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BWA Newsletter

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

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As we come to the end of the Spring Term, I would like to take a moment to thank you all for your continued encouragement, support, and constructive challenge. Your partnership with the school is invaluable, and it makes a real difference to the experiences and outcomes of our children.

I would also like to extend my sincere thanks to our dedicated staff for their hard work, commitment, and care throughout the term. They go above and beyond every day to ensure the very best for all pupils in our care, every day.

A special thank you must also go to our PTA for the wonderful events they have organised for us all to enjoy. These occasions bring our community together and create lasting memories for our children. We truly appreciate your support of these events.

It was a pleasure to end the term with our Spring Celebration Assembly this morning. As ever, it was an absolute privilege to recognise our Headteacher Award winners and to celebrate those pupils with excellent attendance. We are incredibly proud of all their achievements.

I would like to wish all our pupils and families a very happy and restful Easter break. We look forward to welcoming everyone back for the Summer Term. Please make a note that the English stream return on Tuesday 14th April and Bilingual Stream on Monday 13th April.

With my very best wishes,

Séana Henry

Headteacher

Important dates:

School Holidays – Saturday 28 March – Sunday 12 April

English Stream Inset Day – Monday 13 April

Bank Holiday – Monday 4 May. School closed.

Full term dates for both streams are [available on our website](#).

Important information:

- Please ensure your child has **suitable clothing in school**. We have PE and play outside in all weathers.
- Please remember that we are a **Nut Free School**.
- Our [communication table](#) should help with any queries you have.

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Our Week – Early Years and Key Stage 1

Nursery have had a great week, getting excited for Easter. The children have done some lovely mark making and writing across the week's activities with name writing in their 'spring gardening' tray, letter formation practice with oil pastels and messages to their family on drawings.

This week **Reception** had a fun trip to the Polka Theatre to watch Cinderella and the Ice Cream Seller. The children also had a visit from the Easter Bunny, who left them the ingredients to make yummy chocolate nests!

RB also went to the Polka Theatre in Wimbledon for their school trip to watch Cinderella the Ice Cream Seller. It was very exciting for the children as they got to take the bus with RM to the theatre. The show was amazing with beautiful singing, great acting, and brilliant costumes. The children were able to get involved as well and the show linked to their Traditional Tales topic this term.



This week **Year 1** have really enjoyed their fractions unit, focusing on halves and quarters. The children have had great fun thinking about how to group and share different amounts using examples such as pizzas and cakes. They have learned about how many quarters make a whole, how many halves are in a whole, and how to identify one quarter of an amount as well as half of an amount.

SWLSTG Education Wellbeing Service offers free webinars across the year to support your child's wellbeing and mental health. Their next Early Years webinars are on **Managing big feelings in small people** on [20th April, 8pm](#) and [24th April, 12pm](#). For Primary, they are on **Encouraging Healthy Habits in Children with Autism**, [29th April, 12pm](#), **Supporting Primary Children with Toileting Problems** on [11th May, 7pm](#) and [12th May, 1.30pm](#), and **Understanding and Managing Screen Time for Primary Children** on [10th June, 7pm](#) and [11th June, 1pm](#).



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Our Week – Key Stage 2

This week in **4B**, the pupils explored the fascinating world of Viking laws. They learned how Viking communities kept order using assemblies where a speaker would present cases, witnesses would share evidence, and decisions were made collectively. The children enjoyed stepping into these roles and acting out how disputes might have been resolved long ago. A brilliant week of history brought to life!

On Tuesday, **Year 5** took a trip to Fairfield Halls to perform as part of the primary choir, organised by Wandsworth Music. Pupils had been practising with dedication and enthusiasm for many weeks, and their hard work truly paid off. They sang beautifully throughout the performance, with confidence and smiles on their faces, making it a memorable and proud moment for everyone involved.

School Council

The School Council had a fantastic time on Friday judging the Easter Bonnet Parade. There was an amazing variety of creative designs, from bright spring flowers to fun and imaginative themes, and it was clear that a lot of effort had gone into each bonnet.

Council members carefully considered originality, colour, and overall presentation before making their decisions. It was not an easy task, as every entry was so impressive! Well done to everyone who took part, and a big congratulations to our winners. The School Council would like to thank all pupils and families for their enthusiasm and support in making the event such a joyful celebration.

Sports Update

Last week, Year 6B had an exciting visit from a dance company who delivered an engaging African dance workshop. The children had great fun learning new moves, and rhythms, while also developing their confidence and teamwork skills. It was a fantastic educational experience that brought learning to life in a lively and memorable way. We are pleased to share that the dance company will be returning soon to work with Year 4, who are sure to enjoy the experience just as much!



ADHD Parenting Course

Want to understand more about ADHD and the reasons behind your child's behaviour? Taking place over 4 weeks, with discussions based around real-life scenarios, each 2-hour session will support you to meet the daily challenges using practical and proven strategies. The course runs on Fridays, from 1 – 22 May, 10am to 12pm, at the Henry Prince Club Room, Garratt Lane, Prince Henry Estate, Earlsfield, SW18 4UN. To find out more or book your space, please [visit this website](#).

