



**November**

- 11<sup>th</sup> – 10.30am Service of Remembrance at Brookwood Cemetery
- 14<sup>th</sup> – 8.50am Hedgehogs Class Assembly
- 16<sup>th</sup> – Children in Need Mufti Day
- 22<sup>nd</sup> – KS2 Singers - Christmas Light Switch On
- 29<sup>th</sup> – Inaugural Brookwood Film Night

**December**

- 7<sup>th</sup> – FOBS Christmas Fair
- 7<sup>th</sup> – Reception to Year 5 Flu Immunisations
- 11<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup> – 1.30pm EYFS and KS1 Christmas Production
- 18<sup>th</sup> – 6.30-8.00pm KS2 Disco
- 19<sup>th</sup> - Last day of term – break up 2.00pm

**January 2019**

- 4<sup>th</sup> - Inset Day
- 17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> – Life Bus
- 29<sup>th</sup> – KS2 Choir to O2 Young Voices Concert

Owls class presented a great assembly this week using a chat show format. They spoke and presented highlights of their lives at Brookwood with confidence and humour. We all loved their take on George Ezra's 'Shotgun', with suitable adaptations to Brookwood life. " *Time flies by in the yellow and green Stick around and you'll see what I mean*"... Well done to all involved!

I am spending Remembrance Day with my family this year, so won't be at the Military Cemetery on Sunday. There will be plenty of staff there though, so please bring your children along if you possibly can. It is a highly impressive event and a fitting way to say thank you for the service and sacrifice of those in our armed forces today and in the past, and to remember the fallen. This year we are in the Canadian part of the cemetery which is east of the American Chapel, so arrive in time to find the new location!

Jo Green Headteacher



**Service of Remembrance - Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November  
10.30am prompt**

Brookwood Military Cemetery – Canadian Section

During the Service, children join in by laying the school wreath. Find Mrs Fookes or Mrs Mealin in the cemetery BEFORE 10.30am. Please be prompt.

**Year group visits to Brookwood Military Cemetery**

- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November 9am – Squirrels and Ladybirds
- Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November 1.15pm – Bumblebees and Hedgehogs
- Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November 1.15pm – Owls
- Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> November 1.15pm – Badgers

If you are available to help, please contact [admin@brookwood.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:admin@brookwood.surrey.sch.uk)

**Display of Children's Work – St Saviour's Church**

St Saviour's Church are hosting a themed exhibition during the weekend of the 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> November. Times are listed overleaf. We are exhibiting some of the children's work from recent Forest School sessions. All are encouraged to visit!



**STARS OF THE WEEK – Alex, Jeannie, Maisy, Ruby, Lois and Kristina**



### Exhibition to Commemorate the End of WW1 St Saviour's Church

I have visited the Exhibition this morning and our children's work is displayed very proudly as part of a wide ranging Commemoration of the 100 year anniversary of the end of WW1. I encourage you to go along; it's worth a look!

Saturday 10 November 9am - 3.30pm

Sunday 11 November 9.30am - 2pm

### FOBS Film Night – Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> November

Some more detail for you about Film Night. We are screening "Smallfoot", a U certificate film which is currently doing the rounds in cinemas too.

Mr Gunning and I will be supervising the screening, with volunteer parents and possibly other members of staff in attendance.

The evening will run from 5.30pm to 8.00pm so that you have time to do something meaningful if you wish whilst we have your children.

Children may come to Film Night changed for bed (onesies and dressing gowns seem a really sensible idea) and equipped with a cushion to sit on. Like with the discos, the children will have a drink of squash or water half way through the event and, on this occasion, their snack will be a cup of popcorn.

We are opening the event to Year 7 children who came to Brookwood as Year 6s if they would like to come along. They need to bear in mind that Mr Gunning and I will expect perfect behaviour, as they would expect, and for them to be respectful of the fact that we have very small children in the screening. Should there be any poor behaviour, parents will be contacted and they will leave the film.

FOBS have opened a service so that you can pay online: [www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofbrookwood](http://www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofbrookwood). Bear with them if there are some initial problems as this is new. Once it is up-and-running, it will help us all with advanced tickets.

Thanks - Mrs Green

### Children in Need – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November

We are supporting the annual Children in Need day again this year and Pudsey will be welcoming children into school on Friday next week. Children are invited to wear mufti (their own clothes) in exchange for a £1 donation to the charity.

### Tucasi – Online Payments

We operate a cashless payment system at school using a company called Tucasi (scopay.com). We are today sending home letters to all parents that are currently not signed up for online payments and we would ask that you create your account asap, as there will be trips, events, productions and other items that will need be paid for online shortly and throughout the year. If you have any questions or any difficulty setting up your account please ask at the school office.

### Christmas Dinner Day – Monday 17<sup>th</sup> December

A letter came home this week regarding our traditional school Christmas dinner. If your child is in KS2 and they normally have a packed lunch but would like to have the Christmas dinner, please check if there is already a credit on your account before making a further payment of £2.30 for the meal. If you are not sure of your balance please ask at the school office.

### Community Activities

- Everyone Health, Alive N Kicking Surrey – Free Lifestyle Programme
- Surrey Cricket Foundation – Winter Coaching Courses 2018-2019
- Woking & Sam Beare Hospices Santa Fun Run – Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2018

Further information on these items can be found on the school website under the News and Events section.