

NEWSLETTER



MAY 2023

RETURN TO SCHOOL MONDAY 5th JUNE 2023

2023

Half Term

29th May to 2nd June

Summer Term 2

Return to School

Monday 5th June

Sports Day at Lee Valley Athletics Centre

Friday 23rd June

Wednesday 19th July

Yr 6 Leavers Show & Disco

Last day of Term

Friday 21st July

(1.30pm finish)

Nursery finish on
Thursday 20th July

Autumn Term 1

Inset Day

Friday 1st September

Return to School

Monday 4th September

MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

As we break for the first half of an incredibly busy summer term, I would like to say how proud I feel of everyone in our school community.

Following a number of shortened weeks as a result of teacher strike days and Bank Holidays, our children have shown true determination and resilience, in what has proved to be a turbulent time with SATs and whole school assessments. All of the children demonstrated a real strength in character and continued to showcase our values of respect, resilience and responsibility.

The whole school came together to celebrate a moment in history with the King's Coronation and impressed us all with their singing and poetry recitals. Sporting events have continued to highlight how talented the children really are and many school trips have taken place that have enriched our pupil curriculum experiences. I look forward to the last term of the academic year, where I know the pupils and staff will continue to be the best that they can be.

Thank you to all the parents and carers for your continued support. Wishing you a restful and enjoyable half term break.

Anna Theodosiou



Summer Fete

**PLEASE MAKE A NOTE IN YOUR DIARIES
THAT OUR SUMMER FETE IS TAKING
PLACE ON SATURDAY 15TH JULY**



Wednesday 19th July

Year 6 Leavers Show for parents at 2.00pm

Year 6 Leavers Disco at 5.30-7.00pm

*On Friday 23rd June Bush Hill Park Sports Day will be taking place at Lee Valley Athletics Centre. On this day school will be **CLOSED** as all children from Reception to Year 6 will be taking part. The Nursery will be closed on this day as they will be having their own sports day at a later date. Children should arrive at the stadium by 9.00am in PE kits. The day will finish at 2.30pm. Parents are welcome to stay and watch and join in the fun!.*

Further details to follow shortly.



May Half Term Holiday Activity Camp



Bush Hill Park Primary
School, Main Ave, Enfield
EN1 1DS



9:30am - 3:30pm



Tuesday 30th May 2023
Wednesday 31st May 2023
Thursday 1st June 2023

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Togetherness
for the Community



P.E. DAYS

RECEPTION	TUESDAYS THURSDAYS
YEAR 1	TUESDAYS WEDNESDAYS
YEAR 2	MONDAYS TUESDAYS
YEAR 3	MONDAYS THURSDAYS
YEAR 4	MONDAYS WEDNESDAYS
YEAR 5	MONDAYS WEDNESDAYS
YEAR 6	THURSDAYS FRIDAYS

REMINDER that Arbor is our new payment system for Trips, Clubs and much more! Please ensure that



you have activated your child's Arbor account by logging on. If you have not received an email from Arbor to activate your account then please contact the School Office

School dinners should be paid at least a week in advance. **The total cost for the second half of the summer term is £83.64**



YEAR 6 LEAVERS SHOW AND DISCO

To celebrate the end of their time at Bush Hill Park Primary School we are holding a Year 6 Leavers Show and a Leavers Disco, both to be held on **Wednesday 19th July**.

The Year 6 Show will take place at **2.00pm in the Ashton Hall** and parents are warmly invited.



The Year 6 Leavers Disco will take place **at 5.30pm to 7.00pm**. Food and drinks will be provided as well as dancing and opportunities to have photos taken and some presentations and awards. Tickets will shortly be on sale after the half term and can be purchased from the school office at a cost of £5. Children are invited to come smartly dressed and they may bring extra money to purchase photos from the photo booth at a cost of £1 per photo.

We also have been given the opportunity to purchase Year 6 personalised Leavers Hoodies with all the names of the children on. These will cost £20 but would ask that parents contribute £10 towards them. If you are interested please click the link to let us know so that we can gauge interest before we go ahead and order them.

<https://forms.office.com/e/6Swt76cTTQ>





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Register for **FREE** at www.owl.co.uk/met





Dear Parents, Carers and Staff at BHPS

We are delighted to announce that BHPS is holding a Summer Fete finally after 3 years.

The summer Fete will be taking place on Saturday 15th July between 12-3pm.

Alongside our Summer fete we will also be hosting a rainbow raffle, which in the previous year was hugely successful.

We are asking children to bring in an item to donate to the hampers in the colour of their school year groups on Wednesday 14th June, this will be a non-uniform day in return for your donations.

