



**Bulletin No. 1049**  
**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> June 2023**



Dear Parents

I hope you all had a lovely half-term break; the sunshine was certainly a welcome treat! I can see that the children have all had the chance to rest and are ready for all the exciting things that happen in our last few weeks in school.

We started our week with a very important visit from the Bradford Road Safety Team, who held workshops for our pupils to remind them about The Green Cross Code. It was a timely reminder for our older pupils particularly, as they move on to bigger schools and will be allowed more time out and about without an adult.

On Wednesday, Miss Raw & Mr. Rawling took our Table Tennis team to Bradford Grammar, it sounded like a very exciting afternoon (a full match report from Miss Raw is below). I would like to personally thank Miss Raw for all the time she has committed to Table Tennis, without her, Lady Lane Park would not be the school to try to beat! Our pupils have shown commitment to the sport and we are proud of their success.

This week, we welcome Mrs. Kim Greenham as our new Kitchen Assistant, a fabulous addition to our catering team. Mrs. Thompson is delighted to have such a strong catering team and is excited about the many ideas they have already had.

Congratulations to Miss Hemsworth, who has been awarded distinctions in all areas for her Level 2 Qualification in Childcare. She is over the moon and raring to go with the next course. Well done Miss Hemsworth, we are all proud of you!

We are delighted to announce that Mr. Abid Nazir has been appointed as our Form 3 Teacher for September. Mr. Nazir is a highly experienced teacher, who has been recently working in Bradford. Before that, he worked for six years as both a Year 1 & Year 2 teacher at The Gulf English School in Qatar. I know Mr. Nazir is very excited to meet the children again and start his new role in September. He will be at the Infant Information Evening on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June 6.30pm, so please do come along to meet him. He will also be in school for the Infant Transition morning on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June to meet his new class!

This evening we will be enjoying the Junior Summer Celebration performance of The Wind in the Willows. It has been a joy to hear the incredible singing in school this week, I am sure you will all be blown away if you are coming along to watch. I know I am looking forward to seeing all our Junior pupils on stage, before attending the leavers reception for our UVI pupils and families afterwards.

Finally, I would like to offer my sincere congratulations to Mrs. Arnold on her appointment as Headmistress of Lady Lane Park School, from September 2023. It has been a great privilege to work alongside her over the past 8 years and I know Mrs. Arnold will make a superb Headmistress, leading our school from strength to strength in the future. A copy of a letter from Mr. Khan (Alpha Schools CEO) announcing Mrs. Arnold's appointment is attached below.

Have a lovely weekend

Mr. Saunders & The Staff at Lady Lane Park School & Nursery



8 June 2023

Dear Parents,

### **Appointment of our new Headmistress**

Following Mr Saunders' announcement that he would be retiring as Headmaster of Lady Lane Park School at the end of the Summer term, the process began to find a suitable replacement. And I think we have done just that.

We were fortunate to receive a very strong list of applications for the role. These applicants had considerable and varying experience; and were all incredibly keen to lead a school with such an impressive reputation.

Following our interviews, and despite the fierce competition, the decision was absolutely clear: I am very pleased to announce that from September 2023 the new Headmistress of Lady Lane Park School will be Mrs Emma Arnold.

Mrs Arnold has been in education for over a decade, following a successful 'first career' as a Market Analyst and Marketing and Communications Manager. Her commitment to the world of education has seen her take on her PGCE; a Masters in Education; an award for SEN Coordination; and now is concurrently completing a Masters in Senior Leadership and her NPQH. The pace at which she has gathered these professional accolades and the way in which she has worked as our Deputy Head clearly demonstrates the focus and vision with which she will lead Lady Lane.

It is an absolute pleasure to have appointed such a capable, dedicated individual and one who understands our school's ethos and approach incredibly well.

I do hope you find the opportunity in the coming days to warmly congratulate Mrs Arnold on her new role.

Here's to a wonderful last few weeks and a bright new chapter ahead.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ali Khan', written in a cursive style.

Mr. Ali Khan

CEO Alpha Schools



Learning all about Road Safety





Form 3 Kings & Queens

This week we played our final Table Tennis competition of the season.

Mikhail represented Lady Lane in the Under 11 competition and although did win some games it was not enough to go through to the next round.

In the Under 9s competition we had 5 entries: Zerwa, Halimah, Zakariya, Rumaiza and Ishaq.

They all played some good games and showed great progress throughout the day. Ishaq did particularly well in getting through to round 2 before going out.

In The Under 10 competition Alex, Yusuf, Hamzah and Ibrahim represented Lady Lane.

And what a competition. Alex did win a game but not enough to get through to round 2. Yusuf made it to the semi-finals but lost to Hamzah, and after a play off for 3rd place finished 4th.

Hamzah made it to the final..... waiting for him was Ibrahim!

Who would win? both boys were amazing and so determined to win. At one game all it went to a decider.

Victory went to Hamzah.

What a super way to end the season.

Thank you to all who have played this year (including Carey). Thank you to all parents for your support and help. I would also like to say a huge thank you to Mikhail's parents for your support over the years not just with Mikhail but his brother Yusuf before him. Good luck for the future Mikhail I hope you will continue Table Tennis at your next school.

Have a great summer and I will see you in September.

Miss Raw





## Lady Lane Park School & Nursery Menu

Week: Monday 12<sup>th</sup> – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
Pasta bake & Vegetable Batons	Meatballs in Sauce & Couscous	Chicken and Vegetable Pie with Diced Potatoes	Savoury Beef, Potatoes and Vegetables	Pizza Chips & Beans
Raspberry Sponge	Sponge and custard	Cupcakes	Peach and raspberry crumble Custard	Fruit salad
	<i>Quorn &amp; Halal Option</i>	<i>Quorn &amp; Halal Option</i>	<i>Quorn &amp; Halal Option</i>	<i>Quorn &amp; Halal Option</i>

Lady Lane Park School

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# FOOTSTEPS DANCE SHOW



A unique, multi-media Dance Show not to be missed!

Please join us for an unforgettable evening as we celebrate our 21<sup>st</sup> Birthday Show.

**7pm FRIDAY  
23<sup>rd</sup> JUNE 2023**

**BINGLEY  
ARTS CENTRE**

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Bingley Arts Centre Box Office or book online at  
[www.bingleyartscentre.co.uk](http://www.bingleyartscentre.co.uk)

# Diary Dates

## June

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> – Infant & Early Years Parent Welcome Evening (6.30pm-7.30pm)

Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> UVI Yorkshire Three Peaks Challenge  
Friday 16<sup>th</sup> June – The Friend's Summer Disco

Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> June – Summer Class Photographs

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> June – Nursery to Form 3 Transition Morning

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June – Footsteps, Bingley Arts Centre

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> June – UVI Fast Forward Event at Bingley Parish Church  
- Parents' Consultations 6.00pm-8.00pm

Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June – Infant & Junior Sports Day

## July

Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July – Parents' Consultations 4.00pm-6.00pm

Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July – Infant Celebrations Performance A  
- Junior Transition Morning

Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July - Infant Celebrations Performance B

Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July – Prize Giving Picnics for all Classes  
- Nursery trip to Hesketh Farm

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July – School Closes for Summer





FULL NAME OF CHILD \_\_\_\_\_

FORM NO. \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT NAME \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

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