

Summer Newsletter 5

What's been happening in school?

In Reception: Classes 1, 2 & 3

The children have loved watching their butterflies grow. This last two weeks each class has been releasing their butterflies into the playground and watching them fly away.



The reception children have started learning all about dinosaurs and have learnt a great dinosaur poem. They have been writing sentences about dinosaurs.

In Year 1: Classes 4, 5 & 6

The children had lots of fun making their own strawberry smoothies. They wrote instructions on how to prepare and make the smoothies and once made, they enjoyed tasting them! In Maths, the children have been learning how to tell the time and continuing with number sentences.

In Year 2: Classes 7, 8 & 9

The children have met their 'buddy' at the junior school and had a lovely time at the cottages site. They also had a visit from a lovely group of year 6 children, they were able to ask questions and find out about school life at the junior school. The children continue to practise for their leaver's concert with some lovely singing and have been working on their tie-dye t-shirts. In design technology, they have continued with designing their pouches. In writing, the children have completed a recount all about their day at Beaumanor Hall.

Year 2 Beaumanor Hall

The year 2 children had a brilliant day at Beaumanor Hall. It was great to see all the amazing pirate costume. They had a day full of pirate themed activities; followed maps, found hidden treasure, practised their aim and balancing, climbed the rigging and cracked hidden clues with some pirate maths.

As always, our year 2s behaved in an exemplary way and had a lot of fun. Thank you for all the parent helpers, we would not have been able to have such a wonderful day without you.



Transition Day

The children had a great day visiting their new classes. We are very happy with how the transition day went and feel the children are going to settle in well to their new environments in September.

It was lovely to welcome all the new children joining us in September. The reception staff had a great day supporting them settling into the classroom and putting a face to each name. We are looking forward for the new flurry of children coming through our school in September.



Sports Day Assembly

The children celebrated their efforts at sports day this week with their year groups in a sports day assembly. Lead by our PE Lead Mrs Ward, the children who won 1st, 2nd or 3rd place in the running or throwing races each received a certificate. Each class also had a winner for the best sport person, who was the child that tried their best and showed the skills they had learnt. All the children supported their peers and enjoyed seeing their classmates received their certificates.



Book Amnesty

Please can all reading books be returned to school by **Monday 21st July**.

Check all little hiding places around your home, under the bed on the bookshelf or maybe in the dog bed!



Things to remember

Please remember to order **school meals** in advance to avoid your child's disappointment. Please order through Evolve. You need to order 48 hours before the start of the week (midnight Friday night for the following week).

Please check dates for any upcoming events.

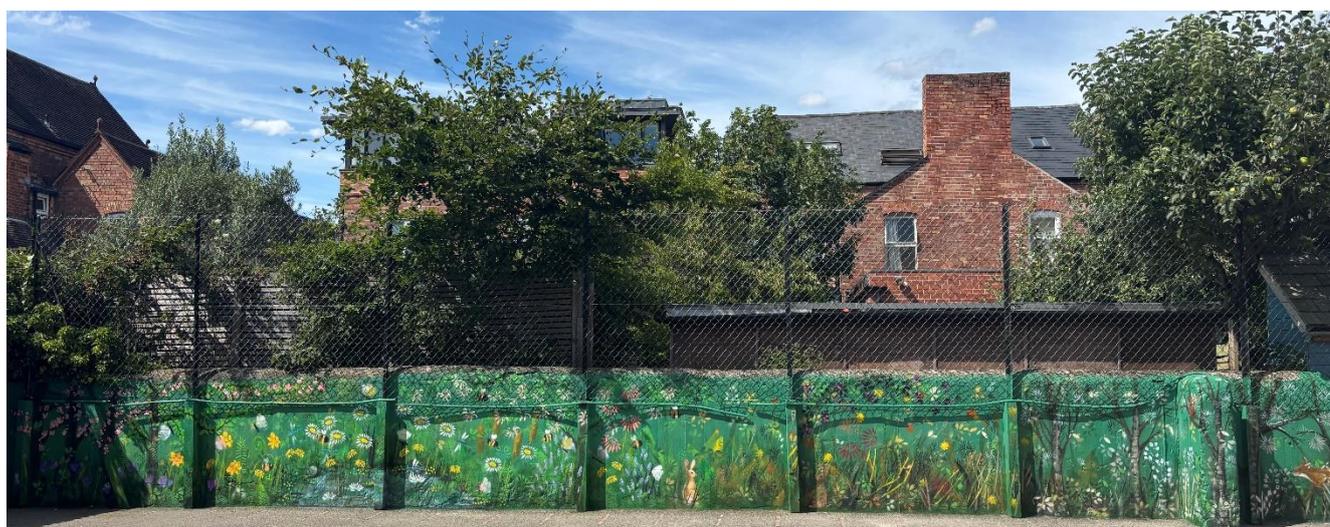
When leaving belongings in the box outside the front gate please make sure they have your child's name on them.

WBIS Wonderful Wall

Have you seen some lovely new friends in our playground? We have a hedgehog, fox, rabbits, owl, mouse and many mini beats!

A huge thank you to our PTA for funding such a beautiful project and to the parents for taking part in all the PTA events over the school year.

Another huge thank you to the lovely parents who spent their day preparing and painting the wall ready for the professionals to take over.



West Bridgford Infant School - Key dates

Friday 11 th July	School Summer Fair (after school)
Wednesday 16 th July	Transition day for current Reception, Year 1 and Sept 2025 Reception children
Wed 23 rd & Thursday 24 th July	Year 2 Leavers Concerts AM (9:30am start)
Friday 25 th July	Last day of school
Monday 28 th July – Friday 1 st Aug	Summer Break
Monday 1 st Sep	Admin Day
Tuesday 2 nd Sept	Inset day
Wednesday 3 rd Sept	First day at school for children (Reception Children Half days)

