

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back to the summer term. We are now into our second week back, and I hope you all had a restful and enjoyable break. The children have returned with renewed energy and enthusiasm! It has been a pleasure to see calm, purposeful classrooms full of keen learners focused on engaging in their learning. We also hope you found your child's report informative and enjoyed reading about the fantastic progress they have made so far this year.

The children have been particularly busy recently working on their Design and Technology skills, taking part in various cooking sessions. The school has been filled with wonderful aromas as they practice this key life skill!

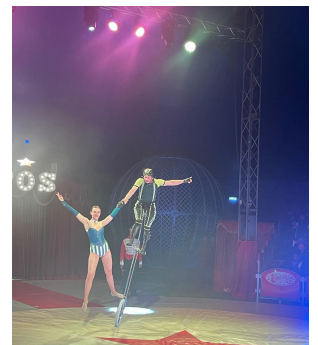
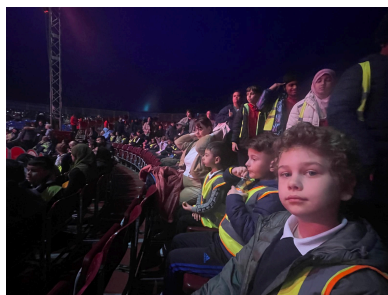
Dates for your Diary Please make a note of our upcoming Parents' Evening dates. These will be held on Wednesday 24th June and Thursday 25th June. We look forward to discussing your child's progress with you then; further details regarding booking slots will follow in due course.

Summer Uniform and Lost Property - As the weather begins to warm up, please ensure that children are dressed in the appropriate summer uniform to keep them cool and protected. We would also like to ask that all items of clothing are clearly labelled with your child's name and year group. We are currently collecting a lot of lost property, which is very difficult to return to the correct child if it isn't marked.

Kind regards,  
Mrs. B. Kettory  
Head of School

## Zippo Circus Visit

Some of our pupils were lucky enough to travel to Central Park recently to experience the magic of Zippos Circus. From the moment the lights dimmed, it was a non-stop parade of thrills and laughter that kept the children on the edge of their seats! They were captivated by the fearless motorbike riders, the incredible skill of the gymnasts, and the impressive stunts on the one-wheeled tricycles. It was an amazing experience for both the children and the staff involved. The children were absolutely buzzing with excitement when they returned to school, and we are sure this is an experience they will cherish and remember for a long time to come.



## Lunch Menus

Please talk through the weekly lunch menu with your child/ren to help them select suitable meal choices.  
(available to view on our school website):

<https://www.northbeckton.newham.sch.uk/page/?title=Lunches%26%23160%3B&pid=51>



## Our 'Thought of the Week'

Doing the honourable thing

Being honest, fair and worthy of respect.  
What is honour and how can we be honourable?



### Key Dates

#### Summer 1

#### Milkshake Morning

Friday 22nd May -  
8:30am start

#### Parents Evening/

#### Artwork Showcase

Wednesday 24th &  
Thursday 25th June  
4:00 - 6:30pm

#### Sports Day

##### EYFS

Monday 15th June

##### YEAR 3&4

Tuesday 16th June

##### YEAR 1&2

Weds 17th June

##### YEAR 5&6

Thurs 18th June

Start time 9.30 AM  
for all year groups

#### Summer Fair

Friday 10th July

### Attendance Winners This Week

Reception & KS1 Winner: **1G**

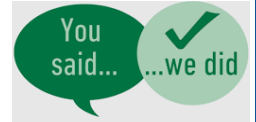
KS2 Winner: **6R**

Perfect Punctuality: **RK**

An impressive **224 children** achieved 'Excellent Attendance' for Spring 2.

Well done to them all!!

### You Said, We Did:



**You Said:** You would like more extracurricular opportunities and a wider variety of clubs for the children.

**We Did:** We have increased our club capacity! We have added new club spaces and introduced a broader range of activities to ensure more children can pursue their interests and learn new skills outside the classroom.

**You Said:** You wanted to see more staff presence during break and lunchtimes to support the children.

**We Did:** We have reviewed our playground supervision and increased the number of staff members on duty during these key times. This ensures that children have more adults available to support their play, manage games, and ensure everyone feels safe and included.

### IQM Report Update

We are proud to announce that following our February review, North Beckton has retained its prestigious status as an Inclusion Quality Mark (IQM) Centre of Excellence.



The assessor described a **"joyful atmosphere"** where our vision—**'we all belong'—is clearly lived out every day.** The report highlighted that **"a culture of respect, celebration and high expectations stands out as a significant strength,"** noting that teachers **"know every child personally."** Most importantly, our pupils truly value our community, with one child perfectly capturing our spirit: **"We include everyone."** A huge thank you to our staff, pupils, and families for making North Beckton such a special place to learn!

### Smashing Success for the North Beckton Cricket Team!

We are incredibly proud to celebrate the fantastic achievements of our Mixed Cricket Team at the recent inter-school competition.

The tournament was a significant event, with 16 schools from across the area competing. The teams were split into groups of four, and we are thrilled to announce that North Beckton achieved first place in both of our groups!

Beyond the impressive scores, what made us most proud was the team's outstanding teamwork and camaraderie. The children represented the school with professionalism, supporting one another and showing respect to their opponents.

A huge well done to the team for their hard work and for demonstrating such brilliant team spirit. You are all a credit to North Beckton!



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# Speech and Language Support - Under 5's



**Every Tuesday from 12:30–2.30pm**

Do you have questions about your child's talking?

We can talk about any concerns you have and offer you advice to support your child's communication.

To book an appointment to speak to a Speech and Language Therapist, email **familyhub@newham.gov.uk** or call us on **020 3373 2555**

[newham.gov.uk/familyhubnetwork](https://newham.gov.uk/familyhubnetwork)

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