



## MESSAGE FROM MRS FREEMAN

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been another very busy week and at the risk of sounding a bit miserable, the slightly cooler weather has been a relief!

We would like to thank you for coming to Sports Day today - we hope that you enjoyed supporting the children. A special thank you to Year 5 who provided a performance of Samba music for the children to arrive to! We hope that many of you will stay for the Summer Fair that is happening straight after Sports Day. Thank you to Mrs Sanford for organising Sports Day and to the Friends for coordinating and running what we hope will be a very successful and well attended Summer Fair!

Please can I remind parents to park considerately, I received a complaint this week that a parent had blocked a driveway and prevented a school taxi from collecting a child with SEN to take them to school. Please think carefully about where you park.

This week you have received some important communication about planned industrial action on 5th and 7th July, please make sure that you have read this carefully. The letter containing optional remote learning links was also sent this week.

You should also have received a letter about class teachers for next academic year. This information was shared directly with the children and everyone seems to be very excited about their new teachers. There will be an "All Change Day" on 17th July when children will get to spend some time with their new teachers in their new classrooms.

Thank you for completing the questionnaire about voluntary contributions. The link is pasted below and, if you have not already provided us with your views, that would be helpful. We will write again once we have decided how to proceed but any systems that we put in place will always be on a voluntary basis:

<https://forms.gle/fthLFObjnc2JECnaA>

We have noticed more children wearing the correct T-shirt in their house colours since the letter that we sent a couple of weeks ago - thank you! Please make sure that children are wearing the correct PE kit. From September this will be strictly enforced - children should wear PLAIN black, shorts/leggings/tracksuit bottoms and a plain T-shirt in their house colour. They may wear a plain black hoodie or sweatshirt and a logoed version of this can be pre-ordered from our school uniform shop.

Finally this week we welcomed our new reception children to their first taster session. It was lovely to meet so many new children and their families and we are very excited about them joining the BHPS community.

Have a lovely weekend.

My very best wishes,

*Mrs Freeman*

Headteacher and Designated Safeguarding Lead

## STARS OF THE WEEK

Big Ben: **Whole Class**  
Pyramid: **Charlie B**  
Taj Mahal: **Caleb R**  
Giants Causeway: **Trixie J**  
Colosseum: **George M**  
Royal Mile: **Teddie C**  
Loch Ness: **Lauren C**  
Sydney Opera House: **Scarlett T**  
London Bridge: **Caroline T**  
Parthenon: **Morgan D**  
Mount Everest: **Leo T-K**  
Globe Theatre: **Alarna G**  
Mount Fuji: **Liam K**  
Orinoco: **Frankie F**  
Wembley: **James T and  
Harrison G**

*'Congratulations'*

## Weekly Whole School Attendance 95.1%

### Weekly Class Attendance

*Excellent attendance 'gold'*  
**98-100%**

**Lock Ness - 99.2%**

*Attendance 'green' 96-97.9%*

**Taj Mahal - 97.3%**

**Sydney Opera House - 97.8%**

**Mount Fuji - 97.1%**

**Globe Theatre - 96.9%**

**Wembley - 96.4%**

## HOUSE POINTS

**1st: HOLMES**  
**2nd: ATTENBOROUGH**  
**3rd: ROWLING**  
**4th: HAWKING**

*'Congratulations to our winners this week'*

## OUR YEAR 6 ADVENTURES

*An adventure like no other!*

We had so much fun whilst on the *Isle of Wight!* Not only did we challenge ourselves when completing PGL activities (climbing, orienteering, trapeze, archery and kayaking), we enjoyed excursions to Robin Hill Country Park, Blackgang Chine and The Needles Pleasure Park at Alum Bay.

Our children that didn't attend the Isle of Wight had their own wonderful week in school! Children enjoyed cooking, artwork and trips to Bromley and Beckenham Place Park.



### **Mrs Kennedy's Walking Challenge**

I have been walking 5000 steps a day for the month of June, this is to raise awareness for Cancer Research. This is a charity very close to my heart. I didn't do all the steps on my own as Olive, our school dog, has been taking part during lunchtimes. You can read more on my just giving page.

<https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/clairs-giving-page-115>



## DIARY DATES

*Keep a note!*

### **1st July**

- Biggin Hill Carnival - come at visit Mrs Sargeant and Mrs Helps on our stand, Biggin Hill Recreation Ground

### **4th July**

- Y2 Kent Life trip  
- Tea and Tots, KS1 hall, 1.30-3pm (last one for this academic year)  
Y4 Residential meeting Bushcraft, 3.30pm

### **5th July:**

- Discovery homework due date

### **6th July:**

- Pre-School Tour, 9.30am (all tours must be prebooked)  
- KS1 and Year 3 choir Summer Concert, 2:30pm - 3:15pm (KS2 Hall)

### **10th July:**

Ambassador Assembly - (9.10-9.45am) by invitation only

### **12th July**

- Year 1 Kent Life Trip  
- Reports home today

### **14th July:**

- Y6 Prom. Please see information from Y6 Leavers' Committee  
- Rocksteady Concert Friday, (2.30pm - End time TBA), KS2 Hall

## BHPS PRESCHOOL

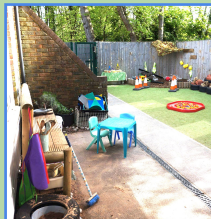
*Are you looking for a Preschool for your toddler  
We are holding set tours of our Preschool*

**6th July  
Tours start at 9.30am**

To find out more about our preschool and book a tour, please contact Ms Hannah Belaon, Preschool Manager on 01959 575846 or [h.belaon@bigginhillps.com](mailto:h.belaon@bigginhillps.com).

We do encourage you to bring your toddler along so we can get to know them.

**"We take pride in everything we do!"**

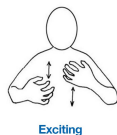


## PARKING

Please can we ask parents and carers to park and drive respectfully outside our school.

## MAKATON

*Sign of the Week*



**Miss Knott,  
SENCo  
Assistant**

## LANGUAGE

*Of the Week*

*for next week*

**Irish**

**Hello: Dia Dhuit**

**Good Morning: Dia is Muire Dhuit**

**Good Afternoon: Dia Dhuit**

## *Weekly Lunch Menus*

On our website at: <https://www.bigginhillprimary.com/> at the bottom of the page. We will continue sending out weekly menus each Friday afternoon as we feel this is working well for families and keeps this fresh in your inbox!