You will find on the next page, a sheet with hamper ideas for each colour group just to help if anyone is stuck.

Your children's colour group are as below:

Nursery children	White/Pearl
Reception children	Red
Year 1 children	Blue
Year 2 children	Yellow
Year 3 children	Green
Year 4 children	Orange
Year 5 children	Purple
Year 6 children	Metallics
Teachers and Staff	Pink and Black

Can include but not limited to: candles, drinks, sweets, stationary, hair accessories, toys, toiletries, chocolates, games, crafts, books, or gift sets. Please ensure perishable foods are in date and please no alcoholic drinks.

Thank you for your continued support in raising funds for your children's school, please follow our Facebook page for direct information uploaded daily/weekly.

Kindest Regards



**Friends Of Bush Hill Park
Primary School**

RECEPTION: RED

MALTESERS, MALTESER TRUFFLES, MCVITIES BISCUITS, READY SALTED CRISPS, FAMILY CIRCLE BISCUITS, RASPBERRY GIN, KITKATS, SKITTLES, CELEBRATIONS, BOURNVILLE CHOCOLATE, POM BEARS, MUNCHIES, COKE, CANDLES, NAIL POLISH, ACCESSORIES, TOILETRIES, CRANBERRY JUICE

YEAR 4: ORANGE

CHOCOLATE ORANGE, REVELS, HARIBO TANGTASTICS, TOFFEE CRISP, ORANGE CLUBS, ORANGE SHOWER GEL, MINI CHEDDARS, J20, ORANGE JUICE,

YEAR 2: YELLOW

CADBURYS FLAKES, CADBURYS CARAMEL, POST IT NOTES, HIGHLIGHTERS, JELLY TOTS, TOBLERONE, CUSTARD CREAMS, TWIX, JELLY BABIES, PASTA, QUAVERS, SKIPS, LEMON FANTA

YEAR 3: GREEN

MINT CHOCOLATES, MATCH MAKERS, AFTER EIGHTS, APPLETIZER, ROWNTREE SWEETS, MINT AEROS, APPLE JUICE,, FRUIT PASTILLES, CHEESE AND ONION CRISPS, BOTTLES LAGER, SOUR CREAM PRINGLES, MINT SHOWER GEL.

YEAR 1: BLUE

ROSES CHOCOLATES, WALNUT WHIPS, TERRYS CHOCOATE ORANGE, PARTY RINGS, HARIBO, OERO, MILKY BAR, CHOCOLATE HOBNOBS, HEINZ BEANS, BLUR DRAGON FOODS, CRISPS, FLIPZ, JAFFA CAKES,

YEAR 5: PURPLE

QUALITY STREET, DAIRY MILK, CADBURYS HOT CHOCOLATE, CHOCOLATE FINGERS, RIBENA, BLACKCURRENT JUICE, BUBBLE BATH, NAIL POLISH, VIMTO, CANDLES, TOILETRIES,

YEAR 6: METALLICS

FERERRO ROCHERS, LINDT CHOCOLATES, GOLD BARS, CHOCOLATE COINS, DIET COKE, POPCORN, COFFEE, TOBLERONE, CRACKERS, PASTA, GOLD OR SILVER PAINT, NAIL POLISH, JEWELLARY/ACCESSORIES, PENS,

PYMMES PARK HALF TERM FAIR

Friday 26th May to Sunday 4th June



Pymmes Park (Half Term Fair)
Fri 26th May to Sunday 4th June

Family fun in the sun for 2023!

From Friday 26th May to Sunday 4th June, 12pm to 9pm

This is a lovely fair in a beautiful park, just off the North Circular Road.

GREAT SAVINGS - Online bookings are available for the fair.

Featured Rides

Family favourites, dodgems and waltzer plus white knuckle thrillers and lots of children's attractions and games.

Entry is £2 per person (Under 18 months are free)



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Bush Hill Park Primary School
Main Avenue
Bush Hill Park
Enfield, EN1 1DS

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www.sport4kids.biz

May Half Term Film Club at the Dugdale Arts Centre for ages 11-16 years



Join us at DAC for exclusive movie screenings of a blockbuster
favourites every day at 2pm from Mon 29th May – Fri 2nd June!

Monday 29th – Matilda: The Musical (2022)

Tuesday 30th – The Lego Batman Movie (2017)

Wednesday 31st – Spy Kids (2001)

Thursday 1st – Paddington (2014)

Friday 2nd - Moana (2016)

Includes free hot lunch from EnFood Café.

Please note: Free half-term activity is for pupils and families that qualify for

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for Work &
Pensions

**Household
Support Fund**

free school meals only.

