



Barley Lane Newsletter

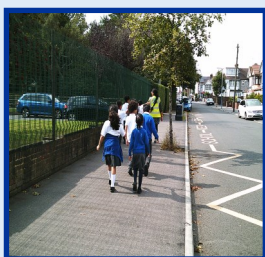
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“Believe in yourself, Learn together, Persevere and Succeed”

Pedestrian Training - Year 4



This week, Year 4 took part in Pedestrian Training and were impeccably behaved throughout. They were taken around the perimeter of the school and provided key reminders about stopping, looking and listening before crossing the road; the safest place to walk on the pavement and the importance of being aware of their surroundings. The children answered the questions brilliantly and showed maturity with their road safety knowledge. With Barley Lane being such a busy road, the messages were extremely important for the Year 4 children and an important reminder for everyone else in the school too.



Gate Opening Times

Our school day starts at 8:55am. A reminder that the school gates open just before 8.45am and children are able to go into class from 8.45am until 8.55am. After this time, they will be deemed late and will need to book in via the school office. The gates will open just before 3:30 at the end of the school day. Children are dismissed from class at 3.30pm.

Breakfast & After School Club

Shine Club is now up and running with the children enjoying all the activities on offer. There are spaces available so if you would like a place for your child please book directly.



Visit [Shine Clubs - Barley Lane](#) for more information and to book your child's place.

REDBRIDGE FABULA FESTIVAL

A celebration of arts and libraries!

Friday 1 October -
Saturday 9 October*

Join in the fun at your local library

*Kids take over Redbridge Central Library
Certain age restrictions apply on some activities.

For locations, further information & bookings visit
www.visionrcl.org.uk/fabula

LibrariesWeek

Illegal Parking

Please be considerate when parking your car around the school and surrounding roads. We have had a number of complaints about parents parking illegally and being abusive when challenged. **Please do not park on the yellow zig zag lines, in disabled bays and over residents' driveways.**



Library Reopening

Our Junior Library will reopen in the coming weeks. If you have any Barley Lane Library books at home we would be very grateful if you could return them as soon as possible. We also welcome donations of books which are in good condition.



Key Dates For Your Diary

October

- 4th Reception Curriculum Meeting 4pm
4th-8th Harvest Festival Donations Collection
5th Nursery Curriculum Meeting 4pm
14th Year 6 Secondary Transfer Meeting 4pm
21st Parent Consultations (*half day for children*)

25th-29th Half Term

November

- 8th & 9th Flu Vaccinations Reception– Year 6

December

21st-4th Jan School Closed

January

- 5th Start of Spring Term
6th Year 4 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
10th Year 3 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
11th Year 5 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
13th Year 1 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
17th Year 6 parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
18th Year 2 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm

February

14th-18th Half Term

March

- 17th Parent Consultations (*half day for children*)

April

4th-19th Spring Holiday School Closed

- 19th INSET Day
21st Year 4 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
25th Year 1 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
26th Year 5 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
28th Year 6 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm
29th Year 3 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm

May

- 2nd Bank Holiday School Closed
3rd Year 2 Parent Curriculum Meeting 4pm

30th-3rd June Half Term

July

- 14th Parents Open Evening
22nd Last day Of term

Term dates can be found here
Updated Event Calendar can be found here

Secondary Transfer Information Meeting for Year 6 parents: October 14th at 4pm via zoom. Details will be emailed in advance.

REDBRIDGE BIG BULB GIVEAWAY

Get free spring flowering bulbs for your community and
Join the borough-wide Planting Weekend between
15-17 October.

Open to: community groups residents gardening clubs schools

OUR STREETS
Help us create great streets and neighbourhoods

London Borough of
Redbridge



Parent Governor Election

We have [written to parents with election details](#); the deadline for nominations is 29th September.

Parent Curriculum Meetings

Thank you to the parents and carers who have joined our zoom sessions; we hope you have found them informative and enjoyable. Powerpoints from the sessions will be [uploaded](#) by Monday.

The remaining sessions are:
Reception - Monday 4th October
Nursery - Tuesday 5th October

A reminder of zoom meeting details will be sent by email in due course.

Guinea Pigs - Help Needed!

We are very soon going to be adding to the Barley Lane family with two guinea pigs, so if you are an experienced guinea pig owner we need your help! If you would be able to look after them during weekends and holidays please speak to Mrs Rogers or leave your details at the school office. All food and equipment will be provided!



Harvest Festival

We will be celebrating Harvest Festival this year between 4th-8th October with assemblies and lessons in the classroom. Once again we will be collecting for Redbridge Foodbank, details of what items can be donated to help families in need will be sent nearer the time.

Attendance & New Pupils

Welcome to the following pupils who have recently joined us:

Aaleyah Muntasir Zain Mariyah Noa

Anshumen Syed Jaiden Ajaib

Welcome

Best Attendance 6/09/21

1M - 98% 2B - 99.31% 3A - 98.99%

4C - 99.26% 5T - 100% 6N - 99.33%

Year 6 – Applications to start secondary school Year 7 for September 2022.

This application applies to children with birthdays from 1 September 2010 to 31 August 2011. This application can only be made online. Please ensure you apply for your child's school place by **Sunday 31 October 2021**.

<https://www.redbridge.gov.uk/schools/secondary-school-admissions/>

Please check individual school websites for information about their open evenings.

Apply to start primary school reception for September 2022

This application applies to children with birthdays between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018. This application can only be made online. Please ensure you apply for your child's school place by **Saturday 15 January 2022**.

<https://www.redbridge.gov.uk/schools/primary-school-admissions/>



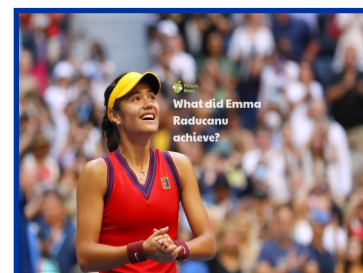
What Did Emma

Raducanu

Achieve?

18-year-old British teenager Emma Raducanu has made history by winning the US Open tennis tournament beating fellow teenager Leylah Fernandez in straight sets in an exciting and tense final in New York. Emma is the youngest British to ever win a Grand Slam tennis tournament and has also become the first British woman to become a singles champion for 44 years!

Things to discuss at home: Why do you think her victory in the tournament surprised many people?



Clubs

Our school clubs are now getting up and running again and we are hoping to add some more in the coming weeks. For school-led clubs please book through the Parents Evening System. Clubs from outside providers such as karate and Bollywood Dance can be booked directly with the provider.

Birthday Treats



A reminder that due to a number of our pupils having allergies, the children are only allowed to bring in Heroes to celebrate birthdays, no cakes please!

Inset Days/Closures

Tuesday 19th April 2022 - INSET

Monday 2nd May 2022 - Bank Holiday

Thursday 21st October - Parent Consultations Half day

Thursday 17th March - Parent Consultations Half day

Flu Vaccinations

Flu vaccinations will be offered to children in Reception – Year 6 on 8th & 9th November. Further details and consent form will be sent home within the next week.

Nut Free School Lunches



Nuts and Peanut butter are not allowed in packed lunches or for snacks. If a child takes nuts in to school, parents will be contacted.

Headteacher's Awards

Isam 5T

Simrat 5K

Mahel 5K

Hashim 5K

Juliet 5J

Atiya 5J

Ilyas 5J

Ryan 6R

