

Bessemer Primary School Newsletter



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Dates for your Diary

Friday 1st July - School fair after school

Wednesday 6th July - Friday 8th July - Year 6 school journey

Monday 11th July - Year 3 and 4 sports day

Tuesday 12th July - Year 5 and 6 sports day

Wednesday 13th July - KS1 and EYFS sports day

Friday 15th July - Carnival, 2pm

Tuesday 19th July - Year 6 performance, 6pm

Wednesday 20th July - Year 6 disco, 6-7.30pm

Thursday 21st July - Year 6 graduation, 2pm

Friday 22nd July - last day of term, 2pm finish

News and Reminders

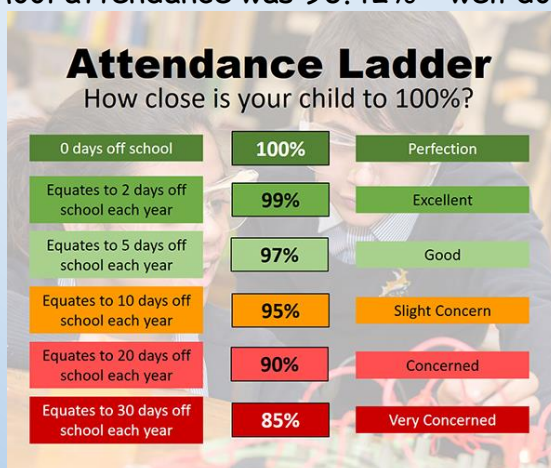
Refugee Week

Thank you to everyone who donated money today, we have raised well over £500, which will be passed on to Southwark Day centre for Asylum Seekers. Find out more about them here:

<https://www.sdcas.org.uk/>

Attendance

Following the attendance message last week, this is just a reminder that our attendance target is 96%. This week the whole school attendance was 96.42% - well done everyone, target met!



Competition

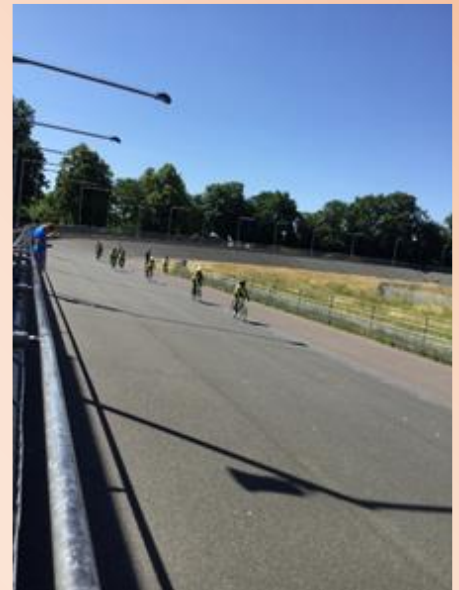
Attached to this newsletter is a competition inviting your child to design a football strip for the Women's Euros - get designing!

Word of the Week

The Word of the Week next week is **notorious**. Please help your child to find out the meaning of the word and perhaps research its origin, then try to use it as much as possible so that it becomes part of their vocabulary. Children will receive gems for using the word in their speech and writing and for explaining its meaning and origin.

Sharing Children's Learning

Children in Year 4 enjoyed a fantastic day at the Velodrome this week:



After a great cycling session they ended the day with a fun game of rounders in the park:

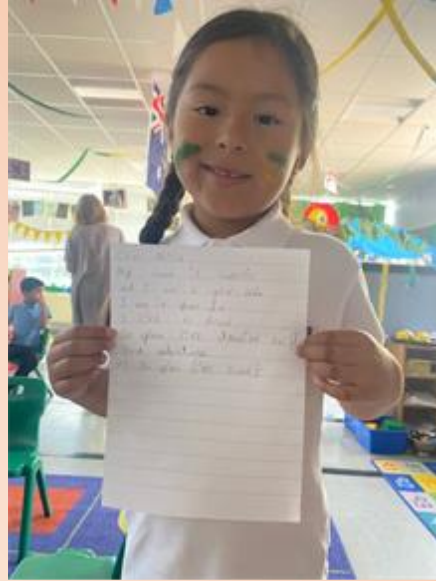


Sharing Children's Learning

Children in Year 1 celebrated Australia Day as part of their 'Creek to Coast' topic:



Trying Aboriginal art



Writing to Australian pen pals



Vegemite sandwiches



On the plane to Australia



Getting passports stamped



Football Tournament



Well done to some of our footballers in Year 6 who took part in a tournament this week. The tournament was a Euros theme, with the big competition just around the corner. The girls played really well, winning one match, and everyone had a fantastic time.

F@B Update

Summer Fair

The Summer Fair needs you! Can you help out between 4.30 and 5.30 on one of the following stalls?

- Face painting (simple designs)
- Sweetie hoop-la
- Skittles
- Knock-down cans
- Teddy Tombola
- Crafts

They're all low-effort, a lot of fun, and can be done with a child helper if you have a small person to look after! We could also use an extra pair of hands on the bar from 4.30 to 5.30. If you are able to help, please send Lucy a message on 07949 439 360.

Don't forget to dig out your pre-loved cuddly toys over the weekend and bring them to the school office no later than Monday - we need time to give them a bath before they go in the Teddy Tombola at the fair.

F@B Committee 2022-23

Could you be our Communications Officer next year? We're looking for somebody who can write a weekly update for the school newsletter; co-ordinate WhatsApp messages; liaise with the designer of our event posters; and update our social media. The time commitment is around an hour a week on average. If you would like to find out more, please contact us at fab@friendsatbessemer.co.uk or get in touch with Lucy on 07949 439 360.

Celebrations!

Class	Star of the Week	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Presenter of the Week	Scientist of the Week
Rainbow	Olivia	Harrison	Imaan		
Sunshine	Bella	Casper	Ava		
Moonbeam	Albie	Adam	Yaseerah		
1AM	Agnes	Trey	Shafi	Ismay	
1EB	Nikolas	Hunter	Felix	Faye	
1NS	Elham	Isaiah	Maths	Fred	Mattias
2JW	Khaliyah	Shaydon	Lucien	Johnny	
2LT	Theo	Sofia	Callum	William	
2OF	Warren	Sammy	Olivia	Daniel	
3LM	Aryan	Andrea	Arda	Emily	Hannah
3CB	Sami	Owen W	Sophie	Fox	
3LS	Lenny	Tiger	Khadijah	George	
3JK		Sophie		Paul	
4SB	Nathaniel	Hasiba	Zac	Una	
4KL	The Whole Class	Ainoa	Olesia	Freya	Tom
4HB	Amber	Polly	Tom	Naomi-Rose	
4JB		Sophie	Max	Jade	
5RS	Zach	Cameron	Raheemah	Lola	
5AC	Lily	Yasmin	Tomai		
5LW	Kayla	Charlotte	Jessica	Ollie	
5JK		Zain		Zach	
6MS	Navjot	Amy	Ryo	Lex	
6YH	Aleena	Alex	Rebekah	Harley	
6SB	Robin	Bert	Ashlei	Andy	

Timestable Rockstars	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	Nikolas	Abemelek	Bryan	Olivia I	Victoria	Abdulahi

Timetable Rockstars winning classes: 1NS, 4HB and 5AC

This week's house winners: **Sapphires!**

Have a great weekend!

Elizabeth