

## NEWSLETTER



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#### Dear Parents,

#### **Parent Governor Vacancy:**

Guillaume Brocart, parent governor, has resigned his post due to work commitments. We inq all week are very grateful for his time and commitment to the Governing Body. This now means we Thursday 15th June—Netball match have a vacancy for a parent Governor. Please look out for more information to be sent home next week (as well as on the website).

#### **Great Get Together:**

Next Friday at 11am we are having a special assembly about "The Great Get Together". This is a way of commemorating and celebrating the life of Jo Cox. It will be followed by our usual star of the week assembly. Parents are more than welcome to attend. At the assembly we will also be talking about the Bankside Great get together which is taking place on Sunday 18th June from noon till 9pm at Redcross Way, Union Street and Flat Iron Square. It is being organised by BOST. All children at Friars will be making bunting flags next week which BOST will hang up.

#### **London Bridge attacks:**

We were all horrified by the events of last weekend and as a school we have been very closely monitoring children for any signs of distress about what happened. Our assembly theme this week, which had been planned months ago was British Values and we held a minute's silence on Tuesday (which includes all the children at Wick Court). Better Bankside inform us of the following:

- Borough Market will not be opening this weekend.
- If you would like to leave a floral tribute, the official location is currently outside The Barrowboy and Banker on London Bridge.
- The Samaritans have offered to support anyone affected by the events. Volunteers are at London Bridge station lower concourse today until 7pm.
- The Home Office has a dedicated website linked to this attack with information for guidance on support services available for those affected.
- Victim Support is currently operating its 24/7 support line, offering emotional and practical support for anyone affected by the attack. The number is 0808 168 9111 and is free to call.

#### Children's learning at Friars:

Children from Years 4,5 and 6 have a had an epic time at Wick Court this week. They have really embraced farm life and many have had some completely new experiences (such as mucking out horses, collecting eggs, weighing pigs, and feeding cows). There are lots and lots of photos on the latest news section of our website.



#### Dates for the Summer term

New items in red

**Monday 12th June**—Y6 to start swimming sessions; Y1 phonics screen-

@ GMH park after school

**Friday 16th June**—Great get together assembly 11am (parents welcome)

Monday June 19th—Y3 and 4 to Literary film festival @ BFI

**Tuesday 20th June**—Y6 to Into University

**Wednesday 21st June**—Southwark park summer athletics tournament for Y4 am and Y6 pm

**Thursday 22nd June**—Road safety workshop / performance for Y4-6 **Thursday 29th June**—Netball match @ GMH park after school

Friday 7th July—barbq lunch for

**Monday 10th July**—health week Wednesday 12th July—Sports day Thursday 13th July—Sports day reserve

Friday 14th July—"decades" dress up day and dance performance; end of year reports out to parents

Monday 17th July—final Y6 swimming session

Tuesday 18th July—Y4 to para athletics tournament

Wednesday 19th July—Y6 production and graduation 7pm

**Thought for the week on British Values:** 

"Keep your values positive because your values become your destiny" Mahatma Ghandi

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Have a great weekend! Yours sincerely, Burtt, Headteacher



## EYFS/KS1

### **Year Two**

Rahaj Hussain

for fabulous independent writing in Literacy. You are a Superstar!

**Well Done!** 



## KS2

## **Year Five**

**Deniz Bellice** 

for being a team player and having a positive attitude.

**Well Done!** 



# Assembly theme / value this week: Right Conduct



	Class	ATTENDANCE
1st	R	95.8%
2nd	4	95.6%
3rd	2	94.8%
4th	1	94.2%
5th	5	93.7%
6th	6	93.3%
7th	3	92.3%



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1st	R	93.7%
2nd	4	92.7%
3rd	5	91.5%
4th	6	91.1%
5th	2 & 3	89.7%
6th	1	88.4%
7th		