

# BRONTË HOUSE SCHOOL

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Dear Parents,

Thank you for engaging so enthusiastically with our new Co-curricular programme. We have been overwhelmed by the request for places; the children are fully embracing the breadth of opportunities available.

A reminder that the deadline for bookings is Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> September at 4pm and that all clubs will start with immediate effect on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September. Please be aware that a number of activities are full and that children are being placed on a waiting list for first refusal next half term.

Parents that registered interest for external clubs in Nursery – Year 2 will shortly be receiving an email to confirm their child's place. Please note that Mini Ninjas has proven particularly popular and half of the children have been placed on a waiting list. Mrs Bedford will be sending a subsequent email with details of payment and equipment required for these clubs. Please note, payment must be made before children will be able to attend clubs next week.

Unfortunately, Tatty Bumpkin have now confirmed that they will be unable to provide a Yoga activity each Tuesday. Instead, Yoga will be taught to Nursery – Year 2 by Nancy Lucas, who is also delivering Dance to Ashdown children each Monday. Those parents that have previously booked a place at Tatty Bumpkin will have their booking transferred; please do let us know if a place is no longer required.

After being out of the water for such a long time, Swimming has proven incredibly popular. We are hoping to be able to increase numbers in the coming weeks, transport and staffing allowing, and will update parents in due course.

Children in Years 3 and 4 who have a confirmed place at Swimming Club should bring their kit on Monday. We understand that there has been a delay in the supply of the new swimming kit through Grays. Children may wear plain navy trunks and costumes for this academic year if this is an issue. Please accept our apologies for any inconvenience caused. Goggles and a swimming cap must also be worn.

Parents wishing to collect children from the Grove should meet them in Sports Hall Reception at 4:45pm; all remaining children will be returned to Bronte for 5pm. Please note, spectators are not allowed on poolside.

Smartypants Spanish have requested that we make parents of Nursery and Reception children that they have a number of places available, if children would like to join the activity.

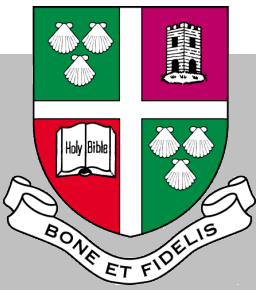
Finally, a reminder to parents that we are requesting children are not collected from school during Co-curricular activities. With so many clubs now in operation each afternoon, retrieving children from activities scattered throughout the school is no easy job!

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Children who are not booked onto an activity and are attending After School Care (Years 1/2) or Early Prep (Years 3 - 6) may be collected at any time.

We look forward to seeing the children back on Monday for the first day of the new academic year.

With very best wishes,

*S. Chatterton*

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