

Friday 2nd October 2020

Dear Parents, Carers and friends

It has been another really busy week for the children who are now very much immersed in their learning themes for the half term/term. The teachers and support staff have been working really hard to make sure the children feel settled and ready for their learning each day. I want to reassure you all that although we do need to make sure the children socially distance from other bubbles and wash their hands at necessary times, we are not talking to the children constantly about Coronavirus. We are very much getting on with the day and looking forward to the events we can organise and run in school.

If you are concerned about any aspect of your child's wellbeing and feel that you would like to talk it through with someone, please email recovery@brindishemanor.lewisham.sch.uk and we will get back to you as soon as possible.

Home Learning & ItsLearning

Last week we sent you information about home learning and learning we will provide if your child is waiting for a COVID test, is isolating or in the event of a lockdown. All children were sent home with an exercise book for recording their learning, if they are at home, and all of their logins for the online platforms they will use, including ItsLearning, SumDog and LanguageNut.

Home learning is uploaded each Friday to your child's classroom page and can be found in the 'Home Learning' folder under **PLANS**. Please refer to the letter from Rachel Waite and the 'How to Guide', which has been sent today, if you are unsure how to access this.

Home learning is often something for you to talk to your child about or to research over the week ahead which links to something that the children are learning about in class.

Any questions or if you are in need of some technical support please email info@brindishemanor.lewisham.sch.uk

Online Safety Bulletin

When learning online at school, we remind the children they need to be SMART. It's an easy way to reinforce all the ways they have learnt to keep safe online.

Are you being SMART online?

<https://www.childnet.com/ufiles/SMART-rules-Poster-A3.pdf>

FLU LINK FOR BRINDISHE MANOR

It is time for your child to receive their annual flu vaccination. We are now inviting parents/guardians to register your consent for the flu vaccination. We have developed a secure on-line link that you can use to register consent for your child to be vaccinated at school. The process is quick and easy to use.

Please click on this link to access the eConsent: <https://qlink.uk/LGflu/100693>

Here's a video on how the eConsent portal works <https://vimeo.com/showcase/7321177>

Flu can be an unpleasant illness and can cause serious complications. Vaccinating your child will help to protect them from getting the flu, and prevent it spreading among more vulnerable family and friends. With COVID-19 in circulation it is more important than ever to reduce the number of people becoming ill with flu this winter to help protect them and the NHS. The vaccination is free and in most cases is a quick and simple spray up the nose. Even if your child had it last year, the type of flu can vary each winter, so it is recommended to have the flu vaccine again this year or they won't be protected. The healthcare team and school will follow guidelines to ensure your child is safe from COVID-19 while getting the vaccine. Please contact the Lewisham School Health Immunisation Team at the Downham Health and Leisure Centre on 0203 049 1897 or lg.shshimmunisation@nhs.net if you require any further assistance

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Community Matron CYP/Public Health

Brindishe Manor Harvest Collection

This year we are collecting UHT milk for Helping Hands Foodbank in Lee.
If you are able to support Brindishe Manor's Harvest Collection, please
bring a carton (or more!) of
UHT milk
to school by Tuesday 20th October 2020.



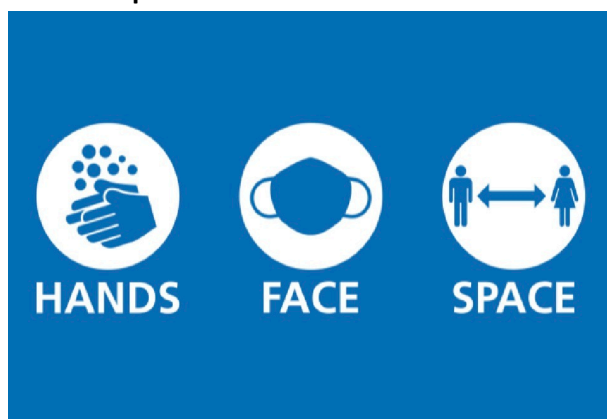
Scholastic Book Club

This year we are not able to hold our usual Book Fair in school. However, we have set up a new monthly online book club. You can look at all the latest books and order them online. For every £1 you spend on this month's Book Club, our school will earn 20p in Scholastic Rewards. Go to:

<http://schools.scholastic.co.uk/brindishe-manor/digital-book-club>

Please place your orders online by 31st October 2020.

COVID-19 update



PLEASE NOTE:

- We **encourage** all adults who are dropping off and collecting children from school to wear a **face mask/covering**.
- We also remind all adults to adhere to **social distancing** when waiting outside school and when on school premises.
- Please **exit the school premises quickly** and do not wait outside of school for other parents and carers.

Other Messages

Mobile phones...

Please be reminded that mobile phones should not be used in the playground when you are dropping off or collecting children.



Contact details...

Usually, at this time of year, we would send you a form for you to check your contact details and let us know if there have been any changes e.g. changed phone number. This year, please could you check your details on Arbor yourself and amend as necessary. If you have moved house, you will need to change this on Arbor and then send a proof of address to info@brindishemanor.lewisham.sch.uk. We will then be able to approve the changes. If your child has a medical need or allergy, we would also need you to email a copy of the letter from the doctor so that we can approve this change. This also applies if your child used to have an allergy and now no longer does. Please contact the office if you have any questions.

Wishing you all a lovely weekend,
Kate Porter and the Brindishe Team



FOOTBALL - MULTISPORTS - DANCE



Join the Sportacus team for a spooktacular programme of activities this October half term. As always, we will be offering our 3 popular camp options of Football, Multisports and Dance & Theatre for your children to enjoy.

Just like our very popular summer programme, we will be operating in an environment where your childrens safety our top priority, therefore will have limited bubble sizes, be practicing social distancing, encouraging regular handwashing and using seperate areas to ensure we keep risks to a minimum. Sanitiser will also readily available and all equipment, toilets and other heavily used areas & surfaces will be washed regulary to ensure we are operating in the cleanest setting possible.

AGES
4-12

Managing Director
Harry Harding

9:30-3:30
Every Day

LOCATIONS

GREEN STREET GREEN SCHOOL, VINE ROAD, ORPINGTON , KENT BR6 6DT

BRINDISHE GREEN SCHOOL, BEACON ROAD, HITHER GREEN, LONDON SE13 6EH

DATES

WEEK 1: Mon 19th - Fri 23rd Oct (Green St Green Only)

WEEK 2: Mon 26th - Fri 30th Oct (Green St Green & Brindishe Green)

PRICES

FULL WEEK BOOKING £90
INDIVIDUAL DAY BOOKING £25

Online booking fee applies

10% OFF any
full week booking
of 2 or more
use: SIBLING10

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on Thursdays &
Fridays only!

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