



## NEWSLETTER: ISSUE 12

## \*WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL\* 24th APRIL 2026

### Welcome:

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

How lovely it is to see the sun shining and the grounds looking good.

Thank you to all of you who have managed to add to the parent survey. We have sufficient responses to be able to reflect on our successes and plan next steps.

I look forward to seeing some of you at Anzac memorial on Sunday. Head boy, Benji and head girl, Bethany, along with myself will be laying a wreath on the school's behalf.

Best wishes

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### Reasons to Celebrate:

• Congratulations to all the children who took part in the **Gang Warily Y3/4 Cross Country** event at the end of last term. All the children showed stamina, perseverance and team spirit. We are proud to say that out of 100 runners Brockenhurst Y4 runners came 1<sup>st</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 32<sup>nd</sup>.

• Y4 enjoyed a fantastic **residential at Hooke Court** last week. They designed, built and launched their own rockets, made shell magnets, tackled low ropes and completed an orienteering challenge. During the evenings they shared stories around the campfire. The final day involved creating a culinary feast, making butter, bread, quiche, scones and jam. We are very proud of the children for demonstrating their independence, kindness and excellent behaviour throughout the trip. Thank you to all the adults who attended, making the trip possible.



### School Notices

- We have a few places remaining for Mrs Cowell's **KS2 Scooter/skateboard club**, running after-school on Wednesdays during this half-term. Log into your Scopay account in the usual way to make payment and secure your child's place. Children will need to bring their own equipment, including helmets and pads.
- Please ensure all items of uniform, including shoes, are **labelled with your child's name**. A huge amount of lost property is acquired each term; if this is unnamed and remains unclaimed by the end of term it will be donated to the PTA for second hand sale.
- If you are **late to collect your child**, they will be placed into after-school club - sessions are charged at £12. Please collect from the hall door at the front of the school.
- Brockenhurst **Anzac Service** will be held at the Commonwealth War Graves Cemetery, St Nicholas Church on Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April at 3pm. All are welcome for tea and cake provided by the Royal British Legion at Tile Barn following the service.

### Calendar

Mon 4 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday
Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Class photographs
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> May	School Disco
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 trip to Paultons Park
Thur 21 <sup>st</sup> May	Sports Day – weather permitting
25 <sup>th</sup> - 29 <sup>th</sup> May	Half-term holiday
Tues 2 <sup>nd</sup> June	Y3 trip to Beaulieu Motor Museum
Thur 4 <sup>th</sup> June	Year R 2026/27 transition meeting 6.30pm
Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> June	Y2 trip to Longdown Activity Farm
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> June	SLPA choir and singing assembly 9am
Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> June	Highcliffe Intake Day
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	PTA Summer Fete
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Priestlands Intake Day
Wed 8 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Production (evening)
Thurs 9 <sup>th</sup> July	KS2 Production (evening)
Fri 10 <sup>th</sup> July	SLPA Drums & saxophone assembly 9am
Fri 17 <sup>th</sup> July	1.15pm Finish
20 <sup>th</sup> - 22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Inset Days
Thurs 23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Summer holiday begins
20 <sup>th</sup> July to 14 <sup>th</sup> Aug	Holiday Club available for 2 -11-year-olds
17 <sup>th</sup> -31 <sup>st</sup> Aug	Grasshoppers Nursery closed
31 <sup>st</sup> Aug	Bank Holiday
1 <sup>st</sup> Sept	Grasshoppers Nursery reopens
1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup> Sept	Inset Days for Primary & Pre-School (no Holiday Club)
Thurs 3 <sup>rd</sup> Sept	Children return to School & Pre-School



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### Pause For Thought

All dreams are within reach, all you have to do is keep moving towards them – **Viola Davis**

