

# Brunswick Park Primary School

## e-Newsletter no. 92



Brunswick Park  
Primary School

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July's Focus Value is **ASPIRATION**; September's is **RESPECT**

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome to the final newsletter of the academic year 2020-21; a year like no other. The children have had a year of such disruption - in school, out of school, back in school - but with your support and adherence to the school's infection control measures we have managed to limit the amount of school the children have missed to very little indeed. Thank you for continuing to follow our infection control measures following the so-called 'Freedom Day' on Monday. Government guidance about operating schools after 19 July has now been issued, and this newsletter tells you how it affects Brunswick Park from September 2021 when the children return.

It is clear that COVID-19 is not going anywhere, and that from September we need to remain quick to respond to changes imposed by government, which may include some of the measures we have been using this year, including re-establishing consistent groups, or 'bubbles', and staggered start and finish times. Until these are imposed, from September we will revert to our original start and finish times, which are shown further down.

I am delighted to tell you that our Breakfast Club for children in Reception to Year 6 will begin at 07:45 from September 2021, and that there will be a separate Breakfast Club for children in the Nursery that starts at 07:30. There will also be a separate After School Club for Nursery children. If you need wrap-around care for your Nursery child, please contact the School Office for information about charges. The Main School Breakfast Club (R-6) is £10 per week per child payable in advance at the School Office. It is £10 per week regardless of the number of days on which your child attends. After School Club for children in Reception to Year 6 is provided in the Dining Hall by The Play Shelter. Please contact the School Office for information about times and charges.

As the year ends I want to thank all the parents and carers who came to our fabulous Year 6 Graduation Ceremony yesterday, brilliantly co-ordinated by the Year 6 Team. In this Newsletter there is a beautiful image of our Year 6 leavers of whom I am deeply proud. There is also a poem shared at the ceremony written by our very own 11-year-old Tashni Edwards, that speaks volumes about what we believe is important at Brunswick Park and to young people today. I feel the future is safe in hands like hers.

We have two great initiatives starting in September; one to increase the school's social media presence and improve communication with you, and the other, to increase children's cultural capital through improving spoken language and communication. We can't wait to get started after the holiday, which I hope for everyone will be peaceful, safe and happy. I wish you and your families all the very best, and look forward to seeing you all again in September.

Susannah Bellingham  
Head Teacher

**School reopens on 2 September 2021, unless your child is in the Nursery or Reception and you have been given a different start date.  
Have a great Summer!**



# I Believe

By Tashni Edwards

I believe that the colour of our skin does not determine who we are,

I believe that our gender does not define what we are capable of,

I believe that everyone is capable of achieving great things in life, that is if one tries hard,

I believe that no one is superior to anyone; we are all equal,

I believe that men and women, boys and girls - no matter their age - are equal,

I believe actions, attitude and character define who we are - not colour nor gender,

I believe that negative words may not harm people physically; it does harm people mentally,

I believe you must cherish the moments you have; time will not wait for you,

I believe no one is perfect; that does not mean you don't need to try your best,

I believe with good there will always be bad; with bad there will always be good. Cherish the good in life,

I believe you are the artist of your own life so don't EVER hand the paintbrush over to someone else,

We won't live forever so make the best of the moments you have.



**And the winner of the Prize  
Draw for a bike, helmet and  
lock from Soutwark  
Council is...Alisha Abioye!**

Thanks to all who returned completed Streetspace surveys. They have been returned to the Council's Streetspace Team who will use your feedback to improve the local area.



