

# 1968 -2018



## Belgrave Primary School's June Newsletter

**Our Goldfest celebrations are approaching!** We are celebrating 50 years of the school's busy life on the 29<sup>th</sup> June from 5-9pm.

Everyone is welcome to join in the fun. The school will be open at 5pm for people who would like to walk around school, look at the albums, view the exhibition prepared by the Local History Group and excerpts from the Log Books. The official opening will be at 5:45 followed by a dance performed by the whole school (children AND teachers). There will also be performances from Rock Choir, Belgrave Cheer Leaders, Belgrave Choir and Safehouse. Safehouse is a local band who will be playing from 7 until 9pm.



We will be having our very own Bake Off...please send in entries clearly labelled, donations of cake for the cake stall, food on site to purchase and a bar. Everyone will have the chance to learn Circus Skills, improve their footballing skills and play large games.

It will be a non- uniform day on the 29<sup>th</sup> June in school. Children can wear yellow/gold in the day; and of course their Goldfest T-shirt, and no-one will feel out of place in their glitter at the event!

Bring a picnic and bring your friends and neighbours. Please remember to supervise your children at all times as this is a public event. We really hope you enjoy this event which we are hoping is a stand out affair!!

Please note that After School Club on that day will finish at 4:15 as the school is open to the public at 5pm.

## **Royal Visit 14<sup>th</sup> June to open Storyhouse**

Some of our children were very fortunate to be able to be part of the crowd and have a good view of Queen Elizabeth and the Duchess of Sussex. We were delighted to hear that some children spoke to Queen Elizabeth and the Duchess of Sussex and others were photographed and interviewed by the media.

**The School Play:** This year the school play is Ali Baba and the Bongo Bandits. We have had to reschedule the afternoon performance on the 6<sup>th</sup> as the date clashed with the athletics competition at Ellesmere Port. The performances will be on the 10<sup>th</sup> July at 1:45 and 6:30 and the 11<sup>th</sup> July at 6:30. Letters for ticket requests will be distributed by the office.

## **End of Term Assemblies**

The Reception, Year 1 and 2 Assembly is on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> July at 9:30. Families are invited.

Year 6 Leavers' Assembly and Presentation is on the 17<sup>th</sup> July at 2:15. Families are invited.

## **Writing Competition**

Congratulations to four Year 6 pupils who have been shortlisted in The Queen's School Grrr! Power Writing Competition and been invited to a celebratory writers' workshop.

## **Year 3 Residential to Beeston**

The Year 3 had an excellent residential where they completed a nature walk and were very excited to see pheasant chicks, wild flowers, pheasants, badger setts, rabbit holes and much more! They enjoyed their mini –Olympics, cooking marshmallows around our campfire, making dens and using a flint and steel. The behaviour of the group was excellent and they worked brilliantly as a team.





## Archie

Archie will be returning to school on 2nd July; it will be great to have him back at school after his intensive treatment for childhood Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia (ALL). Archie will be receiving treatment over the next 3 years and it is important that school is notified if a child or member of the family has chicken pox or any other serious infection.

Thank you for your support.

## Sports

Sports Results are on the website under Sports Results. Well done to the Year 5 and 6 pupils who took part in the Kwik Cricket tournament. The team came third out of 12 schools and got to the semi- final losing to Oldfield.

Congratulations to all the children for giving 100% in sports days and demonstrating an excellent balance of comradeship, competitiveness and team spirit.



## Classes in 2018

Staffing for next year has been agreed with Juliette Benton and the governors.

<b>Reception</b>	Mrs Sharp
<b>Year 1</b>	Mrs Redmond and Miss Taylor Mrs Redmond (Mon-Wed) and Miss Taylor (Thurs and Friday)
<b>Year 2</b>	Mrs Bates
<b>Year 3</b>	Mr Moss
<b>Year 4</b>	Mrs Hancock
<b>Year 5</b>	Mrs Salter (Mon/Tues) and Mrs Bowle (Wed,Thurs/Friday)
<b>Year 6</b>	Mr Clifton

Children will be visiting their new classes on July 16<sup>th</sup>.

