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**NEWSLETTER** Term: *Summer* Issue: *9* Edition: **June and July**

## Headteacher's Reflection

In our final edition for the year, we reflect on the voices of our pupils. Those moving onto secondary school and those moving onto a new year at Jessop. Their thoughts will linger in our minds as we reflect on the year that we have now completed. (Mr Baffoe)

### Memories

*Something I'm grateful for is the caring teachers and all the things we have been taught. A memory I have is the year 6 show.*

*The thing that I am grateful for is all the learning and the caring of the teachers. The thing I will remember is the year 6 production.*

*I think that if you're looking for a primary school Jessop is the one because throughout the years there has been so much support and fun. There are so many opportunities that no other school has. I am so grateful for my time here and all the friends I've made along the way.*

*I am grateful for being able to achieve all of my awards and having all of these opportunities like: Cello, Football matches and Math competitions.*

*I am grateful for being able to attend lots of different after school activities like football and cooking.*

### Hopes

*I hope that I learn more and get knowledge so that sats is easier in year 6. I hope I learn lots, my fingers are crossed.*

*I hope that I will learn new things so i can be prepared for secondary school. I am very grateful to my teachers for helping me learn new things.*

## Dates for Your Diary

**July 2023**

Value of the month is Courage  
Language of the Month:

**Tuesday 4th July**

Induction for Reception Parents

**Friday 7th July**

Elephant Class Assembly @10:30 - **Postponed**  
Summer Fair 3:30pm - 5:30pm - **Postponed**

**Tuesday 11th July**

Music Masters Summer Concert

**Wednesday 12th July**

Reception to Year 1 Transition Workshop  
(Parents) 09:10 - 10:00

**Thursday 13th July**

Federation Sports Day - **Cancelled**  
Evelyn Grace Academy  
Year 6 Music Masters Graduation - **Postponed**

**Friday 14th July**

All Nations Carnival 2pm  
Summer Fair 3:30 - 5:30

**Monday 17th July**

Year 6 Performance 2pm

**Tuesday 18th July**

Topic Dress Up Day

**Wednesday 19th July**

Year 6 Disco

**Thursday 20th July**

Non-Uniform Day

**Friday 21st July**

Elephant Class Assembly @10:30  
Last Day of Term - School finishes at 1:30pm

**Monday 4th September 2023**

First Day Back for Children

## *Class Assemblies*

### **Ladybird Class - Courage does not always ROAR!**



Ladybird Class became the most courageous children in our school today as they performed their very first Class Assembly. They introduced our final Value of the month- Courage. What a performance it was with singing and lots of information to equip the whole school with the understanding of courage and its different guises. Thank you Ladybird Class you have all shown courage on and off the stage this whole year keep on shining in everything that you do. A special thank you to the Miss Gerges and her team without whom this would not have been possible. Thank you to all the parents that took the time to support their child, despite your busy schedules.

## Upper Key Stage 2



Year 6 have been busy! With weeks left at Jessop, they have been making more memories to cherish. They took a trip to an adventure playground to explore the outdoors. The children were able to roller skate, trampoline, play pool, climb a treehouse and more!



Learning hasn't stopped! The children have finished existing modules of learning and are still enjoying exploring narrative poetry.



Year 6 were beyond lucky to participate in climate workshops this term. They had their final session and executed some interactive activities to consolidate all that was learnt.

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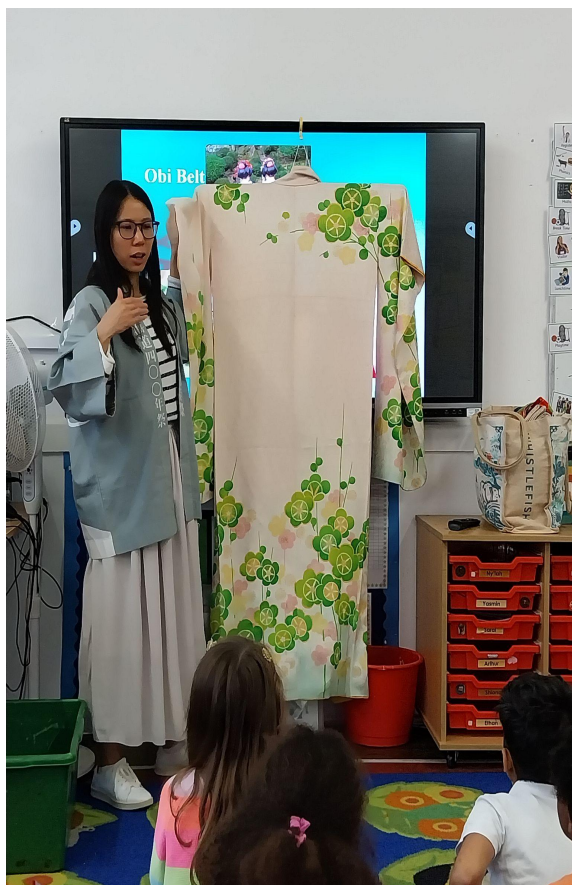
## *Lower Key Stage 2*

Year 3's visited the Ebony Horse Riding Club on Friday the 30th June. The children had a great time!