Funded by DWP Household Support Grant

The Enfield Youth Bus

Bringing Activities To You



What is this youth bus?

The Youth Bus is a mobile youth provision, provided by the Youth Development Service and will enhance the current youth offer provided through the existing five youth centres and detached youth work.

Who is it for?

The Youth Bus will provide activities aimed at young people aged between 11 and 19 or up to 25 with additional needs.

What activities will it provide?

The youth bus is a new vehicle equipped with state-of-the-art technology such as digital music, access to iPad/tablets, game consoles and free WIFI. Through the mobile youth provision young people will have access to information, advice and guidance, free activities, advocacy, and early help support on their doorstep. The mobile youth provision will have the capacity to deliver bespoke workshops, harm reduction campaigns and activities such as, job ready interviews sessions and job searching.

Where will it be?

Monday 3.30pm—5.30pm —Joyce Avenue & Snell's Park, Upper Edmonton Ward

Thursday 3.30pm—5.30pm – Ayley Croft Estate, Bush Hill Park Ward

Friday 3.30pm—5.30pm—Klinger Estate, Haselbury Ward

CAPEL MANOR GARDENS

Half-Term Family Fun

Enjoy your summer half-term at Capel Manor Gardens and take part in one of our trail activities with plenty to explore throughout our 30 acres. You can visit our animals at our mini zoo, complete the holly maze and wander through our fairy forest along the way.



Herts Heavy Horse and Country show 4th June 2023

This exciting annual event is steeped in history and a wonderful opportunity to see the gentle giants of the horse world in action. Families can also enjoy:

- Fun dog show – enter your dog on the day!
- Our colourful 30-acre Gardens
- See the animal collection with daily talks at our mini zoo
- Dray rides
- Trade stalls
- Bouncy castle
- Ice cream, food and drink stalls



Half Term Arts and Crafts with Zinfinity—Dugdale Arts Centre



Monday 29th May: 1-2pm **Collage Mugs** - We will be using lots of fun materials and colour pens to create our own artwork. Each child's masterpiece will then be taken away to be professionally printed on to a mug. **This can then be collected on Thursday 1st June at 1pm.**

3-4pm **Fashion Figures** - Get your very own mini fashion model. Each person has a cut out figure to decorate with a wide variety of real fabrics, acrylic stone and googly eyes.

Tuesday 30th May: 1:30-2:30 **Sun Catchers** - Decorated a butterfly window decoration to brighten any room. Using special paints to create your own design to give as a gift or use yourself.

3:30-4:30 **Cap Decorating** - Summer is nearly here and we want to look fabulous. Each participant gets their own fabric cap to decorate using fabric paint and all sorts of fancy goodies.

Thursday 1st June: 1-2pm **Collage Mugs** - We will be using lots of fun materials and colour pens to create our own artwork. Each child's masterpiece will then be taken away to be professionally printed on to a mug. This can then be collected later in the week.

3-4pm **Sun Catchers** - Decorated a butterfly window decoration to brighten any room. Using special paints to create your own design to give as a gift or use yourself.

Friday 2nd June: 1:30-2:30 **Cap Decorating** - Summer is nearly here and we want to look fabulous. Each participants gets their own fabric cap to decorate using fabric paint and all sorts of fancy goodies.

3:30 – 4:30 **Fashion Figures** - Get your very own mini fashion model. Each person has a cut out figure to decorate with a wide variety of real fabrics, acrylic stone and googly eyes.

Max tickets purchase per workshop: 2

Includes free hot

Each child must be supervised by an adult

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**Household
Support Fund**

Half term activities for free school meal children

Millfield Theatre

Platinum Performing Arts Workshops - for ages 5 to 8 and 9 to 11. Singing and dancing, team games, crafts and fun activities. Various dates available. Hot meal and drink provided.

Complete the [online booking form](#) to register a place.

Millfield Theatre, Silver Street, London, N18 1PJ.

Swimming

Edmonton Leisure Centre - family swim, with a lunch. Tuesday 30 May, Wednesday 31 May and Friday 2 June.

To book, visit [Fusion Lifestyle](#).

Edmonton Leisure Centre, 2 The Broadway, London, N9 0TR.

Southbury Leisure Centre - swimming available all week, with a lunch.

To book, visit [Fusion Lifestyle](#).

Southbury Leisure Centre, 192 Southbury Rd, Enfield, EN1 1YP.

Albany Leisure Centre - family swim provided all week, with a lunch.

To book, visit [Fusion Lifestyle](#).

Albany Leisure Centre, 505 Hertford Rd, Enfield, EN3 5XH.

Soft play

Southbury Leisure Centre - Soft Play access for free. Available Monday 29 May to Friday 2 June. With a lunch.