## **Free rugby sessions!**

**At Soutwark Rugby Club there's a team for everyone**

**From Under 6 to Under 18**

**Boys and Girls**

**You should come and join us**

**Every Sunday Morning**

**Info: [chris@southwarktigers.com](mailto:chris@southwarktigers.com) or call 07740419539**

# School Times from September 2021

From 2 September, when children return, it is planned that our children will return to their pre-COVID school hours as follows:

<b>Reception</b>		
Gates open	08:45	Key Stage 1 Gate and Black Fire Gates
Learning starts	09:00	
School finishes	15:30	Collect from the Reception Outdoor Area and outside Reception B Classroom
<b>Year 1</b>		
Gates open	08:45	Key Stage 1 Gate
Learning starts	09:00	
School finishes	15:30	Collect from outside the Year 1 classrooms
<b>Year 2</b>		
Gates open	08:45	Teachers will collect children from the Key Stage 1 Playground Race Track at 08:55
Learning starts	09:00	
School finishes	15:30	Collect from the Key Stage 1 Playground Race Track
<b>Years 3 and 4</b>		
Gates open	08:45	Main Gate. Year 3 children go straight up to class using the right-side stairs. Year 4 children go straight up to class using the left side stairs.
Learning starts	09:00	
School finishes	15:30	Collect from the Key Stage 2 Playground. The children will be in lines with their teachers.
<b>Years 5 and 6</b>		
Gates open	08:45	Black Fire Gates. Children go straight up to class using the entrance by the School Office.
Learning starts	09:00	
School finishes	15:30	Collect from the Key Stage 2 Playground. The children will be in lines with their teachers.
Nursery arrangements are shared directly with parents as they are specific to the children.		

**All children need to be at school by 08:55,  
when the bell will ring.**

Children aged 11 and under have never been required to wear face coverings at any time.

**From 2 September, face coverings for adults are optional.**

Please continue to provide your child with a daily bottle of plain water. Hand sanitiser will no longer be offered as a matter of course at the school gates, but will continue to be available in the classrooms along with regular handwashing.

The school will be kept as well ventilated as possible whilst maintaining a comfortable temperature.

# Classes and Teachers 2021-22

## EYFS

Nursery: Mr Joshua Bowdery  
RA: Ms Nicola McMenamin  
RB: Ms Sarah Witowski-Baker

## Key Stage 1

1A: Miss Hanna Bremner Tattersall  
1B: Ms Chantelle Hughes  
2A: Mrs Joya Roychoudhury  
2B: Ms Leah Phillips

## Lower Key Stage 2

3A: Mrs Edel Fallon  
3B: Ms Christina Huszar  
4A: Ms Evie McDonnell  
4B: Ms Shalwa Nantume

## Upper Key Stage 2

5A: Miss Nicola Scott  
5B: Mrs Beverley Russell-Burke  
6A: Ms Tobi Akinlade  
6B: Ms Dina Achilleos

## SEND

Resource Base: Ms Caroline Champion and  
Mr Jonathan McElvanna

## Specialist Teachers:

Music: Mrs Paula Hales is on maternity leave.  
Miss Keely Morgan and Mr Darren Mason  
will teach music until she returns in 2022.  
PE: Mr Andrew Payne and his coaching team

# Term Dates 2021/2022

## Autumn Term

**HALF TERM 1:** Wednesday 1 September 2021 to Friday 22 October 2021

**INSET DAY ON WEDNESDAY 1 SEPTEMBER - CHILDREN RETURN ON THURSDAY 2 SEPTEMBER**

**HALF TERM BREAK:** Monday 25 October 2021 to Friday 29 October 2021

**HALF TERM 2:** Monday 1 November 2021 to Friday 17 December 2021

## Spring Term

**HALF TERM 3:** Tuesday 4 January 2022 to Friday 11 February 2022

**INSET DAY ON TUESDAY 4 JANUARY - CHILDREN RETURN ON WEDNESDAY 5 JANUARY**

**HALF TERM BREAK:** Monday 14 February 2022 to Friday 18 February 2022

**HALF TERM 4:** Monday 21 February 2022 to Friday 1 April 2022

## Summer Term

**HALF TERM 5:** Tuesday 19 April 2022 to Friday 27 May 2022

**INSET DAY ON TUESDAY 19 APRIL - CHILDREN RETURN ON WEDNESDAY 20 APRIL**

(May Day bank holiday will be taken on 2 May)