Celebrating KS1

Year 2 enjoyed an amazing fun and informative Japanese workshop for their Topic titled 'A tale of two cities'. They created a Samurai helmet using Origami and wrote their names in Katakana and some of the children had the opportunity to wear beautiful kimonos. A huge thank you to the Japanese society in London.



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## Celebrating EYFS



Wow how fast has this year flown! The children have had such a great first year at school and made so much progress! Thank you to all parents / carers and staff members for making a difference to all the children in EYFS.



## PUPIL VOICE



As always, it's been a very busy time for our pupil voice children. On the 14th of June, our WellBeing ambassadors from KS2 went to the Knights Hill Youth centre and joined other Wellbeing ambassadors from schools across Lambeth and Southwark. We were able to share some of the amazing work that we do in our school promoting mental health and wellbeing. The children worked in groups gathering ideas and strategies to take back with us to implement for the next academic year. We created a big chain link containing our ideas and what best describes us as individuals. We played games to work together to create various animals and shapes. We are VERY excited to see what our Wellbeing ambassadors will be sharing with us in the next academic year!

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## Music Masters

The Music Masters creative workshop was an amazing day of movement, music, songwriting and performing and the children enjoyed it immensely.

The children jammed with various instruments and words to capture the sounds and feelings of the rainforest and throughout the day wrote an original song with original lyrics.

Every stage of the process was brilliantly managed by the Music Masters team who allowed the ideas and voices of the children steer the music to its fantastic conclusion and performance. This clever guidance gave them an immense amount of empowerment and satisfaction.

The children used their topic knowledge of rainforest animals and deforestation, along with their poetry and descriptive writing skills to write a brilliant original lyric. This combined with their musical skills was such a powerful cumulative outcome for our year 3 children. WOW!





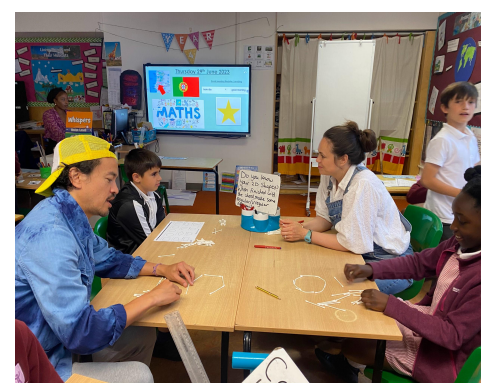
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## Parent Maths Drop In

On Thursday 29th June, we hosted our second Parent Maths Drop In! What a massive turnout. Thank you to all parents and carers for attending this wonderful event. It was a great opportunity for us to show you the different methods we teach and manipulatives we use during our daily Maths lessons. We are already looking forward to the next one. In the meantime, continue to build on those mathematical skills at home!



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## *First Mathematics Challenge*

**Who loves Maths? We do! We loves a challenge? We do!**  
Some of our Year 2, 3 and 4 children took part in the *First Mathematics Challenge*.  
The children had only 45 minutes to complete a total of 20 multiple choice questions. The challenge started with easy questions to encourage the children in their own ability and gradually became harder throughout the challenge. We are incredibly proud of all of the children who took part in this challenge.

**And then...a very special shout out to Leo from Year 3 who scored 19 out of 20!  
Incredible marks. Well done Leo!**

**If you would like to have a go at any of the previous challenges then have a look at  
this website:**

<https://www.primarymathschallenge.org.uk/>



## *Bikability*



Years  
3 and 4



Year 4 took to the pitch and practised their riding skills, a very important skill that we as a school recognise all children should have. Bikeability also have this belief and came in to train children how to ride their bike, how to look after their bike and how to ride safely on the pavement. Every child in year 3 had this opportunity to practise and by the end of these intensive sessions all children were able to ride their bike and had an awareness of how to keep safe when riding their bike.

Year 5 and 6 also had the opportunity to practise these skills, they were taken onto the road and shown how to ride their bike safely on the road and given practical scenarios on the road. This will equip them with the road safety skills when they move on to their secondary schools and may have to travel further to get to their new school.



Years  
5 and 6



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## Federation Year 6 Social

In our federation schools, we don't just send our children off to Secondary school; we prepare them so that they are fully equipped on every level; and that is exactly what our year 6 federation social is all about! Year 6's from Jessop, Stockwell and Bonneville gathered with their teachers and heads of school to meet with other children who would be going to the same school as them. They got to know each other through games and group work and by the end of it, every child left with the assurance that they would know a friendly face at their new secondary school!