To book, visit [Fusion Lifestyle](#).

Southbury Leisure Centre, 192 Southbury Rd, Enfield, EN1 1YP.

CYCLE CONFIDENT



FREE Half Term learn to ride and group sessions taking place at Kingsmead school this half term 30th 31st May 1st & 2nd June.

Parents can book here <https://www.cycleconfident.com/sponsors/enfield/>

FREE Dr Bike sessions around the Borough, details also here <https://www.cycleconfident.com/sponsors/enfield/>

Black men's mental health & well being Lets walk & talk about it

The purpose of this group is to provide a safe space for men to discuss their experiences of maintaining mental health and well being in the Black community. Also, members have an open space to support each other on issues of race, self-image and relationships while enjoying the benefits of connecting with nature and local green spaces.

Sunday May 28th,
Forty Hall (car park),
Enfield EN2 9HA
10.00am-12.00pm

Healthy Packed Lunches

We understand that children sometimes like something sweet, so we need your help to encourage them to make healthy food choices so they can be the best they can be!

The following foods should NOT be included in their packed lunches



Here are some ideas of what a healthy balanced packed lunch should contain:

- 1) A portion of bread (or similar), rice, potatoes or pasta.
- 2) Plenty of fruit and vegetables.
- 3) A portion of dairy or a calcium rich alternative.
- 4) Some protein in the form of beans, pulses, fish, egg, meat.
- 5) A healthy drink.



As part of our commitment to our school community, we encourage pupils to learn to make healthy food choices for their packed lunches.

We understand that children like to have a something sweet but we need your help to encourage pupils be the best they can be, by making healthy choices.

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- 4) Some protein in the form of beans, pulses, fish, egg, meat.
- 5) A healthy drink.

A healthy lunchtime meal is very important to provide children with the energy they need for the day and the right nutrition they need to grow healthily.

The following foods should not be included in their packed lunches:

- Fizzy drinks
- Crisps
- Fried foods
- Chocolate
- Sweets
- Foods containing nuts, caffeine or additives.

Here to help

We try our best to offer help and guidance where we can when monitoring pack lunches. Please get in touch if you need help and support for us to work together between home and school.

Thank you for working with us so every pupil is the best they can be.



community
HUBS

Community Hubs

Helping our residents to gain or maintain a life free from poverty, homelessness, poor health and under/unemployment.

Community Hubs provide face-to-face support for residents with a range of needs and vulnerabilities, through casework and by placing them at the centre of our work.

Our Community Ambassadors provide joined-up solutions across our four service areas, helping with:



Money



**Jobs and
Skills**



**Health and
Wellbeing**



**Housing
Stability**

Edmonton Library Community Hub, Ground floor, 36-44 South Mall,
Edmonton N9 0TN – open 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday.
Food Pantry opening times are Tuesdays and Wednesdays, appointment only.

Enfield Library Community Hub, 66 Church Street, Enfield EN2 6AX
– open 9am to 5pm, Monday to Friday.



You may have seen in the media...

ALL SCHOOLS ARE FACING BUDGET CUTS

The school receives extra money for Free School Meal pupils so that we can buy extra resources.

**There is one way which
you can help us:**

All children in Reception, Year 1
and Year 2 are entitled to a
healthy cooked school lunch at
NO COST TO YOU!



**Free
school
meals**
are you entitled?

1. Register your child for Free School Meals

You may be eligible to claim free school meals for
your child if you claim the following benefits:

- Income Support
- Income based Job Seeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit (but not entitled to Working Tax Credit
and whose annual income does not exceed £16,190)
- Support under part VI of the Immigration & Asylum Act 1999
- Universal Credit (provided you have an annual net
earned income of no more than £7,400)
- Guarantee element of State Pension



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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 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 Holidays Monday 1 st May Monday 8 th May
Half Term 29 th May – 2 nd June
Whole School Sports Day Friday 23 rd June
Term ends Friday 21 st July

Term Dates 2023 - 2024

AUTUMN TERM 2023
INSET DAY Friday 1 st September
School starts Monday 4 th September
HALF TERM 23 rd - 27 th October
INSET DAY Monday 30 th October
Term ends Tuesday 19 th December
INSET DAY Wednesday 20 th December

SPRING TERM 2024
INSET DAY Monday 8 th January
School starts Tuesday 9 th January
Half Term 12 th - 16 th February
Term ends Thursday 28 th March

SUMMER TERM 2024
School starts Monday 15 th April
May Bank Holiday Monday 6 th May
INSET DAY Friday 24 th May
Half Term 27 th - 31 st May
Whole School Sports Day TBC
Term ends Wednesday 24 th July