Teaching Assistants will have similar roles to this year. Mrs Price is reducing her contract to 3 days (Mon-Wed) and we are very grateful that she has offered to continue to help with the vegetable garden.

At the School Development Plan meeting attended by staff, governors and Mrs Benton it was agreed that teachers would add information to their class page on a half termly basis. In September it is likely that ClassDojo will be used as a way of sending parents updates about the learning. Mrs Benton uses this at Highfield Primary School.

### [ClassDojo for Parents](https://home.classdojo.com/)

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Some parents have not ticked permission for this on the new photograph form. Maybe if you look at the link attached you may want to reconsider for September.

## PTA

A huge thank you to the PTA, and all contributors, as we have raised 5K so far this school year. The PTA are funding a class set of glockenspiels for music lessons throughout school, an iPad for class use in Year 1, Cuisenaire rods (maths equipment) and a dance workshop for each class. The total donation to school is £1,169.50.

Please become a member of the Co-op to help us raise money for the reading Bee Hive. We hope to be able to install the Bee Hive in the Autumn.

## MID -SUMMER WATCH PARADE 23<sup>RD</sup> AND 24<sup>TH</sup> JUNE

The Year 2 are taking part in the parade on both Saturday and Sunday. Belgrave are the Angels. We need to wear white, cream or silver. The year 2 have all made props for the event with the artist Russell Kirk. Their props will be ready to be collected before the parade at 1:15 in Hamilton Place where we are meeting. The parade will be photographed and filmed; participation in this exciting community event will be an acceptance that you may appear in various publications and websites. Children will need to be supervised at all times by adults who are very welcome to join in the parade but please enter into the spirit and wear white, silver or cream. The parade will be marshalled throughout.

Follow the link to get a taster.

<http://youtu.be/X7XE5rVePR8>

There is more information on: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/448772875134592/>

## CLUBS 2018 - 2019

Club	Pupils	Day & Time	Provider / Contact	Starts
Multi skills/Games ~ * Football Netball in autumn and spring and Cricket and Athletics in summer	Year 5/6	Monday 3:15-4:15	Mrs Redmond Mr Moss Sports coach	Register at first session
Drama (payment to Joseph Mann)	Juniors	Tuesday 3:15-4:15	Joseph Mann (Private Provider) Joseph_mann@live.co.uk	
Art (£4 to school)	Yr 1-6 Each year group has half a term	Tuesday 3:15-4:15	Mrs Bates	Letters will be sent out
Football (payment to S4YC)	Year 1+	Tuesday Autumn & Summer	Football4YourCommunity (Private Provider) 07734 705559	Letters will be sent out
Chess Club (£4)	Juniors	Wednesday 8.00 – 8.45	Mark Phillips	Letters will be sent out
Football – girls*	Year 5/6	Wednesday – lunchtime	Mark Phillips	Register at first session
Recorders (school funded)	Year 2/3	Wednesday – lunchtime	Miss L Taylor Mrs Sharp	Letters will be sent out
Multi skills/games*	Year 3/4	Wednesday 3:15-4:15	Mark Phillips	Register at first session
Band	Year 5/6	Thursday 3:15-4:15	Alex Harper	Register at the first session
Dodgeball (£4 to school)	Year 5/6 Autumn Year 3/4 Spring 5/6 Summer	Friday 8.00-8.45	School Tom Mulligan – Sports Coach	Register on first session
Junior Choir (school funded)	Year 3-6	Friday - lunchtime	Mrs A Hancock	
Street Dance (payment to private provider)	Year 3/4/5/6	Friday 3:15 – 4:15	Miss G Gibbard (Private Provider) 07771538485	Letters will be sent out
Homework Club	Year 5/6	Friday 3:15 – 4:00	Mr Clifton	Register at first session

For further details contact the school office. Some clubs are funded through the Sports Premium Grant. These clubs have an \*.

