



NEWSLETTER: ISSUE 1

WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL 12th September 2025

Welcome:

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

Welcome back. It has been lovely seeing all the children settle into their new classrooms. Even those who were nervous have settled well and we are extremely proud of them. It is great to hear about their summer adventures.

Mrs Dolbear will be starting her maternity leave next week and I hope you will join me in wishing her all the best. I am sure she will bring the new arrival in to meet the children at some point during her leave. Miss Bates, whom the children have already met, will be with Year 4 from Monday until her return.

Can I also remind you that it is the PTA AGM on Tuesday after school in the library. The PTA do an amazing job and support for them is essential. Do please come along to show support and where possible get involved!

Best wishes

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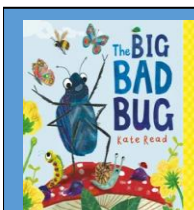
Reasons to Celebrate:



Open Mornings for both the Pre-School & Primary School are on Friday 3rd October 9.30am - 11.30am and also on Thursday 9th October at 9.30am - 11.30am.

• Come and see what makes us such a special place to learn and grow!

Set within a truly unique setting, bringing nature right to our doorstep!



Recommended Reads for EYFS:

- The Big Bad Bug by Kate Read
- Ten Little Ducklings by Lucy Rowland

School Notices

- **Rotary Christmas boxes** – we will be supporting this amazing mission to spread a little happiness to disadvantaged children in Eastern Europe. *The deadline is 18th October*, and you will be able to collect boxes from the school gate at pick up time *next week*.
- **Could we please remind you not to park in the disabled space** outside school, as it is needed by those with a Blue Badge.
- **Permanent child collection arrangements** do not roll over from last year – please could you therefore advise us via email.
- **Y7 applications are open** – deadline 31st October
- Please could you ensure you **SHUT THE GATE** at the front of school, to ensure animals do not wander in. Thank you.
- **Please could you supply Calpol**, clearly labelled with your child's name, when necessary, in order for us to medicate as needed.
- **Flu vaccinations** will be offered shortly by consent, and you will receive an email with instructions if you wish to opt out.
- **Snack shop reminder** – everything is 40p (both drinks & food)
- **Harvest Festival at St Saviour's Church – CHILDREN NEEDED FOR DRAMA!** On Sunday 5th October at 10.30am, the church will be celebrating our Harvest Festival. As part of the service, Mel (Children & Families' Worker) has written a short, fun drama retelling the story of 'Jesus feeds the 5000'. The drama has a harvest message about how nothing is wasted. There are no lines to learn but lots of fun to take part in! If your child would like to take part, please email mel@brockenhurstchurch.com Come and be part of the fun and help celebrate harvest together!

Calendar

Tues 16 th Sept	PTA AGM 3.30pm in the school library
Thur 18 th Sept	Highcliffe School open evening 5.30–8pm
23 rd -26 th Sept	Y6 trip to Swanage
Tues 30 th Sept	Individual school photographs
Mon 6 th Oct	Y6 to visit Priestlands School
Thur 9 th Oct	Y6 Highcliffe School taster day
Thur 9 th Oct	Priestlands School open evening 6pm
Tues 14 th Oct	Flu vaccinations (by consent)
Fri 17 th Oct	PTA Quiz Night
27 th -31 st Oct	Half-term holiday
Mon 3 rd Nov	Inset Day
Fri 21 st Nov	Shining Lights performance assembly
Fri 28 th Nov	PTA Xmas fete
22 nd Dec-2 nd Jan	Christmas holiday

Pause For Thought

"A positive attitude can really make dreams come true – it did for me." – David Bailey