### What did the children say?

**Edwin (Year 6 Dolphin)** 'It was an amazing experience meeting people and making new friends especially the ones that were coming to my new school. I met a boy called Sadiq and a girl called Nicole both from Bonneville who might be in my new year 7 class. I am excited and grateful for this opportunity!'

**Robyn (Year 6 Blue Whale)** When we went to Stockwell, I was amazed by the number of people, but then when I got to know some of them, they were really nice to me. I met a girl called Kayla and Sophia from Stockwell and Bonneville who will be coming to my new school. I had a great day.

**Tajia (Year 6 Blue Whale)** When I first arrived at Stockwell, I felt really nervous. But then I got to meet lots of new people and I made new friends that are coming to my new school - Harris Clapham. Then I didn't feel nervous by the end and actually had a really nice time.

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*Picnic in the Park*



Our annual Picnic in the Park is one of our main events bringing our Jessop Community together, and this year certainly did not disappoint. Many thanks to all who came to join us in Milkwood Park. A massive thank you to Miss Stephanie for organising this event, you were greatly missed on the day. I believe this is the first one you have ever missed in over 15 years that you have been with us. The day was a beautiful day and lots of parents had ample opportunity to get to know each other and the children had a fabulous time.

## Sports Day!



.....and they are off! Everyone was in fine spirits on our sports day limbering up for the day's sports activities, whether it was egg and spoon race, obstacle races, or even the sprint. All of the children and parents had a fun packed day to remember!



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Sports Day!



KS2 Sports Day was once again a day not to be missed all houses battled against each other with the support of their friends and family who came in their droves! Thank you for making our Sports event a memory not to forget. Coach Darral you really did not disappoint our Sports Day would not be the same without your amazing activities you arrange every year for the children.... And the parents!

Well we all had a great sports day! But thanks everyone for participating. Well done to **Red Robins**, **Blue Kingfishers**, **Green Woodpeckers** and **Yellow Canaries**. When I interviewed some parents they thought **Blue Kingfishers** or **Green Woodpeckers** would win.

When really yellow canaries did it and if you didn't know they'll get an extra break because they got 2117 points!

By Duke (Jessop Journalist)



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## *Sports Day!*



Well speaking of parents and carers, .....you know Jessop Sports Day would not be a sports day without a parent's race....with a twist! Thank you to all parents who took you are all great sportsmen!





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*Carnival*



Carnival lived up to all its glory despite the rain and the wind! The children danced their way towards sending a message to parents about Anti Pollution which was the theme for our Carnival this year. Many thanks for the massive support from all staff, parents and carers without you we would not be able to hold such an event!



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## Summer Fair

It appears nothing will dampen the Jessop spirit, or our school's shared love of cakes, crafts, and the infamous 'Tin Can Alley'!

Despite the rain and winds, this year's Summer Fair was a brilliant success, raising £1736 for school projects.

Thank you to everyone who came along, donated baked goods, danced to @BrixChamber crafted, threw sponges at teachers... Every penny raised really does make a difference to our school.

A special thank you also to all the staff who make Jessop the special place that it is, for giving up their time, despite such a busy term, to support the event. A special shout out to Mr Ufton and Mr Horseman who certainly 'took one for the team' by allowing our children to soak them!

And of course, thank you to this year's raffle prize givers, including Myla and Davies, The Flower Lady, Miguel's Boxing Gym @BrixtonBrewery, and several generous parents. Most importantly perhaps, the amazing team of parent volunteers without which, these events would not take place. Fingers crossed for sunshine next year but it turns out...we don't need it!



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## *Year 6 Leavers' Performance - Grease Lightning!*

All the best to our year 6 leavers! Thank you for the memories, keep shining your light in new corners!



## Topic Dress Up Day



To celebrate the end of the term, we held our termly Topic Dress Up Day. We saw some amazing costumes from Nursery right up to Year 6!

EYFS - On Your Marks

Year 1 - At the seaside

Year 2 - A Tale of Two Cities

Year 3 - Rainforest

Year 4 - Saving our World

Year 5 - Micro Society

Year 6 - Survivor

Thank you parents, carers, teachers and children for all your hard work and support this term!



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## Jessop Lions and Lionesses



Jessop Football Team played against Streatham Wells Primary in their final tournament of the year and for our school! The team played an amazing tournament and battled their way to victory. Connor scoring one of the winning goals of the tournament and Ty-Jacob saving crucial shots keeping us well ahead of the opposition. Our defense created problems for Streatham Wells with Anna particularly putting up a good defense that denied the Streatham from scoring multiple goals.



