



NEWSLETTER: ISSUE 9

WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL 13th FEBRUARY 2026

Welcome:

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

Thank you for your support and comments during our recent Church School inspection (SIAMS). The inspector was very impressed with the children, staff, parents and community. We hope to have the report after half term and be able to share with you.

It was lovely to see so many of you this week for parents evening. It is my favourite one where you can share the books and progress the children have made in the last six months. They are all certainly working hard and some of that has been captured in our Instagram posts. We are very proud of their learning behaviours.

INSET days for 2026/2027 have been confirmed with governors and are: Tuesday 1st September 2026, Wednesday 2nd September 2026, Monday 2nd November 2026, Monday 22nd February 2027 and Wednesday 21st July 2027. We will also be ending school at 1:15pm on Friday 17th July 2026 - the last day of school before the summer break. Afterschool club will still be on and start earlier at 1:15pm.

Next to this message is the QR code for the Governors Survey to parents. It should take less than 5 minutes to complete and your feedback is valuable to us in reflecting on the past and planning for the future.

Best wishes

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Reasons to Celebrate:

• Brockenhurst pupils brought energy and teamwork to the Tag Rugby event at Priestlands School, with impressive determination. Y5 & Y6 secured a silver medal and Y3 and Y4 won a bronze medal. A huge well done to all our players. What an achievement!



• The **Brock Dance Off 2026** took place on Wednesday morning, and was a huge success, with Rhinefield being announced worthy winners! Well done everyone.

School Notices

- Governors Survey QR Code



• We are proud to work closely with our active **PTA**, who are continuing to raise vital funds for school resources this year. There are a number of exciting events coming up over the next few months including a talent show, disco and the summer fete. More information to follow soon.

• **Parking at drop off and pick up times:** Under the "Park and Stride" initiative, Brockenhurst Village Trust allow parents to park at the Village Hall in Highwood Road when dropping or collecting children from school during normal hours. There is currently 2 hours free car parking allowed. Please make use of this facility to relieve pressure on local roads at these busy times. Please be considerate of local residents and do not block driveways or park dangerously.



Recommended Reads For Pre-School & YR

Blue Monster
by Petr Horacek
Hank goes Honk
by Maudie Powell-Tuck

Calendar

16 th -20 th Feb	Half-term Holiday
23 rd -24 th Feb	Y6 Bikeability
27 th Feb	Y1 Trip to Marwell
6 th March	Y4 Hooke Court Meeting 3.20pm
25 th March	Easter Service at St Saviours Church
30 th March	Easter holiday
13 th April	Summer term begins
15 th -17 th April	Y4 residential to Hooke Court
Mon 4 th May	Bank Holiday
Wed 6 th May	Class photographs
15 th May	School Disco
25 th - 29 th May	Half-term holiday
3 rd July	PTA Summer Fete
Tues 7 th July	Priestlands Intake Day
Fri 17 th July	1.15pm Finish
20 th - 22 nd July	Inset Days
Thurs 23 rd Jul	Summer holiday begins

Pause For Thought

"In February, there is everything to hope for and nothing to regret" —*Patience Strong.*