



NEWSLETTER: ISSUE 15

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Welcome:

Dear Parents and Friends of Brockenhurst CE Primary and Pre-School

What a fantastic few weeks we have had. The sun is shining (please remember hats, water bottles and apply sun cream), children are out and about and the production has started rehearsing - I think you are in for a real treat. Details on tickets will be coming out soon.

I can also now confirm that Miss Jones who is currently undergoing Forest School Leader training will have 3 dedicated afternoons next year to provide access to Forest School for all children on a rotational basis. As you can imagine safety is a priority and we have had to put systems in place before offering to all. YR have been lucky in bedding in the setting for us this year with our thanks to Mrs O'Malley. Thank you for your patience and support in this.

I can also now confirm to you class staffing for next year:

YR – Mrs Morris supported by Mrs Shilton and Miss Welton

Y1 – Miss Prichard supported by Mrs Kitcher

Y2 – Miss Michael supported by Mrs Nixon

Y3 – Mrs Platt/Miss Lever supported by Mrs Cooper

Y4 – Miss Blick supported by Miss Langton

Y5 – Mrs Edwards/Mrs Erdbeer supported by Mrs Cowell

Y6 – Miss Martin supported by Mrs Martin

Some classes will also have additional adult support where there is need.

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Reasons to Celebrate:

Our school sports teams have had a run of success: last week our Y5/6 mixed Cricket team earned a silver medal at a tournament run by New Forest Sports Partnership. This followed the Y5/6 Girls Cricket team bringing home gold medals. Well done to all who took part.



There have also been non-competitive fun tennis events running at Priestlands School in the last fortnight which several of our year groups have had great fun taking part in.

School Notices

• A huge thank you to those who took the time to attend our online safety session on Wednesday evening. We hope you found this useful and informative. A recording of the presentation and PowerPoint are available on our school website:

<https://www.brockenhurstceprimary.co.uk/page/?title=Safeguarding&pid=92>

• We are introducing the Police and Crime Commissioner's 'Cyber Ambassador Scheme' into school this half-term. It is a peer-led scheme that aims to train our children to use taught digital skills to navigate the online landscape safely.

• KS2 production rehearsals are now well underway; Y3-6 parents will have received an email this week with details of the costumes required for each class. Tickets for each performance will go on sale soon - we will inform you via email when they are available. Please note that we are only able to accept cash or cheque as payment for tickets and that tickets cannot be reserved without payment being made.

• May we politely remind you that the Pre-School uniform is a red polo shirt and jumper with the Pre-School logo and not red school tops. A red gingham check dress may be worn in the summer term. The Pre-School uniform is practical, smart and is consistent within the Pre-School buildings, whilst also promoting being part of the school community. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

• As you are aware, our school lunch provider, HC3S have faced an unprecedented staff shortage this week across the County - thank you to everyone for your understanding and support with providing packed lunches for your children at short notice. If you know anyone interested in working in the school kitchen please go to the HCC website where details of a Catering Assistant vacancy at our school will shortly be posted:

<https://careers.newjob.org.uk/HCC/go/Hampshire-County-Council-Catering-Assistants-Jobs/1428001/>

Calendar

Mon 20th June	Bag2School Collection
Tues 21st June	Y2/6 Fire Safety talk
20th-22nd June 9am-12pm	Y6 Bikeability
Wed 29th June	Current Y5 – Swanage meeting
Fri 1st July	Highcliffe Transition Day
Tues 5th July	Y6 trip to Paultons Park
Thurs 7th July	**Sports Day**
Fri 8th July	KS2 Production dress rehearsal
Mon 11th July	KS2 Production
Tues 12th July	Priestlands Intake Day
Wed 13th July	KS2 Production
Thur 14th July	Moving up morning
Fri 15th July	Little Flames
Thur 21st July	Last Day of Summer Term
Mon 25th - Fri 29th July	Summer Holiday Club
Mon 1st - Fri 5th Aug	Summer Holiday Club
Mon 8th – Fri 12th Aug	Summer Holiday Club
Mon 15th – Fri 19th Aug	Summer Holiday Club
Thurs 1st Sept	Inset Day
Fri 2nd Sept	Inset Day
Mon 5th Sept	Children return to school

Pause For Thought

Spring being a tough act to follow, God created June – Al Bernstein