

## Newsletter

What a busy and exciting few weeks we've had at Manford! There's so much to share with you all about the wonderful things happening in our school. At the end of this newsletter I have included some information about community events you may be interested in.

### What's been happening in School?

Our learners have been having some fantastic experiences lately. Year 2 and Year 5 had a special visit from the London Fire Brigade, which I'm sure was both educational and exciting for them. The children took part in a fun and informative session where they learned how to make a fire safety plan for their home, including safe escape routes and the importance of smoke alarms. It was a valuable experience that helped everyone feel more prepared and confident in case of an emergency.



Meanwhile, our Reception classes enjoyed a brilliant trip to the farm at Hainault Forest where they got to meet lots of different animals. These hands-on experiences are so valuable for bringing learning to life. Our Preschool children have also been out and about on a local area walk. Year 1 walked to St Paul's Church recently too as part of their Religious Education curriculum.

I'm particularly proud of our Year 6 girls who took part in a Rugby Festival recently. Twenty of them represented our school and played really well. It's wonderful to see our learners embracing new challenges and showing such great sportsmanship.

We've also been supporting our parent community with some excellent opportunities. The parent Maths course facilitated by the Adult Education Service has now finished. Feedback has been really positive-helping parents to support their children's learning at home. We had Marco, our Educational Psychologist, who held an informative coffee morning about supporting children with Autism. These sessions are so valuable for sharing knowledge and building our community understanding.

Speaking of Year 6, I must celebrate how brilliantly they approached their SATs tests. They showed such a great attitude to the challenges, and now we're starting to prepare them for their exciting transition to secondary school.



I'm also delighted to share some fantastic feedback we received from our School Improvement Consultant who spent a day in school just before half term. She was evaluating the Quality of Education at Manford, and it was a very intensive scrutiny. I'm thrilled to say that our staff shone, as did your children. The main feedback points highlighted our high-quality and ambitious teaching, how well staff use data to plan next steps for children, and that school leaders know the school well and had already identified improvements we want to make. Our Early Years team deserves a special mention for their outstanding work.

### What's coming up?

Looking ahead, I need to remind you that statutory and school-based assessments will continue throughout June for all children, so regular attendance is especially important during this time.

We are currently part of a consortium of Redbridge schools who are going through the process of reviewing our catering contract. We should know the outcome of the procurement exercise in June and I look forward to sharing this information with you. The new contract will be in place ready for the start of the new academic year in September.



Redbridge Children with Disabilities team is currently holding a consultation about their services. You can take part [here](#).

## Dates for your diary

Don't forget that **Monday 2nd June is an INSET Day for staff**. We have planned a packed day focusing on refining teaching skills and adapting learning to meet the needs of all learners.

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June Children return to school

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> June Relationships and Sex Education parent information session 9am  
(There is also information on our [website](#) about this curriculum area.)

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June Class Photos

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> June Sports Week

Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> June Arts Festival at Coppice Primary-choir attending

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> June 'Sporting 4 Schools' in all day- fundraising

Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June Right to be Safe Week- focus on discrimination

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> June Community Fun Day at the Forest Academy (see flyer below)

Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> July and Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July - Year 6 classes speeding awareness with Metropolitan Police

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July Year 4 trip to London Zoo

Friday 4<sup>th</sup> July Year 3 and 4 boys' cricket event

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> July Year 5 taster day at The Forest Academy

Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July 3.30-4.30 Classroom Open Evening (tbc)

**Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> July School closes for summer 2pm**

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September Children return to school.



## **ADVANCE NOTICE**

INSET Days confirmed for 2025/2026 so far:

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September 2025  
Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2025  
Monday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2025  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026  
(1 day still to be confirmed)



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**SATURDAY  
28TH JUNE  
2025  
11AM-3PM**

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# Clore Tikva Primary School Summer Camp 2024

w/c 29th July, 5th & 19th August

3 weeks

9.00am – 3.30pm

Recep – Year 6

## Bikes & Scooters Day

Bring your Bike or Scooter with you  
Fun sport activities



## Around the World Day

### Action & Adventure Day

Nerf Wars

Art & Crafts

Lego Construction

Team Activities

Sport Activities

from around the world

Creative Fun

### Mega Party Day

Gymnastics, Drama, Singing

### Talent/Sport Day

Show off your Talent

Magic, Singing

Playing Musical Instruments

Sport Activities

Performing Arts

Team Sport Activities

Karaoke, Party Games

Glow Sticks



Please bring with a  
Vegetarian nut free

Packed Lunch

Additional Siblings

£26 per day

All 5 days booked £120

£24 per day

All 5 days booked £110

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Please book online using the booking form on our school website.

Daily timetable available. No refunds issued unless in extreme medical circumstances.