**HALF TERM BREAK:** Monday 30 May 2022 to Friday 3 June 2022

**HALF TERM 6:** Monday 6 June 2022 to Friday 22 July 2022

**INSET DAYS ON THURSDAY 21 AND FRIDAY 22 JULY - LAST DAY IN SCHOOL FOR CHILDREN IN WEDNESDAY 20 JULY 2022**

**Children finish at 2.00pm on 17 December 2021, 1 April 2022 and 20 July 2022**

# SUMMER

**Boppin' bunnies**  
Live Music for Little Ones

## SUMMER SHOWS

**SATURDAY**  
**14TH AUGUST**

**THE JETTY** (by the car & the cable car)  
Olympian Way, Greenwich Peninsula, SE10 0JF

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

2 Shows: 10:00am, 11:00am (all Mixed Ages)  
£12.00 per Family

Bring a Rug!

Book in advance: [www.boppinbunnies.co.uk/shows](http://www.boppinbunnies.co.uk/shows)

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## SUMMER SHOWS

**TUESDAY**  
**17TH AUGUST**

**ELTHAM PARK**  
Eltham Park South, Glenesk Road, London SE9 1AN

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

3 Shows: 9:45am, 10:30am, 11:15am (all Mixed Ages)  
£12.00 per Family

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## SUMMER SHOWS

**WEDNESDAY**  
**18TH AUGUST**

**EAST GREENWICH PLEASANCE**  
Chevening Rd, SE10 0LB

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

3 Shows: 9:45am, 10:30am, 11:15am (all Mixed Ages)  
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## SUMMER SHOWS

**TUESDAY**  
**24TH AUGUST**

**ST. CATHERINE'S CHURCH GARDEN**  
Pepys Road, London SE14 5TY

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

2 Shows: 10:00am, 11:00am (all Mixed Ages)  
£12.00 per Family

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## SUMMER SHOWS

**TUESDAY**  
**24TH AUGUST**

**BOYS BRIGADE HALL**  
Reynolds Place, Blackheath SE3 8SX

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

3 Shows: 9:45am, 10:30am, 11:15am (all Mixed Ages)  
£12.00 per Family

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## SUMMER SHOWS

**MONDAY**  
**23RD AUGUST**

**DANSON STABLES PATIO GARDEN**  
Danson Park, Bexleyheath, DA6 8HL

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

3 Shows: 9:45am, 10:30am, 11:15am (all Mixed Ages)  
£12.00 per Family

Bring a Rug!

Book in advance: [www.boppinbunnies.co.uk/shows](http://www.boppinbunnies.co.uk/shows)

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## SUMMER SHOWS

**FRIDAY**  
**27TH AUGUST**

**ELTHAM PARK**  
Eltham Park South, Glenesk Road, London SE9 1AN

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

3 Shows: 9:45am, 10:30am, 11:15am (all Mixed Ages)  
£12.00 per Family

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## SUMMER SHOWS

**SATURDAY**  
**28TH AUGUST**

**THE JETTY** (by the car & the cable car)  
Olympian Way, Greenwich Peninsula, SE10 0JF

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

2 Shows: 10:00am, 11:00am (all Mixed Ages)  
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## SUMMER SHOWS

**TUESDAY**  
**31ST AUGUST**

**EAST GREENWICH PLEASANCE**  
Chevening Rd, SE10 0LB

Family Music Shows. Bring your kitchen instruments - accompany our Live Musicians! Online booking essential.

3 Shows: 9:45am, 10:30am, 11:15am (all Mixed Ages)  
£12.00 per Family

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**SOUTHWARK KING FOOTBALL CLUB**



# **SATURDAY SOCCER SCHOOL**

**EVERY SATURDAY 12:30PM-2PM  
@ BURGESS PARKASTRO PITCH  
ENTRANCE ON ALBANY RD, SE5 7JW**



"Here at SKFC, we pride ourselves on creating opportunities for kids through sports. We aim to provide a safe positive and enjoyable learning environment for kids to enjoy." - Club Chairman

