Bounds Green School Newsletter

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17th June 2025

A Message from Bounds Green

A Message from Nadine

Staff and children at Bounds Green are getting very excited about our end of term events. This Saturday will be our school's PTA Summer Fair from 1-4pm. This family-friendly community event features fantastic food, exciting activities, varied shopping and the chance to socialise with other Bounds Green families. Please come along to have fun and raise money for our school! Thank you to our PTA for all their efforts.

Our Sports Day will take place on 27th June at Tambo Rec with year 1 to 3 in the morning and Years 4 to 6 in the afternoon (Nursery and Reception Sports day will be 2nd July AM). It will be a very active day for the children with everyone participating for the whole session and the opportunity for those who would like to race in sprints at the end. We are looking for parent/carer volunteers to help the day run smoothly. Please use this link for the online form if you can help-https://forms.office.com/e/K2sdBKrrEQ

Our Year 1 children completed national Phonics Checks and our Year 4 children completed online Multiplication Table Checks last week. We will share the results with you are the end of the year. Our Year 6 children are now are now writing and rehearsing the end of Year 6 show which will be treat for all! Nominations for Parent Governors close yesterday and we have had two nominations so please look out for elections for this role. I am very grateful to have interest in this role from two parents who are willing to give their time to the strategic leadership of the school, and who have many skills to offer to Bounds Green School.

We have exciting trips coming up for Year 5- they went to Laurel Park for a taster day for secondary school life, Year 3 went to the Science Museum. Some of our Year 6 children continue to enjoy top-up swimming sessions to ensure that they are able to swim 25 metres before they move to secondary school.

We are running a project to make Bounds Green children's breaktimes and lunchtimes even better! Helen and Lydia have been providing larger play equipment for our older children and we are all very much enjoying watching the children's creativity and collaboration in using community blocks and car tyres.



Nut-Free School

Please remember that we are a nut-free school, this includes After School Club. Please don't pack an After School Club snack for your child that includes nuts, such as; peanut butter sandwiches, granola bars (as many also contain nuts), etc.

School Payments

As an on-going reminder we'd like to make sure parents and carers keep up to date with their school payments. You can make payment via School Gateway using your mobile and email address. If you are having any troubles with creating an account or logging in, please make sure that the office has the most up-to-date information for you.

Reporting Absences and Late Collections

If you need to report your child absent for any reason (sickness, appointment, etc) then please make sure you do this through the voicemail service on the phone, or through a text on School Gateway. Please don't email the admin email address as this is not continually monitored, especially during busy periods so may not be seen until later in the day.

For any late collections or if someone different is collecting, please also call directly to the office with as much notice as possible so that it can be passed onto the teacher





Please support our school safety measure:

A polite reminder that appointments to meet with class teachers must be arranged through the school office please. Please do not enter school to find a teacher at the beginning or end of the day, unless you are directed by a member of the Office Team. Please also remember that school staff are here to help you and your child - we ask that you approach staff with respect.

Thank you for all of your support for Bounds Green!

Footwear Reminder: No Flip-Flops, Only Sandals with Straps!

As we start enjoying the warmer weather, we'd like to remind everyone that flip-flops are not allowed in school. They don't give enough support and can be tricky to walk in, which might lead to trips or slips—especially when you're playing outside at break time. If you'd

like to wear summer shoes, please choose sandals that cover your foot properly or have support around the ankle. Sandals must have straps to keep them safely on your feet. Let's all stay safe and comfortable while enjoying the warmer weather.



Classroom Essentials Reminder:

A gentle reminder: There is no need for children to bring pencil cases to school, as all the necessary learning materials will be provided in class. We kindly ask that toys and lip glosses are left at home, as they can be a distraction during the school day. Thank you very much for your understanding and support in helping us maintain a calm and focused learning environment for everyone.



Sustainable Haringey News- June 2025

Please click on link to see more news and events:

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Children's absence/signing Children in/out:

Please remember that if your child has had or needs to have any time off, or if there are any planned absences (such as holidays), it is important to communicate this directly with the school office. Kindly **do not** inform the teacher about these absences. The office needs to have accurate records for our attendance system, and will inform your child's teacher for you.

Additionally, if your child arrives late due to an appointment or other reasons, please ensure that they are signed in at the office. If you need to collect your child early (e.g., for an appointment or because they have been unwell), please sign them out at the office as well.

