



## NEWSLETTER: ISSUE 13

## \*WE ARE A NUT FREE SCHOOL\* 12th May 2026

### Welcome:

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

How proud I am of Year 6. They are coming in and fully embracing the social breakfast before giving their best to the SAT's. We do not define children by how well they do in tests, but we acknowledge their resilience.

Sports Day will soon be upon us. I hope you have seen the plan for the day and will be able to join us. A request for good weather has been put in.

Best wishes

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### Reasons to Celebrate:

- We are so proud of our Year 6 children, who are completing their SATS tests this week. They have worked very hard all year, showing great determination and positive attitudes. We know they are going to do fantastically well.
- Well done to the Y3/4 Quadkids Athletics team who brought home bronze medals from last week's event at Priestlands.
- Y5 boys, Y5 girls, Y6 boys and Y6 girls teams attended a Cross Country fixture at Gang Warily sports ground on 30<sup>th</sup> April. All our individual runners did brilliantly, earning points with their finishing placements towards the team totals. The Y5 girls team finished 10<sup>th</sup> and Y5 boys 18<sup>th</sup>. Y6 girls and boys teams came in 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> out of 21 teams respectively.

As the weather starts to improve, please could you ensure that your child has a **sun hat** with them and that **sun cream** is applied, when necessary, in the morning before arriving. Unfortunately, we are unable to apply sunscreen to your children during the day due to a number of children with allergies.

### Book Recommendations: Years 3 & 4

- Zoe's Rescue Zoo:  
The Messy Meerkat  
by Sophy Williams
- The Boy Who Saved a Bear  
by Nizrana Farook



### School Notices

- We are pleased to share the arrangements for **Sports Day** on Thursday 21st May: Parents are welcome to join the children on the field for a picnic lunch from 11.30am before the sports events in the afternoon - please sign in at the school office. The afternoon events will begin at 12.45pm and will be finished in time for the end of the school day; children will return to their classrooms before being dismissed in the usual way. Pre-School children will join on the field at approximately 2pm. Please be aware that any photographs taken during sports day, that include children other than your own, should be for personal use only. Please do not post these on social media unless you have permission from the parents of those children included in the photograph. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.
- QR codes to access your children's **class photographs** have been sent home via your child's bookbag this week. Y6 also have individual codes to access their last individual photograph before moving on at the end of the summer term. The order deadline for free delivery to school is Tuesday 2nd June at 11am.
- There will be a **new school lunch menu** when we return after the half-term holiday; this will run until October half-term. Current menus can be viewed on our school [website](#).
- **Money owed:** Please can we ask that you make regular checks on your ScoPay account for any lunch or trip monies outstanding. Any debt takes directly away from what we can spend on the children.

### Calendar

Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> May	PTA Disco <b>POSTPONED</b>
Tues 19 <sup>th</sup> May	Y6 trip to Paultons Park
Wed 20 <sup>th</sup> May	<b>Y5 to Ballard for Mary Poppins production</b>
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
Tues 9 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Y5 trip to New Forest Heritage Centre</b>
Thurs 11 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Y1 trip to Lepe beach</b>
Thur 18 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>Y5 Highcliffe School taster morning</b>
Mon 22 <sup>nd</sup> June	<b>Y6 Leaver Service - Winchester Cathedral</b>
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	Y6 Highcliffe Intake Day
Fri 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	PTA Summer Fete
Tues 7 <sup>th</sup> July	Y6 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
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Moving up morning</b>
Mon 13 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Meet the Teacher 3.15pm</b>
Thur 16 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Y6 Leavers Service – St Saviour's (am)</b>
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

### Pause For Thought

The future belongs to those that believe in the beauty of their dreams – Eleanor Roosevelt