**BOYS AND GIRLS OF  
AGE 4-12  
WELCOMED**

**£4 PER SESSION**

**ALL ABILITIES WELCOMED**

CONTACT US ON THE FOLLOWING FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

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 [southwarkkings.f.c.](#)

 [southwarkkingsfc@gmail.com](mailto:southwarkkingsfc@gmail.com)

 [07554878992](tel:07554878992)



# Summer Holiday Clubs 2021

**Charles Dickens  
Primary School**



Toulmin Street  
London  
SE1 1AF

**Dog Kennel Hill  
Primary School**



Dog Kennel Hill,  
London  
SE22 8AB

**Ivydale Primary  
School**



Bellwood Road,  
London SE15  
3BU

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info@treetopsciubs.co.uk | 01420 525 317



At Tree Tops Clubs we want to support families to get the most out of the Children's school holidays by offering good quality, fun, active and affordable holiday clubs across the south of England

### Our Club Benefits

- Encourages Creativity and imagination
  - Develops new skills
- Promotes positive physical and mental health
- Increases Confidence and independence
  - Builds resilience
- Enables well-being to flourish



"The team were so supportive, creative and simply delightful, in not only welcoming her with bundles of energy, but also ensuring she enjoyed every single day with them!"

"Thank you for providing great activities in a fun safe environment for our children!"

"Our son had a fabulous time! On arrival it was clearly welcoming, efficient and safely run."

At Tree Tops Clubs are proud to continue to support many of our local authorities partners to offer the Holiday Activities and Fun (HAF) programme again this summer. The HAF programme will support children to:

- Eat more healthily over the school holidays
- Be more active during the school holidays
- Take part in engaging and enriching activities which support the development of resilience, character and wellbeing along with their wider educational attainment
- Be safe and not to be socially isolated
- Have a greater knowledge of health and nutrition
- Be more engaged with school and other local services

Each child attending the club on the HAF scheme is provided with a hot lunch daily. Each child is entitled to book 4 sessions a week for 4 weeks.



Book online: [www.treetopsclubs.co.uk](http://www.treetopsclubs.co.uk)

01420 525 317  
info@treetopsclubs.co.uk



## Reminders to all Parents and Carers

### Correct School Uniform:

Please ensure your child comes to school in the correct uniform. All children must wear black shoes, black or grey school trousers or skirts and socks and Hijabs should be plain white, black or grey. Grey or black shorts or purple checked summer dresses can be worn in warm weather.

### Punctuality:

Please ensure your child arrives to school on time every day; arriving late is embarrassing and missed learning time affects achievement and stops your child from reaching his or her potential.

### Parking:

Picton Street is now closed to traffic from 08:30 - 09:15 and 15:00 - 16:00. If you arrive by car please factor this in, as you will need to park elsewhere and walk into Picton Street.

## Safeguarding Information

The designated team for Safeguarding at Brunswick Park Primary is  
Susannah Bellingham  
Caroline Champion and  
Thomas Moudiotis.

If you have any concerns about any child, please contact us. We are committed to Safeguarding all children and members of our school community and take all concerns seriously.

For your information, key school policies are available on request from the School Office and can be downloaded from the school Website under the 'Our School' tab.

Please check the website for further details about what children have been doing and learning in school.

Missed a newsletter? All newsletters are available for download from the School Website under the 'News' tab.

<http://www.brunswickparkprimary.co.uk>

**Please look at our website [www.brunswickparkprimary.co.uk](http://www.brunswickparkprimary.co.uk) for links to useful activities and information and our updated Safeguarding Policy in light of the Coronavirus Restrictions.**

### **School attendance is now mandatory once again.**

If your child is absent from school we will continue making first day absence calls. Home Learning will only be offered to children who cannot attend school for clinical or public health reasons. If you choose not to send your child to school we will happily discuss this with you, but please be aware that non-attendance may result in further action in line with our Whole School Attendance Policy.

### **Right to Reply:**

**23/7/21: Please email the address below to give us constructive suggestions or comments, including your name and your child's class.**

**Thank you.**

**office@brunswickpark.southwark.sch.uk**