



9th June 2023

Dates for your diary:

Wednesday 14th June

• NEW: Class photos taken - sheet with QR code to purchase will come home with children

Thursday 15th June

• **Reminder:** Football team open trials for boys in Years 4 and 5 start, every Thursday at 8am until the end of term

Thursday 22nd and Friday 23rd June

• Year 4 residential to Fryland's Wood

Friday 30th June

• Sports day, 9 – 11 am, for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2

Monday 3rd – Friday 7th July

• Update: Culture Celebration Week - see separate email sent today

Saturday 8th July

• PTA Summer Fair

Monday 10th July

• Nursery sports day, 9.30 – 10.00am

Tuesday 11th July

• Welcome picnic for families starting in Nursery and Reception in September 2023

Wednesday 12th and Thursday 13th July

• Parent/Carer evenings

Thursday 13th July

• Nursery sports day, 1.30 – 2.00pm

Friday 14th July

• Sports day, 9 – 11am, for Year 3, Year 4, Year 5, Year 6

Wednesday 19th July

• Year 6 production performances at 2pm and 7pm, Main Hall

Friday 21st July

• Last day of school year

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to the final half term of the 2022/23 academic year. I hope you all had a good holiday and we have had a busy week with launching new topics and books, trips out and the Early Years 2023 welcome meeting last night. Thank you to all of you who completed the short surveys sent out two weeks ago – this is a useful way of exploring themes that have come up from some parents as widely as possible. It was clear from the survey that there is sufficient demand for holiday childcare that we should continue to pursue this – this will not start in summer 2023 as we will be having significant works on the boundary fences and gates taking place over the holidays. The surveys also showed us that the potential advantages, so we will not pursue this further. Thank you for your feedback on behaviour policy, homework and reading – all of the trends were shared with staff on INSET day and we are working on improving these parts of our provision for next academic year. As always, if you have concerns or ideas, you can let us know at any time!

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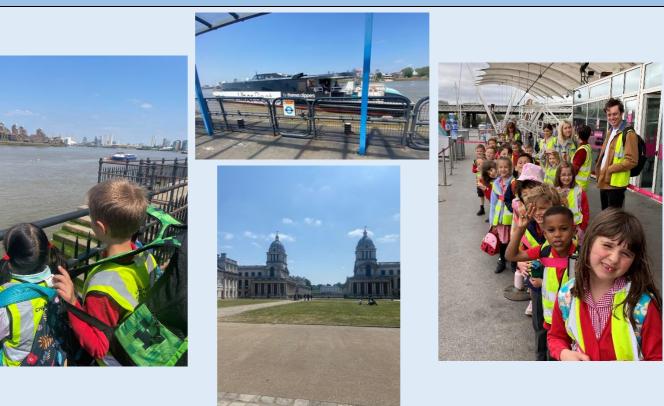
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Choir Perform at Penge Festival



The Churchfields Choirs took centre stage at the Penge Festival last weekend. They performed with energy to a large crowd – it was a little bit nerve-wracking but a great experience. We are very proud of you for representing our school so brilliantly! Thank you to Miss Tarbuck and Miss McBain for your support.

Year 2 Cruise the River Thames



Year 2 went cruising down the river this week to learn more about London and see all of the landmarks from a unique perspective. They had a great time and thank you to the staff and parent/carer volunteers for making this experience happen.



Year 3 Visit the Theatre

Yesterday, Year 3 travelled up to the Unicorn Theatre to watch their production of 'The Invisible Man'. The show was really fun and enjoyable with great acting and clever special effects. It was really good the way we in the audience got to join in interactively. Afterwards we had a sunny picnic by the Tower of London.

Thank you to all of the parents and carers who offered to help out.

Sophia and Rose, Year 3











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We are Leaders



One of our new leaders heading out to run his Lego club at lunchtime.

All the children can be leaders by showing they can:

- Lead by example
- Be trustworthy
- Communicate well
- Act responsibly

It's never too early to start!

Football Success



Reggie in Year 2 has proudly shared his football trophy with us. His team came second out of over 500 teams – an amazing achievement!

