

**Belleville Wix Academy, Wix's Lane, Clapham Common North Side, London , SW4 0AJ**

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| Image result for summer solstice clip artToday we should enjoy 16 hours and 38 minutes of daylight as it is the longest day of the year in the northern hemisphere. We haven’t seen too much of the sun recently so let’s hope that the summer solstice brings our long awaited summer weather! For friends and relatives that reside on the other side of the world, in the Southern Hemisphere, they will experience the shortest day of the year and have the least hours of sunlight today.  Image result for playing together clipart**Playtimes** In the last few weeks the children have been enjoying playing with the new equipment that has been purchased to enhance their lunch playtimes. It has been a joy to see the children playing so nicely together.  **Related imageFather’s Day Reading** On Monday we started the week with a lovely day of reading with fathers and father figures. Thank you to everyone who took time out of their busy day to drop everything and read. We loved having you in school and we hope you enjoyed the special time with the children.  **Yr 5B ICT** 5B enjoyed an ICT Morning creating a short film about world locational knowledge using Imovie and green screen technology. The children created every part of their films and were immensely proud of their creations.  **Yr 6 ICT** Year 6 had a fantastic ICT day this week. They were able to create short films using Imovie all about World War II. They also created their own games in pairs. It was brilliant to see them working well together and being so creative.  Related image**Year 5 Assembly** Year 5 parents and carers were dazzled this week during the class assembly. We were treated to a reenactment of the Battle of Troy; a gallery of art and a song, written by Mr Gale himself, detailing what the class had learnt this year. Great job Year 5!  Image result for african masks clip art**Reception masks** Pupils in Reception were very creative designing and making their own African clay masks. They learnt that the traditional masks were used in celebrations and to scare unwanted visitors away.  Image result for clean air day  clip art**Clean Air day** Thursday marked Clean Air day. Some of you may have received information in leaflets being handed out about how we can work together to improve the air quality in Wandsworth. I have also attached the link for further information.  <http://www.wandsworth.gov.uk/news/article/15094/be_part_of_clean_air_day>.  Looking after our amazing world is certainly something I am looking forward to working on with our pupils in the coming months. We have some amazing children who have fabulous ideas that I want to make a reality.  Image result for clip art summer fair**Summer Fair** Next Sunday, the Wix’s Summer Fair, organized by the French PTA’s, will run from 11am through to 3pm. We hope you will join us at the event. Please see the back of the newsletter for the information.    Image result for parent teacher meeting clipart**Parent Teacher Meetings** On Thursday 11th July we will host the English Stream Parent Teacher meetings. A letter was sent home, earlier this week, inviting you to this event. I sincerely apologise for the incorrect date on this letter and would like to confirm the date is Thursday 11th July, as advertised in this newsletter for some time now. Remember, Bilingual stream meetings will be held on the 9th and 11th July.  Wishing you a wonderful weekend.  Séana Henry |

**Key Dates**

26th June - 2nd July – Book Fair

9th July – RB, 3B and 6B Parent/Teacher meetings

10th July - Sports Day

11th July – English Stream, 1B, 2B, 4B & 5B Parent/Teacher meetings

17th July – Nursery Graduation

18th July – Y6 end of year production.

**End of School Year 2018/2019**

18th July – Bilingual Stream finish

23rd July – English Stream finish

**Start of School Year 2019/2020**

Wed 4th Sept – English Stream

Thurs 5th September – Bilingual Stream

**Excellent Learners-like a challenge**

Congratulations to:

1B – Zachary

Y1 – Maeson

2B – Olivia

Y2 – Sienna

3B – Sam

Y3 – Harry

4B – Oscar G.

Y4 – Nicol

5B – Chloe

Y5 – Kayla

6B – Alix

Y6 – Khalisah

**Weekly Attendance**

95% Target

Nursery – 92.1% 

RB – 96.4% 

RF – 97.8% 

RM – 96.1% 

1B – 97.9% 

Y1 – 86.7% 

2B – 99.3% 

Y2 – 92.2% 

3B – 98.6% 

Y3 – 91.2% 

4B – 100% 

Y4 – 98.1% 

5B – 99.0% 

Y5 – 94.3% 

6B – 99.0% 

Y6 – 94.8% 

**‘We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors, we borrow it from our children’ - Native American 14th June 2019**