Our homegrown footballers took part in a tournament and came first against many teams across the borough. The boys battled hard and persevered throughout the tournament giving them the winning edge against all the opposition that they faced. Well done to you all! We are so proud of your efforts in and out of school!

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## Asthma + Lung UK - Air Pollution Monitoring Project Workshop



Our school took part in Air Pollution Monitoring Project with Asthma + Lung UK earlier this term. Different tubes were mounted on strategic locations around our school area for monitoring the quality of air. The samples collected were sent off for analysis and the result shows that our school is part of the area with cleaner air.

On Friday 14th July, year 3, 4 and 5 had a workshop about air pollution with suggestions of different activities we can engage in as a school to help create positive change for our school and beyond.

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### Brixton Stockwell Better Start Area Summer Timetable



The Children's Centres in the Brixton Stockwell Area will be closed from Monday 24<sup>th</sup> July until Friday 4<sup>th</sup> August 2023 and all children's centre staff will be on leave. Health and LEAP services will continue at Liz Atkinson over this period.

We reopen on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> August 2023.

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Monday 7 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Friday 11 <sup>th</sup> Aug
LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)
Health Visiting Appointments 9:30-11:30am (Stockwell CC)	Health Visiting Appointments 9:30-11:30am (Stockwell CC)	Baby Time 0-12 months 10:00-11:00am (Liz Atkinson CC) Please book to attend	Play and Explore 6-24 months 10:00-11:15am (Stockwell CC)	Community Pantry 12:00-2:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)
Baby Sensory Play 0-12 months 1:15-2:30pm (Stockwell CC) Please book to attend	Whippersnappers Music, Story and Dance Session 10:30-11:30am (Stockwell CC) Please book to attend	Citizens Advice Appointments 10:00-1:00pm (Stockwell CC)	Take Your Pick 1:00-2:30pm (Stockwell CC)	Food Collection 1:00-3:00pm (Stockwell CC)
Play and Explore 6-24 months 1:30-2:30pm (Jessop CC)	Play and Explore 6-24 months 1:30-2:45pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	Stay and Play 0-4 years 1:00-2:30pm (Stockwell CC)	Stay and Play 0-4 years 1:30-3:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	Stay and Play 0-4 years 1:30-3:00pm (Jessop CC)
	Baby Sensory Play 0-12 months 1:30-2:30pm (Jessop CC) Please book to attend			

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Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Friday 18 <sup>th</sup> Aug
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Health Visiting Appointments 9:30-11:30 (Stockwell CC)	Animal Encounter 10:30-11:30am (Liz Atkinson CC) Please book to attend	Transitions to School SEN Parent Workshop 10:30-12noon (Liz Atkinson CC) Booking Required	Stay and Play 0-4 years 1:30-3:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	Food Collection 1:00-3:00pm (Stockwell CC)
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Monday 21 <sup>st</sup> Aug	Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> Aug	Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> Aug	Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> Aug
LEAP Caseload Midwives 9-4pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9-4pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9-4pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9-4pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9-4pm (Liz Atkinson CC)
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Visual Supports SEN Parent Workshop 10:30-12:00 (Stockwell CC) Booking Required	Play and Explore 6-24 months 1:30-2:45pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	Visual Supports SEN Parent Workshop 10:30-12:00 (Liz Atkinson CC) Booking Required	Stay and Play 0-4 years 1:30-3:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	Breastfeeding Support 10:00-12:00 (Liz Atkinson CC)
Baby Sensory Play 0-12 months 1:15-2:30pm (Stockwell CC) Please book to attend	Baby Sensory Play 0-12 months 1:30-2:30pm (Jessop CC) Please book to attend	Citizens Advice Appointments 10:00-1:00pm (Stockwell CC)		Food Collection 12:00-3:00pm (Stockwell CC)
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Monday 28 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Tuesday 29 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Wednesday 30 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup> Aug	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> Sept
Bank Holiday Centres Closed	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	LEAP Caseload Midwives 9:00-4:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)
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	Breastfeeding Support 10:00-12:00 (Liz Atkinson CC)	Citizens Advice Appointments 10:00-1:00pm (Stockwell CC)	Stay and Play 0-4 years 1:30-3:00pm (Liz Atkinson CC)	Breastfeeding Support 10:00-12:00 (Liz Atkinson CC)
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All Play sessions in the Autumn Term will start the week beginning 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

If you do not already, please follow our Instagram page to stay up to date with the latest information and updates.



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## *Teacher Meet and Greet*

**WELCOME (BACK) TO  
JESSOP!**

**FRIDAY 8TH SEPTEMBER**

**3 - 5PM on the pitch**

**TEACHER MEET AND GREET**

**JESSOP SCHOOL BAND**

**BOUNCY CASTLE**

**CAKE STALL**

**SNACKS AND DRINKS**