## DATES

2017-18

**New dates are in bold**

### June

Thur 21 <sup>st</sup>	Year 4 Performing with the Hallé in Manchester
<b>Sat 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Year 2 Midsummer Watch Parade ~ Families to attend both days if possible. More details about what we need to wear shortly.*</b>
<b>Sun 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Year 2 Midsummer Watch Parade~</b>
Tue 26 <sup>th</sup>	New Reception Children visits 1.45 – 2.45pm
Wed 27 <sup>th</sup>	New Reception Children visits 1.45 – 2.45pm
<b>Fri 29<sup>th</sup> 5-9</b>	<b>Belgrave's Golden Anniversary Celebration Lots of WOW... glittering golden ideas to mark 50 years of the school's life!</b>

### July

Tue 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 6 Transition Day QPHS & CCHS
Sat 7 <sup>th</sup>	Community Summer Fayre: sports, plants, choir, band and stalls
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Bikeability All Week
Tue 10 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Afternoon performance KS2 Play 1.45pm performance*</b>
	KS2 Play 6.30pm Performance
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup>	KS2 Play 6.30pm Performance
Mon 16 <sup>th</sup>	Open Afternoon 3.20pm – 6.00pm
Tue 17 <sup>th</sup>	Reception/KS1 assembly for Parents 9.30am
Tue 17 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Presentation for Parents 2.15pm
Tue 17 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Leavers Disco
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Fun Day
<b>Fri 20<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Last Day of Term</b>

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2018-19

**New dates are in bold**

### Sep

Tue 4 <sup>th</sup>	First Day of Term
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Expectation Meeting @ 6.30pm
Tue 18 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Expectation Meeting @9.00am
	Year 4 Expectation Meeting @ 6.30pm
Wed 19 <sup>th</sup>	Year 4 Expectation Meeting @ 9.00am
	Year 2 Expectation Meeting @ 6.30pm
Thur 20 <sup>th</sup>	Year 2 Expectation Meeting @ 9.00am
	Year 5 Expectation Meeting @ 6.30pm
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	Year 5 Expectation Meeting @ 9.00am
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	Year 6 Residential Trip to Menai – all week
Tue 25 <sup>th</sup>	Year 1 Expectation Meeting @ 6.30pm
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup>	Year 1 Expectation Meeting @ 9.00am
	Year 3 Expectation Meeting @ 6.30pm

Thur 27 <sup>th</sup>	Year 3 Expectation Meeting @ 9.00am
<b>Oct</b>	
Wed 3 <sup>rd</sup>	Reception Expectation & Reading Meeting @ 6.30pm
Thur 4 <sup>th</sup>	Reception Expectation & Reading Meeting @ 9.00am
Wed 17 <sup>th</sup>	TEMPEST Portraits
Thu 25 <sup>th</sup>	Finish for Half term
<b>Nov</b>	
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Appointments Reception & KS1 1.00pm – 5.00pm
Tue 20 <sup>th</sup>	Parents' Appointments KS2 1.00pm – 5.00pm
Wed 21 <sup>st</sup>	Parents' Appointments All classes 3.30pm – 7.00pm
<b>Dec</b>	
Tue 18 <sup>th</sup>	Panto & Party Day
Fri 21 <sup>st</sup>	Finish for Christmas
<b>Jan</b>	
Mon 7 <sup>th</sup>	First Day Back
<b>Feb</b>	
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup>	Finish for Half Term
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup>	Back to School
<b>Mar</b>	
Mon 25 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup>	Year 5 Residential to Menai
Thur 28 <sup>th</sup>	Finish for Spring Break
<b>Apr</b>	
Mon 15 <sup>th</sup>	First Day Back
Tue 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Year 4 Residential to Tattenhall
<b>May</b>	
Fri 24 <sup>th</sup>	Finish for Half Term
<b>Jun</b>	
Tue 4 <sup>th</sup>	Back to School Year 3 Residential to Beeston
<b>Jul</b>	
Tue 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Last Day of Term
<b>Sep 19</b>	
Tue 4 <sup>th</sup>	First Day of Term