Belmont News

Date:
Friday 8th May 2026

As we move further into the summer term, there is a real sense of excitement and activity across the school. Our Year 6 children are busy preparing for their SATs next week and we would like to wish them all the very best. We know they will approach the tests with confidence, resilience and a positive attitude, giving their very best in everything they do. Whilst SATs are an important milestone, we also recognise that they are only a very small part of each child's learning journey and do not define the many talents, strengths and achievements they have developed during their time at primary school. Our Reception children have also been busy helping to look after our community by taking part in a litter-picking walk around the local area. They showed great enthusiasm and responsibility whilst helping to keep our environment clean and tidy. A huge well done must also go to our boys' football team who were narrowly defeated in the Digger Dane Cup. The team played brilliantly, gave their all and demonstrated excellent sportsmanship throughout. We also have many exciting trips and events planned over the next month and are hoping the weather improves in time for our upcoming Sports Days, details of which were shared with families last week.

Pupil Special Achievements & Awards:

Headteacher Postcard:

Teacher Postcards: Joanna (R) Prabhnoor (Y1) Blake, Mason (Y3) Daisy, Daman, Noah (Y4) Ben, Louie. Kimaya, Harrison (Y5) Quinn, Maya, Poppy, Jeevan, Lucas, Zach, Amelia, Mina, Skyla, Louis, Maisie, Jake, Florence, Seren, Ella, Isabella, Harrison, Skye, Mina, Antonio (Y6) Gormley Class (Y3)

Showing determination in learning: Daisy, Delilah, Tommy (R)

Rugby: Freddie (R) George H, Teddy, Arthur (Y3)

Dance: Jessica, Ariella (Y1) Isabelle (Y3)

Completed London Mini-Marathon: Skye (Y6)

Gymnastics: Ariella (Y1)

Boxing: Luca (Y1)

Top Ten Texts: Arthur (Y3)

Football: Freddie (Y1) Mason, Hugo, Riley, Teddy, Harry (Y3) Joshua (Y4) Elsie-May (Y6)

Badminton: Noah (Y6)

Kick Boxing: Freddie (Y4)

Horse-Riding: Amelia-Rose (Y4)

Outstanding learning on Roman's topic: Bobby, Kirpa, Holly, Amelia-Rose, Millie M, Mason (Y4)

Taekwondo: Ollie (Y4)

TT Rock Star: Blake, Ruby, Dora, Anna, Huge, Esi-Marie, Lola (Y3)

TT Rock Legend: Lyra, Elsie, Riley, Teddy, Sahej, Freddy, Arthur, Erin, Raahat, Ronnie, Jazmin, Harry, Archie, Neve, Ranveer

Pen Licence: Erin, Lyra (Y3) Paige, Renzo (Y4)

Digger Dane Cup Finalists: Harley, Lucas, Austin, Antonio, Alex, Sam, Ryan, Zac (Y6) Samuel, Ozzie (Y5)

Netball League: Maya, Finley, Poppy, Isla, James, Olive-Rose, Jenson, Elsie (Y6) Arabella, Oliver, Darcie, Frankie, Vivienne, Riley, Jasmine (Y5)

Girls Football League 25/26: Maya, Skye, Isabelle, Velencie, Skyla, Isla, Olive-Rose, Summayyah (Y6)

Boys Football League 25/26: Ollive, Jeevan, Lenny, Finley, Gabe, Jake, William, Harrison P, Harrison K, Noah, Fayzen, Damian, Jacob, Jenson (Y6) Khyaan, Archie, Nathan, Teddy, Ben, Jesse, Parker, George, Oliver, Freddie, Charlie, Rehaan (Y5)

Notices:

Parking:

We continue to receive at least a complaint a week from members of our community relating to the parking of parents/carers collecting from school. Please give thought and consideration to where you park and ensure you are doing so courteously without blocking private driveways.

Diary Dates:

Monday 11th to Thursday 14th:
Year 6 SATs week

Tuesday 19th May: Class Photographs

Friday 22nd May: Year 6 trip to The Globe

Friday 22nd May: last day of summer term 1

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Community Links & News:

Words First Parent Workshops

The Trust continues to work collaboratively with Words First Therapy to offer workshops to parents. The next workshop will be:

Building Independence: Everyday Skills and Preparing for the Future (Words First Occupational Therapist & Educational Psychologist)

On: Friday 15th May 2026

Time: 12:00 – 1:00pm

To access the workshop, please click on the link below:

https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/31422588639115?p=USn607hnTvQnZKbOQM

Attendance and Punctuality:

School attendance is mandatory for all pupils.

This year we continue to have high attendance aspirations for all pupils and have set our whole school attendance target at 95.5%.

Attendance this week: our attendance this week was 93% which is below national and below our target. Picasso class had the best attendance with 98.9% well done Picasso Class.

Week ending 01/05: our attendance was 94.9% which is below national and below our target. Seurat class had the best attendance with 99.6% well done Seurat class.

We continue to strive to improve attendance and our parent meetings will continue in summer term to discuss attendance that falls significantly below expectation. Attendance remains an area of focus to ensure that we are meeting national expectations as much as possible.

Parents are reminded; term time holidays are not authorised and will result in a fine.