



Brookland Junior School News



Friday 3rd July 2026

This Week:

In assembly this week we thought about our Brookland Value of Patience, enjoyed the traditional tale about 3 wishes, learnt about how to keep safe when in or near lakes, rivers or the sea and enjoyed singing with Alice. It was exciting to see everyone with their teachers for next year in new classrooms- everyone was on their very best behaviour trying to impress and there are lots of creative pieces of art celebrating our individual interests, likes and backgrounds ready for September. Year 6 have also enjoyed visiting their secondary schools, meeting new friends and teachers and beginning to find their way around.

Mini Market:

The ancient Brookland tradition of mini market to raise money for charity and school projects was a huge success and one of the best maths lessons of the year! Thank you to all our parents for your support for this very special event.

Mini Market is always one of the highlights of my year. This year was one of my favourites. My stall sold bubble teas and a variety of cookies. We got sold out!!! It is so sad that this will be my last one but at least I have some memories! Natalie 6D In our school everyone's highlight of the year is Mini Market and for me this was one of the most favourite, most enjoyable Mini Markets. There was so many fun activities and so much tasty food. As well as eating lots of tasty food, we also got to enjoy and have a really fun time with our friends and talk to them and play with them. This was year 6's last Mini Market & it was amazing!!! Zak 6P

Our last Mini Market was chaotic (in a good way). I did a few challenges. It was super fun. Our store was selling boba, fidgets and a few games. We quickly sold out and had a bunch of fun! Gigi 6L





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Also, This Week:

Before it all started, the hopes were high with flags rising & chants starting. The first activity was speed bounce. Our team was very confident and placed 2nd & 3rd in four events. Next, we had shot put & javelin; for this we came 3rd for year 5 and girls 2nd for year 6 boys. After that we had long jump but sadly didn't place for this but we tried our best. After lunch we had our heat events. We started with 400m and we placed 3rd for year 6 boys. Our next activity was golf. Sadly, we didn't place but we tried our best and got 367 points. Well done year 4 girls, and year 6 boys for coming first. Lastly, we did relay. Overall, we came 2nd trying our hardest in each activity. Leaving, our faces were filled with joy as it was a fun, learning experience for all. Uriya 6D & Robin 6L



A few days ago, we had the privilege to have a chance to make our own pizza, made with ingredients that our generous parents brought including Tom Horvath Neumann's delicious pepperoni! We had lots of fun experiencing how to make pizza from scratch and loved the end result of our high-quality ingredient to make amazing pizzas.

Emilia & Nir 5AM



Once again, the choir represented the school brilliantly. They performed at the St Jude on the Hill Prom alongside other primary and secondary schools and were accompanied by a quintet of musicians. They sang beautifully and played a part in a breathtaking performance that received a standing ovation. Thank you to all the parents who supported me during the walk and at the church. Without your help, this would not have been possible. Mr G

Shane 3G: *"I experienced a whole range of emotions during the trip, including excitement, nervousness and pride. We performed to the very best of our ability and, when the audience applauded, I suddenly felt tired because I had given it my all."* Olivia 3SH: *"It was such a lovely trip. We also got to meet the Lord Mayor of Barnet. I was nervous at first, but then my excitement kicked in, and I felt better. I sang more brightly and with greater confidence."*





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Golden Sentences:

On a rainy cold day the three little pigs set off into a forest to start their new independent lives. The first pig made his house out of sticks. The second pig made his house out of straw & the third pig made his house out of bricks. Arya 3B

On a warm summer day, there were three little pigs who set off into a deep dark forest to start their new wonderful lives until a nervous wolf noticed that he would like a decent meal. Fatima 3B

Narrator: The pigs are going to their house for bed.

Wolf: I am so ravenous. Let's go eat some pigs. Sammy 3G

On Thursday 15th July 1998 a young girl called little red riding hood, committed a crime on Gurney Drive. She had killed the wolf because she didn't want to get eaten by the wolf. Rafael 3G

On Friday, there was a crime committed in the depth of Victoria forest. A life of a kind grandma was taken by her granddaughter, Little Red Riding Hood. Rosie 3G

Wolf (angrily): I huff and I puff and I will blow your house down. (Wolf destroys it in one blow.) Pig 1: Ahhh! Don't eat me!!!. Sulaiman 3SH

On a warm sunny day, the three little pigs set off into the forest to start their independent lives. They built their houses of straw, twigs, & bricks & settled in it. A hungry wolf the noticed the house and approached the pig 1's house. Atlas 3B

Governor news

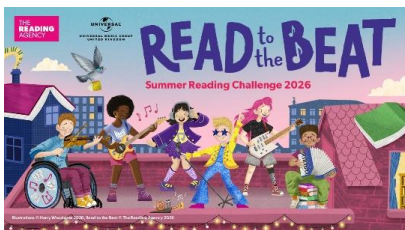
I am delighted to welcome **Emilia Arvstrand** and **Charles Bobroff** as our new Associate Members of the Governing Body. We are very pleased that they have agreed to join us and share their knowledge and expertise, particularly in the area of estate management. Their experience will be a valuable asset as we continue to develop and maintain our school environment, and we look forward to working with them over the coming months and years. A very warm welcome to them both.