Churchfields Football Teams – Training, Fixtures and Trials

Boys' Teams	Girls' Team	Open Trials for 2023/24 Football Teams	
Training:No more trainingsessions – see trials for2023/24 on the rightMatches:Thursday 15th JuneB Team vs Marian Vianat Churchfields,1.20pm startThursday 22nd JuneA and B Teams vsMarian Vian atChurchfields, 1.20pmstart	Training: Thursday 15 th June Thursday 22 nd June <u>Matches:</u> <u>Thursday 15th June</u> Girls' Team vs Marian Vian at Churchfields, 1.20pm start	Boys in Year 4 and 5 8am on the field until the start of day, on: - Thursday 15 th June - Thursday 22 nd June - Thursday 29 th June - Thursday 6 th July - Thursday 13 th July - Thursday 20 th July	<u>Girls in Year 3, 4 and 5</u> 8am on the field until the start of day, on: - Thursday 29 th June - Thursday 6 th July - Thursday 13 th July - Thursday 20 th July
<u>Monday 17th July</u> Tournament at the Valley for Boys' A, Boys' B and Girls' teams, 12.30pm start			
Parents/Carers of the players are welcome to come and watch the matches		All children in these year groups are welcome to come for the trial sessions	





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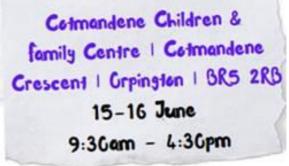
Traveller History Month Exhibition 12-16 June 2023

This exhibition focuses on particular themes, times and places, using a selection of archival materials, photos, newspaper cuttings, and audio recordings of Romany and Irish Travellers who share knowledge and memories, and reflect on Traveller life, past and present.

Highlighting the unique contributions to the capital's social, economic and cultural life.



Bromley Central Library | High Street | BRJ 1EX 12-14 June 9:3Cam - 4:3Cpm





Message from Bromley Council

June is Gypsy, Roma & Traveller History Month

The theme this year is 'Weaving Journeys' and we are looking at the patterns that these communities use as a way of highlighting the distinct diversity of cultures.

We know many people do not have a greater understanding of this community and to help support colleagues and the local community we are hosting an exhibition that highlights some of the history of London's Travellers. To learn more come and pay a visit to either the Central Library [12th-14th June] or Cotmandene Children and Family Centre [15th & 16th June].



We are part of the Penge School Uniform Hub

Penge School Uniform Hub

Save money and the planet: buy preloved uniform!

Sense charity shop, 104 High Street, Penge (next to the Post Office)

General uniform suitable for all schools available, as well as specifics for Alexandra, St John's and Churchfields Schools, with more coming soon!

Open Mon-Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 10am-4pm

Organised by Alexandra Junior School PTFA. For more info, contact: <u>treasurer@ajsptfa.org.uk</u> Supported by Penge BID



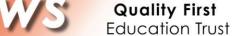
Penge School Uniform Hub!

Pre-loved Churchfields school uniform in sizes age 2 to 15 is now available 7 days a week from the Sense charity shop on Penge High Street.

100s of items in stock - so much it won't all fit on the shop floor, so please ask if you cannot find the size you need. **Dresses**, **skirts**, **trousers**, **shorts**, **jumpers and cardigans all £1**. **Polos shirts 50p**. This new collaboration between Sense Penge and multiple local primary schools means that parents now have a single one-stop-shop to find affordable second-hand school uniform for their primary age children.

All proceeds to the Sense charity.





Class Assembly Dates 2022/23

Class assemblies will be held in the school's Main Hall, starting at 2.45pm.

Summer Term

- 15.06.23 **Reception – Beech**
- 22.06.23 Year 2 – Hickory
- Year 5 Olive 29.06.23

Any good news, something to share or celebrate with the Churchfields community?

Please do email us on admin@churchfields.q1e.org.uk

Term Dates 2022/23

Summer Term 2023

Inset Day: Monday 5 June – school closed to children First day of Summer 2 term: Tuesday 6 June Last day of Summer 2 term: Friday 21 July

Term Dates for 2023/24 on the next page



Our first priority is to ensure all children and adults are safe.

Please do talk to any member of staff if you have any worries for yourself or others in our community.

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Term Dates 2023/24

Autumn Term 2023

- Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September 2023 Wednesday 6th September 2023 Friday 20th October 2023 Monday 23rd to Friday 27th October 2023 Monday 30th October 2023 Tuesday 31st October 2023 Thursday 21st December 2023 Spring Term 2024 Monday 8th January 2024 Tuesday 9th January 2024 Friday 9th February 2024 Monday 12th to Friday 16th February 2024 Monday 19th February 2024 Thursday 28th March 2024 Summer Term 2024 Monday 15th April 2024 Monday 6th May 2024 Friday 24th May 2024
- Monday 27th to Friday 31st May 2024
- Monday 3rd June 2024
- Tuesday 4th June 2024
- Wednesday 24th July 2024

INSET days, school closed to children First day of Autumn 1 term Last day of Autumn 1 term Autumn half term holiday INSET day, school closed to children First day of Autumn 2 term Last day of Autumn 2 term

INSET day, school closed to children First day of Spring 1 term Last day of Spring 1 term Spring half term holiday First day of Spring 2 term Last day of Spring 2 term

First day of Summer 1 term May Bank Holiday, school closed Last day of Summer 1 term Summer half term holiday INSET day, school closed to children First day of Summer 2 term Last day of Summer 2 term