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# Belleville News

26 June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

Well, that was a warm week but we made it through! We have stayed open, because our starting position, in all eventualities, is always to keep the school open. We do this because we want the children in school and learning, and we also stay open because we know how difficult it is for families to find childcare provision for their children at very short notice.

To do this is of course, is a challenge in the sort of extreme heat that we have experienced this week, so I'd like to thank all the children and staff for making it work and I hope everyone has a relaxing, and cooler, weekend.

**John Budden**
Executive Headteacher

**Mary-Lyne Latour**
Headteacher

## Important Dates

**Year 4 WCET Festival Concerts – Brass instruments for 4T, 4B, 4H and 4SF** – Monday 29 June, 11.30am, All Saints Church, Tooting, Brudenell Rd, SW17 8DQ. **String/Woodwind instruments for 4T, 4B, 4H and 4SF** and the **School Orchestra** – Monday 29 June, 2.30pm, All Saints Church, Tooting, Brudenell Rd, SW17 8DQ. **4M** – Wednesday 1 July, 11.30pm. Holy Trinity Church, Ponsonby Road, Roehampton, SW15 4LA.
**Belleville PTA Lost Property Collection** – Friday 3 July, at morning drop-off for Webb's Road site.
**Belleville PTA Summer Fair** – Saturday 4 July, 12 noon – 3pm, Webb's Road.
**Year 1 & Year 2 Sports Day** - **Monday 6 July at 9.30am-11.30am**, Clapham Common. **New date/time.**
**Reception Sports Day** – Monday 6 July, 1.30pm-3pm, Clapham Common.
**Nursery Sports Day** – Monday 6 July, 1pm-1.30pm, Clapham Common.
**Nursery Parent/Carer evenings** – Monday 6 to Thursday 9 July, sign up details to follow.
**Year 5 Concert for 5K, 5N, and 5O**– Tuesday 7 July, 2.20pm, Webb's Road. **Please note changes**.
**Year 3 Concert** – Wednesday 8 July, 2.15pm, Top Playground, Webb's Road.
**Year 4 End of Term Performance –** Thursday 9 July, 2.15pm, Top Playground, Webb's Road
**Year 5 Concert for 5S and 5T** – Friday 10 July, 2.20pm, Meteor Street. **Please note changes**.
**Parent/Carer Evenings (Reception to Year 6)** – Monday 13 and Tuesday 14 July. (**1H** will take place on Tuesday 14 July and Wednesday 15 July.) Booking details to follow.
**Year 2 Concert** – Monday 13 July, 2.15pm, Top playground, Webb's Road.
**Year 1 Concert –** Tuesday 14 July, 2.15pm, Top playground, Webb's Road.
**Last Day of Summer Term 2** – Friday 17 July, with earlier finish times. Years 1–6 2.20pm, Reception 2.25pm, Nursery Red 2.30pm. **Belleville Beehive Wraparound closes at 5.30pm on the last day of term.**

**Term dates for the 2026-27 academic year are on our website.**

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## First Mathematics Challenge 2026

The First Mathematics Challenge 2026 encourages pupils to apply their mathematical reasoning and problem-solving skills in new and exciting ways. We were delighted to see so many pupils rise to the challenge and demonstrate such perseverance.

Congratulations to all our Year 4 pupils who took part in this year's competition. We are incredibly proud of their enthusiasm and mathematical thinking as they tackled a range of challenging problems. A special congratulations goes to Julian L., who achieved the highest score in the school. We would also like to recognise Zoe A. and Rishi, who shared second place with excellent performances. Well done to all the participants for representing Belleville so positively and for embracing the opportunity.

## Leaving Belleville?

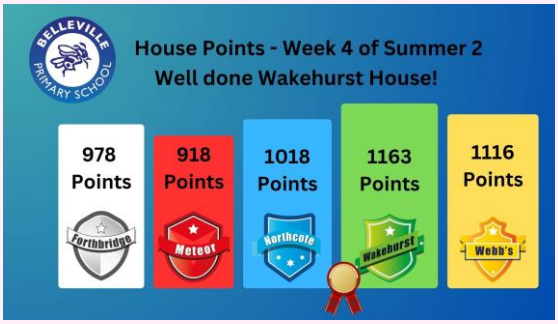
If your child is currently in Reception to Year 5 and you are planning to leave Belleville at the end of this academic year as you are moving home, etc, please come and speak to us about your plans or email Maria Petrou, our Admissions Officer, on admissions@belleville.q1e.org.uk You will also need to complete a Leaver's Form. These are available from the School Office at both sites.