Read to the Beat! Summer Reading Challenge 2026:

We are pleased to let you know that Barnet Libraries are taking part in this year's music-themed Summer Reading Challenge from the Reading Agency, delivered in partnership with Universal Music Group UK.

The Read to the Beat! challenge is a great way to address children's reading 'dip', build up literacy skills, and keep up the momentum of recreational reading over the summer holiday.

You can sign up for the Barnet Libraries newsletter for families at www.barnet.gov.uk/librarynewsletters



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Next Week:

Monday 6th July 2.20: Year 5 Samba performance on the top playground- parents invited if you have time!

Tuesday 7th July: Year 6 Debate Team at Debating Competition

Tuesday 7th July: Year 3 cooking all morning

Wednesday 8th July 2.45- 3.15: Celebration Event for year 5 & 6 Junior Duke in the hall- parents invited to join us if you can

Wednesday 8th July: Year 5 at Christ's College to watch Oliver

Thursday 9th July: BICS Coffee morning for parents in the Library

Thursday 9th July: 5A Pizza making for year 3

Thursday 9th July: Year 2 Transition Afternoon. Year 3 return to year 2!

Thursday 9th July 9am: Year 4 Junior Duke Celebration in the computer room parents invited to join us if you can

Thursday 9th July 6-7.30pm: Year 6 Leavers Disco

Friday 10th July 9am: Pop Choir Assembly

Friday 10th July 2.30- 3.05: Year 3 Junior Duke Celebration in the hall parents invited to join us if you can

Further Ahead:

Monday 13th July 9am: Headteacher's Award Assembly & Tea

Tuesday 14th July: 5R Making Pizza for year 3

Tuesday 14th July pm: Year 2 & Year 3 to watch Year 6 Production

Wednesday 15th July am: Year 4 & 5 to watch Year 6 Production

Wednesday 15th July: Year 5 picnic on the field

Wednesday 15th July: Year 3 picnic on the field

Thursday 16th July pm: Year 4 class parties on the field

Friday 17th July: Year 6 Leavers' Assembly

Friday 17th July 12pm: Year 6 Leavers' Picnic on the field

Friday 17th July: LAST DAY OF THE SCHOOL YEAR School finishes @ **1:30**. There are no clubs today.

ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY

PERIOD: Monday 29th June - Friday 3rd July

Class	3B	3G	3SH	4JS	4K	4S
ATTENDANCE%	96.77%	94.67%	98.67%	95.86%	95.71%	97.93%
PUNCTUALITY%	95.48%	97.33%	99.0%	96.55%	97.50%	97.97%

Class	5A	5AM	5R	6D	6L	6P	Whole School
ATTENDANCE%	96.33%	99.67%	98.52%	95.67%	98.0%	96.0%	97.01%
PUNCTUALITY%	95.33%	96.33%	98.89%	99.0%	99.30%	95.67%	98.84%

Well done to **5AM** for having the highest attendance this week.

Congratulations to **6L** for having the highest punctuality this week.

Mrs Lake



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Free Dr Bike sessions in Barnet

Free Dr Bike sessions run by qualified bicycle mechanics. Members of the public can take along their bicycles to have a free, full safety check, including checks on the condition of tyres, rims, gears, brake function and tyre pressure and adjustments can be made if required.

Location	Location Description	Date	Time
Finchley, Lodge Lane car park	Yellow chevrons immediately to the right of the entrance to the Car Park (opposite NL Auction Rooms N12 8JH)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 8 July• 9 September• 11 November• 13 January 2027• 10 March 2027	4pm to 7pm
Temple Fortune	By Bike racks outside entrance to M&S Food Hall at 820 Finchley Road, NW11 6XL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 15 July• 16 September• 18 November• 20 January 2027• 17 March 2027	4pm to 7pm
Middlesex University	Pavement on The Burroughs, outside Middlesex University adjacent to Hendon Fire Station, 91 The Burroughs, NW4 4BL	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 12 August• 14 October• 9 December• 10 February 2027	4pm to 7pm
High Barnet, Stapylton Rd car park	Area immediately to the right of carpark entrance (EN5 4LR)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 19 August• 21 October• 16 December• 17 February 2027	4pm to 7pm