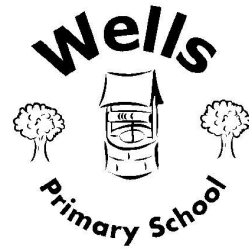


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Tuesday 6th June 2023

Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope that you are well and had a pleasant half term. I cannot quite believe that this will be my last half term at Wells; the time is flying past so quickly!

Whole School Photograph

On Thursday morning, we shall be taking the whole school photo. This is something we usually arrange once every three years, although we are currently running late with this because of the pandemic. As the children grow and move up through the school, they love to view the photo and try to spot themselves and their friends!

Nursery children who do not normally attend school on a Thursday morning are very welcome to join us for the photo.

Art Exhibition – Tuesday 13th June from 3pm in the School Hall

Please pay a visit to our exhibition next Tuesday to see and purchase your child's professionally framed artwork! The children have all prepared a piece of work that can be bought as a keepsake for £7.50. You will also be able to purchase our school tea towels that we have created to mark the year of the Coronation. These shall be on sale for £4 each.

Nursery Places

We currently have availability for the Nursery from September. Children may attend the Nursery in the term after their third birthday and there are a range of attendance options available, including full days. Please contact Mrs Vadher or Mrs Poulson if you are interested in a Nursery place for your child.

Parking

Please be reminded that there is no parking available within the immediate vicinity of the school. In the interests of safety, please park away from school and walk to the school gates. Unfortunately it seems that several parents have been getting into disputes about driving and parking which could be avoided if the parking restrictions were observed.

11+ Entry (for children currently in Year 5)

The 11+ exam for 2024 entrance will be held on Friday 15th September 2023. Registration for the exam closes on 30th June 2023. Visit www.redbridge.gov.uk/schools/redbridge-11-plus/ for further information.

Private Fostering

I have been asked to remind you that the local authority must be notified of any private fostering arrangements. Private fostering is when someone who is not a close relative cares for another person's child under the age of 16 (18 if disabled) for 28 days or more. A close relative is considered to be an aunt, uncle, grandparent, step parent or sibling. Other family members such as cousins or great aunts are not classed as close relatives for the purposes of Private Fostering. Please contact Redbridge Children's Services on 020 8708 3885 or by email.

Please see attached some dates for your diary.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,
Jill Henderson
Head teacher

Dates for the Diary	
Monday 5th June 2023	Year 4 Multiplication Check begins
Wednesday 7th June 2023	Meeting for parents of children new to Reception in September 2023 – 6pm
Thursday 8th June 2023	Whole school photo
Monday 12th June 2023	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check begins
Tuesday 13th June 2023	Nursery children’s visit to the Fire Station
Tuesday 13th June 2023	Whole school art exhibition – 3pm
Friday 16th June 2023	Police visit for pupils in Years 5 and 6
Friday 16th June 2023	Year 6 Cornets’ performance for parents and carers – 2pm
Monday 26th - Friday 30th June 2023	Residential visit to Stubbers
Wednesday 28th June 2023	Special celebration assembly for Reception pupils and their parents/carers
Wednesday 5th July 2023	Singing Club performance Exhibition Evening - 5.30 -7pm.
Wednesday 5th July	Thames Water workshop – Year 5 and 6
Thursday 6th July 2023	Recycled clothes collection
Friday 7th July 2023	Sports Day –am Wells Sports Club
Saturday 8th July 2023	PTA Party in the Playground
Wednesday 12th July 2023	Nursery Sports Day 10.30am- school playground
Thursday 13th July 2023	Year 5 summer performance - am
Friday 14th July 2023	Year 6 summer performance- am
Monday 17th July 2023	Year 6 leavers’ trip to London
Thursday 20th July 2023	Year 6 leavers’ assembly- am
Friday 21st July 2023	School closes for the summer break - 3pm for all pupils