These procedures are in place to ensure we have accurate information for safety purposes, especially in the event of an emergency or fire alarm.



Attendance and Punctuality

For more information about Children's attendance and punctuality at school, please see this information on our School's website, please see link below:

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Year 5 Visit Southgate Fire Station

Last month, Year 5 followed up their in-school fire safety workshop—led by the London Fire Brigade—with an exciting visit to Southgate Fire Station. The children were thrilled to dress up in firefighter gear, climb into the fire engine, and have a go at using the powerful hose to spray water in the station yard. While one class had their visit cut short due to the crew receiving an emergency call, this gave the pupils a unique opportunity to witness the firefighters respond swiftly to a real-life situation. The visit was an engaging and memorable experience, and the firefighters were incredibly friendly and welcoming, going out of their way to share their knowledge and enthusiasm.







Your

own

bags

Donate your old clothes for a good cause

We are delighted to announce that Bound Green School is holding a collection with Bag 2 School!



Bag2School is a company that specializes in the reuse and recycling of good quality second-hand clothing and we have arranged to make a collection from Bounds Green

on **Friday 27**th **June 2025**.

All the bags will be weighed and the school will be paid for the total weight collected. Remember- the more we collect, the greater the benefit to our school! Please use your own bags or Bag2School bags, there is no limit. Please bring all your bags to the area opposite to

the bike shed (right side of the main gate) from Wednesday 25rd June to Friday 27th June by 9am and help us have an amazing collection.

We are collecting good quality items for reuse:

Mens', ladies, children's & babies' clothes, paired shoes, belts & accessories.

(No uniforms, workwear, pillows, duvets or pieces of fabric please)





Important Dates

Dates for your Diary

Below are important dates of which you should be aware. Wherever there is a new addition, it will be printed in **bold** so that it stands out. In the case of Educational Visits, we aim to give as much notice as possible, however, please be mindful that occasionally last minute, educationally enriching opportunities arise whichare considered too good an opportunity to pass up. Please look at this section of the newsletter every week as there are sometimes unavoidable changes to dates that you will need to take note of.

Important Note on Dates:

We aim to provide parents with advance notice of important dates; however, due to various factors, sometimes these dates may need to be adjusted. For many of our performances, we work with external teachers who have other commitments, and we also need to balance performances across the school. We appreciate your understanding and flexibility if any changes occur.

Any changes will be highlighted yellow for attention:

June 2025

- 17.06.25-Year 5 trip to Laurel Park School
- 17.06.25-Year 3 Trip to Science Museum
- 19.06.25-Year 6 trip to The Tower of London
- 21.06.25 Summer fair (more details to follow)
- 27.06.25 Sports day Y1-3 Am and Y4-6 PM (email sent out Friday)
- 30.06.25-Nursery Drama/Dance performance at 2.15pm

July 2025

- 02.07.25-Nursery & Reception Sports day- 9.30-10.30am
- 03.07.25- Nursery Drama/Dance Performance at 9.15am (Repeat performance)
- 04.07.25 INSET Day (school closed to all children)
- 07.07.25 -Final WCIT performance for Yr4&5 Guitar's continuers 2.45pm
- 09.07.25- Final WCIT performance for Yr4&5 Violins continuers 2.45pm
- 10.07.25-WCIT and Trumpets performance 9.15am (Junior lower hall)
- 11.07.25-Yr 3,4,5 and 6 Choir summer performance 4.00pm (Junior lower hall)
- 15.07.25-Year 6 Show (more details will be emailed)
- Year 6 Spanish Picnic (email sent to parents Friday)
- 17.07.25-Year 2 end of year performance (more details to be emailed out)
- 22.07.25 Last Day of School (Finish school normal time)

Week Beginning 19/05/2025		
Attendance Winners for Yr1-2 Percentage of attendance	Regents Park	98%
Attendance Winners for Yr3-4 Percentage of attendance	Putney Bridge & Russell Square	98.3%
Attendance Winners for Yr5-6 Percentage of attendance	Kew Gardens	97.1%
Week Beginning 02/06/2025		
Attendance Winners for Yr1-2 Percentage of attendance	Swiss Cottage	93.3%
Attendance Winners for Yr3-4 Percentage of attendance	Redbridge	97.9%
Attendance Winners for Yr5-6 Percentage of attendance	Earls Court	95.7%





