bike checks and minor repairs. Pop down and see us if you want to buy a bike, sell a bike or just want to get your bike checked over.

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BROOMFIELD PARK

ALDERMANS HILL, PALMERS GREEN, N13 4RH

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Royal Jubilee Trail

Monday 30 May – Sunday 5 June

10am – 5pm

Celebrate the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and enjoy our themed trail at Capel Manor Gardens

Set across 30-acres in beautiful bloom, there is plenty to explore including Capel's animal collection at our mini zoo, the holly maze, picturesque themed gardens and the fairy forest.

You can also enjoy a display of cacti from Thursday 2 June to Sunday 5 June in association with The British Cactus & Succulent Society.

Normal garden admission fees apply:

Adults (16+): £8

Concessions (60+): £7

Children (3-15): £5

Family Ticket (2 Adults and up to 3 children): £25

Children under 3: Free

Friends of Capel: Included in membership

[Book tickets here](#). Additional booking fees apply

Pre-booking is essential to guarantee entry. Last admission is at 3.30pm.



Capel Manor Gardens



- **PAYMENT PLANS**
- **BUDGETING**
- **SIGNPOSTING**

**Enfield
Debt
Centre** CMA



A year on from our first national lockdown, we understand that many families may be facing financial difficulty, either due to historic debts or that they may be accumulating debts.

Understanding that this is a continued area of concern in our local community, we would like to remind you of the **free debt advice** we offer - supported by Community Money Advice, as well as being authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA).

Enfield Debt Centre is run in conjunction with North Enfield Foodbank. The centre is conveniently located at the same premises as our Foodbank, at **Jubilee Central, 2 Lumina Way, Enfield EN1 1FS**.

Open on **Tuesdays, Thursdays** and **Saturdays** from **11am-3pm** (the same times as our Foodbank), the centre offers support and advice, helping people to arrange payment plans with creditors and to manage their personal finances through budgeting. People can also be signposted to relevant organisations.

If you know of anyone who may need these services they can contact Fana, the Debt Centre Manager, by **phone on 07596 735789** or by **email info@enfielddebt.org**.

Face-to-face meetings can also be arranged during open hours either by Zoom or in person, by contacting Enfield Debt Centre in advance.

BUSH HILL PARK FOOD BANK



REMEMBER...if you require any support **AT ANY TIME** or if you know of someone who does, please do not hesitate to contact Sophie Smart on **s.smart@bushhillpark.enfield.sch.uk**

Term Dates for 2021 - 2022

AUTUMN TERM 2021
INSET DAY
Wednesday 1st September
School starts
Thursday 2 nd September
HALF TERM
25 th – 29 th October
INSET DAY
Monday 1st November
Term ends
Thursday 16 th December

SPRING TERM 2022
INSET DAYS
Tuesday 4th January & Wednesday 5th January
School starts
Thursday 6 th January
Half Term
14 th – 18 th February
Term ends
Friday 1 st April

SUMMER TERM 2022
School starts
Tuesday 19 th April
May Bank Holiday
Monday 2 nd May
Half Term
30 th May – 3 rd June
Whole School Sports Day
Thursday 23 rd June
INSET DAY
Friday 24th June
Term ends
Friday 22 nd July

Term Dates 2022 - 2023

AUTUMN TERM 2022
INSET DAY Thursday 1 st September
INSET DAY Friday 2 nd September
School starts Monday 5 th September
HALF TERM 24 th - 28 th October
INSET DAY Monday 31 st October
Term ends Thursday 15 th December
INSET DAY Friday 16 th December

SPRING TERM 2023
INSET DAY Tuesday 3 rd January
School starts Wednesday 4 th January
Half Term 13 th - 17 th February
Term ends Friday 31 st March

SUMMER TERM 2023
School starts Monday 17 th April
May Bank Holiday Monday 1 st May
Half Term 29 th May - 2 nd June
Whole School Sports Day Friday 23 rd June
Term ends Friday 21 st July