

Brookwood Primary News



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I hope you all had an enjoyable Christmas break and I would like to wish you all a very happy 2020!

It has been lovely to welcome the children back and they have started the new term in a very purposeful, professional and productive way! All staff have been incredibly impressed with the increased levels of maturity and independence the children have returned with. Furthermore, we welcome a number of new families to Brookwood with new children starting in most classes. They are all very quickly settling in to their new settings and have in a very short space of time given the school a huge lift!

It was great to see lots of you on 'Welcome Wednesday' and we look forward to continuing to invite you in from 3.15pm—3.30pm each Wednesday afternoon.

There are already lots of events and activities planned for the term and we will continue to embed our new curriculum timetable. It was fantastic to see so much happening around the school this week including:

- Superheroes in Squirrels
- Investigating materials in Ladybirds
- Designing city skylines in computing in Bumblebees
- Hedgehogs were introduced to the Romans in history
- Foxes have been animating in computing
- Owls have begun learning about the Ancient Egyptians

I am very excited for another excellent term at Brookwood!

I hope you have an enjoyable weekend.

David Gunning

Head of School

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Watches

Please can we remind you of our policy on watches at school.

A standard analogue or digital watch may be worn. Watches that are internet enabled, Bluetooth enabled or have the capacity for messaging, voice or image recording are not permitted under any circumstances. The school reserves the right to ask children wearing any watches of this category to remove them, and the watch will be stored securely by office staff until the end of the day when it should be collected by a parent or carer.

School Dinners

Please may we remind you that if you wish to change from packed lunches to school dinners, or vice versa, we require a week's notice in writing. School dinners cost £2.35 a day, £11.75 a week, and should be paid for in advance using your child's Scopay account. If you have any questions please ask at the school office or email to office@brookwood.surrey.sch.uk

Water Bottles and Lunch Boxes/Bags

Please remember to send your child in to school with a named refillable water bottle every day. Please also make sure that if your child brings a lunch box or bag into school it is clearly named.

Woking Football Club

Our 4 school season tickets are available for the following game:

Saturday 25th January versus Yeovil Town at 3pm

Please contact the school office if you would like to use them. We do encourage children attending to write a short match report or re-

IMPORTANT REMINDER

Please remember that we are a NO NUTS school. This includes peanut butter/ nutella sandwiches! Please make sure that your child does not bring any snacks into school that contain nuts of any kind. We have some children in school with severe nut allergies. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

Facebook

Please like our Facebook Page!

Stars of the Week

This week's winners were:

Louis, Ibrahim, Bella, Owame, Jackson, Malaika, Sam, Alaric, Phoenix and Kayla



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Important School Dates

January

Tuesday 14th January—Henley Fort Residential Parents information Evening at 6.30pm

February

Tuesday 4th February—O2 Young Voices Concert

Friday 7th February—Years 5 & 6 to Rhoda McGaw Theatre for Winston Churchill School Production of Sister Act

Monday 17th to Friday 21st February — Half Term

April

Friday 3rd April—Records/Moderation Day—Children not in school

Monday 6th to Friday 17th April—Easter Holidays

Wednesday 22nd to Friday 24th April—Years 3 & 4 Residential to Henley Fort

May

Monday 25th to Friday 29th May—Half Term

June

Wednesday 10th to Friday 12th June—Years 5 & 6 Residential to Swanage

Friday 26th June—Inset Day

July

Friday 17th July—Records/Moderation Day—Children not in school

Monday 20th July—Inset Day

Community Activities

Brookwood After School Club—Emma Hood

Jigsaw Preparing For Loss Information Evening - Wednesday 29th January 2020

Learn Play Achieve Football at Brookwood School - Spring Term 2020

The Book People—Big Book Boost

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

We are not recommending any of the companies, services or events listed above. It is up to individual parents to make their own enquiries.