

"We Enjoy and Excel In the Presence of God"

#### **BROCKENHURST C of E PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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# **Information Update 10** 10th February 2017

#### **Dear Parents**



# **Effectiveness of Leadership**

#### Thank you!

I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all the governors, parents and helpers who support our school. I showed the PTA around the school on Tuesday and we discussed the long term vision and projects that will enhance our learning and push us towards outstanding. We have fabulous grounds in a stunning location with children eager to engage in their environment. It is only with the support of governors, parents and helpers who listen to readers, accompany us on experiences, raise money, challenge the children and adults and model positive supportive behaviours that we can do much of what we do.

It is to you that we raise our hats and say a very big THANK YOU!

#### Half Term - week commencing 20th February

Please remember that our half term is different to Dorset. Our school breaks up next Friday (17th February) and the children return to school on Monday 27th February.

Please look out for details of the Village Pancake Race on Tuesday 28th February in Brookley Road at 3.30pm.



# **Quality of Teaching, Learning and Assessment**

#### Parents evenings

Our forthcoming Parents' evenings will be on Monday 27th, Tuesday 28th, and Wednesday 29th March. Class days and times are below.

#### Please note:

Parents can now book the remaining slots on the website - under the "Parents Information" tab. www.brockenhurstceprimary.co.uk/page/Default.asp?title=Parents+Evening+Bookings&pid=90

	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> March 2017	Tuesday 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2017	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> March 2017
Year R	3:15pm – 7.05pm		
Year 1	4:00pm – 6:20pm		3:30pm – 5:50pm
Year 2	3:30pm – 6:20pm		3:30pm – 5:30pm
Year 3	4:10pm – 7:00pm	3:30pm – 6:00pm	
Year 4		3:30pm – 6:10pm	3:30pm – 6:10pm
Year 5		3:30pm – 6:10pm	3:30pm – 6:10pm
Year 6	3:30pm – 6:50pm	3:30pm – 5:20pm	

#### Emergency School closures during cold weather—Information

If for any reason the school may be closed please check the following:

- The school website at <u>www.brockenhurstceprimary.co.uk</u>
  - Wave 105—closures will be read out on air and listed on their website www.wave105.com
- Hampshire County Council Website on school closures



# Personal Development, Behaviour and Welfare

#### **School Uniform Update**

Following the approval from Governors there has been a slight change to the Uniform Policy. The PE kit now includes a red hooded top with the school logo which will only be worn during PE lessons or sport; it is not to be worn at any other time of the school day and does not replace the school jumper. The hoodies can be obtained from PMG in New Milton or by visiting their website: <a href="https://www.pmgschoolwear.co.uk/school/Brockenhurst Primary School Brockenhurst">www.pmgschoolwear.co.uk/school/Brockenhurst Primary School Brockenhurst</a>
For further information on the full list of school uniform please visit the school website .

#### **Walk to School Week**

We have signed up for this year's Road Safety Team's walk to school week. Last year nearly 400 schools in Hampshire took part with 94,000 pupils participating. This year's national event takes place during the week of **Monday 15th to Friday 19th May** and is an excellent way of promoting healthy living, reducing congestion outside schools and teaches essential pedestrian and road safety skills.

In May parents will receive a letter explaining the event and each child will receive a log book, stickers and a certificate if they take part. Please put the date in your diary.



### Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural

#### **DUPLO AND HAPPYLAND WANTED**

Brockenhurst baby and toddler group, Busy Badgers, would like to start collections of Duplo and Happyland for its pre-schoolers to enjoy at its Friday morning sessions. If you have any unwanted items of Happyland or Duplo that you would be willing to give to Busy Badgers, then please see Sandra Penny, Year 3 Mum. All donations very gratefully received.

Yours sincerely

John Littlewood Head Teacher



#### Parent View—Ofsted website. Your Opinion Counts!

https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/login?destination=give-your-views

## <u>Vision</u>

At Brockenhurst CE Primary School our vision is to sustain and develop high quality teaching and learning; with excellent behaviours and safety for all, founded on Christian values.

#### Message from the PTA

#### The Flying Dinner Lady...

Our very own dinner lady Laura Rosser is taking to the skies and doing a tandem skydive.

Laura is raising money for MacMillan and Brockenhurst Primary School PTA, so please sponsor her!

You can donate on-line here:

https://mydonate.bt.com/events/laurarosser

#### **After School Watercolour Painting Group**

This group, for 4-8 year olds, will start again on Monday 27th February.

It meets every Monday 3.30-4.40pm in the Village Hall.

All materials are supplied and samples of the children's work is regularly displayed in the Village Hall Exhibition Room.

The cost is £15 for a six week course. Numbers are limited to twelve, so please inform the Village Hall, Tel: 622580 to book your place.

You can contact Catherine (622362) or Brenda (622182) for further details.

#### Dates for your diary for Spring term 2017:

#### PLEASE NOTE DATES AND TIMES OF EVENTS MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Spring 1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			
13/02/17	13 <sup>th</sup>	14 <sup>th</sup>	15 <sup>th</sup>	16 <sup>th</sup>	17 <sup>th</sup>			
Week 7	•	PTA Cake Sale			Y3 Swimming 12.50-3.00pm			
Half Term Monday 20 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> February 2017								
Spring 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday			

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27/02/17	27th	28th	1st	2nd	3rd			
Week 1		Parish Event/PTA Pancake Races in Brookley Road			Y3 Swimming 12.50-3.00pm			
06/03/17	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th			
Week 2					Y3 Swimming 12.50-3.00pm			
13/03/17	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th			
Week 3					Y3 Swimming 12.50-3.00pm			
					PTA Murder Mystery Event			
20/03/17	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th			
Week 4				West End in Schools (Shakespeare)	Mothers in school 9.00-11.00am			
					Y3 Swimming 12.50-3.00pm			
27/03/17	27th	28th	29th	30th	31st			
Week 5	PTA Bag2School Parents' Evening	Parents' Evening	Parents' Evening		Y3 Swimming 12.50-3.00pm			
03/04/17	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th			
Week 6	1 3.0	1	50.1	, our	10.00am TBC Easter Service St Saviour's church			
	Spring Holiday Monday 10 <sup>th</sup> – Friday 21 <sup>st</sup> April 2017							

#### Information Regarding SATs for KS1/2 & Phonic testing

The dates for the tests are as follows:

Phonics (KS1) Week commencing 12th June 2017

KS1 Testing Period—May 2017

KS2 Test week—w/c 8th May 2017.