We have children on the waiting list hoping for a place at Belleville from September 2027 and we would like to let their families know whether there is a place available before the summer break. Please note, you do not need to let us know if your child is leaving at the end of Nursery or Year 6.

## SEND Resources

Wandsworth Family Information Service has many resources available to help support families with children with SEND.

To join Belleville's SEND parent-run WhatsApp group, please scan the QR code.




## School Attendance

We would like to remind all parents/carers that holidays are expected to be taken during the school holidays and not during term time.

**Any holidays taken during term time are not allowed and will be classified as unauthorised absence.** For further information, please visit our website. Thank you for your co-operation.

If you are worried about something or if you are worried about someone else, you can talk to ANYONE who works for the school. **Safeguarding is the responsibility of EVERYONE.** Childline: 0800 1111

**Follow us on social:** @belleville_school @belleville-primary-school

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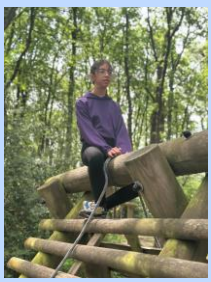
## Year 6 Update

Year 6 are fast approaching the end of their time at Belleville and there is a real sense of excitement as we look ahead to the final weeks of primary school. It has been wonderful to see them continuing to demonstrate maturity, resilience and enthusiasm as they make the most of every opportunity. Here are some of the highlights from this half term and a look ahead to the exciting events still to come.

A particular highlight was our residential trip to PGL Marchant's Hill last week. The children embraced every challenge with determination and courage, stepping well outside their comfort zones and supporting one another. Whether they were screaming with excitement on the Giant Swing, taking a leap of faith on the Trapeze, or working together during team-building and problem-solving activities, the children showed fantastic perseverance and teamwork. It was a pleasure to see friendships strengthen and new friendships form as they shared these memorable experiences together.



There is still plenty to look forward to as we approach the end of the year. The children are already beginning preparations for their Leavers' Assembly, which promises to be a special opportunity to reflect on their time at Belleville and celebrate their achievements. We also have the much-anticipated Leavers' Disco and a local study trip later this term. Further information to follow soon.

As the children enter their final weeks at Belleville, we hope they continue to approach every opportunity with positivity, confidence and a willingness to give their best. We are incredibly proud of all they have achieved and look forward to celebrating this important milestone with them.

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## Reception visit the Horniman Museum

Some of our Reception classes have gone on their school trip to the Horniman Museum this week. As part of their topic on the 'Big Wide World', the children took part in a mini beast workshop, visited the aquarium and went into 'Voyage to the Deep.'

We stayed cool by drinking lots of water and finding shade!
The other Reception classes will be visiting next week.

## Wraparound Care from September

We will be opening bookings for the Autumn 2026 term of wraparound care during the week commencing **Monday 6 July.** If you would like to pay for wraparound care next year with **Childcare Vouchers or Tax-Free Childcare,** or if you are now **in receipt of Universal Credit or require assistance with payment schedules,** it is important that you **complete this short form** to let us know by **Wednesday 1 July.**

**If you have already been paying with Childcare Vouchers, Tax Free Childcare or had a payment plan during this current academic year, you do not need to do anything, it will carry over to next year.**

## Belleville PTA

**Summer Fair – Saturday 4 July, 12 noon – 3pm, Webb's Road**

Join us for the Belleville PTA summer fair on Saturday 4 July at Webb's Road. Games, music, food, drink and a bouncy slide. Thanks as always to our amazing sponsors Rampton Baseley for making events like this possible.

There will also be a pre-loved uniform sale available at the fair.

Free entry, tokens for the stalls. Everybody welcome!

We are still looking for donations for a number of stalls. If you can help, please see the Classlist posts for what is needed and drop any donations off at the School Offices marked for the attention of the class running the stall. Thank you for your support.

**Summer Fair Raffle**

There will also be a raffle taking place at the fair with loads of amazing prizes to be won. Tickets are £2 each and you can buy them in advance via the PTA website here or on the day.