

Bredhurst Church Of England Primary School



Parents As Partners

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Self Control
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Dear Parents



I hope you all had a restful and enjoyable Easter break. We were certainly lucky with the weather during the first week off!

Hopefully the sun will begin to shine again now we have returned back to school.

We have a short but very busy half term. Both years 2 + 6 have their end of Key Stage SATS tests during this term. Meetings have been planned for parents to inform you of the process and how the results are reported to you.



Year 6 will be on Wednesday 26th April at 5.00p.m.

Year 2 will be on Thursday 11th May at 5.00p.m.

If you are unable to attend these meetings, the information will be added to the website for your information.

The children have all begun their new topics this week, the curriculum maps will be sent out to you next week with more detail on the learning to take place.

Fir Tree Class are learning about volcanoes.

Forge Class are starting the book 'Flat Stanley'.

Hurstwood Class are learning about 'Dragons'.

In Kemsley Class the children will be studying Ancient Greece.

Oakwood Class will be consolidating all their prior teaching as a build up to their SATS tests.

The children are beginning to practise their dances for May Day which will be held on Saturday 20th May, the Maypole has been erected and costumes are being sorted!

We have a production of 'The Lion, The Witch and The Wardrobe' on 26th April which all the children will be watching. Key Stage 2 children will then be involved in a stage craft workshop after the performance, unfortunately there is a cost to this, please speak to myself or school office if you are unable to meet this cost.



We have a 'Spring afternoon' on Thursday 27th April in which you are invited to join your child/ren in a craft spring activity—similar to the Advent Event in December.

Spirit of Bredhurst this Week



Fir Tree **Ciaran Jennings**

Forge **Holly Checkland**

Hurstwood **Robin Rose**

Kemsley **Natasha Sadiq**

Oakwood **Oliver Stevens**

Stars of the Week

Fir Tree

Bradley Groves

Forge

Louis Fiolka

Hurstwood

Charley Pratten

Kemsley

Sophia Springer

Oakwood

Oliver Stevens



A swimming letter was sent out on Wednesday explaining the price for swimming has increased. If you are unable to meet this increase in cost do speak to myself or school office in confidence.

Our intention is to keep the pool open until October as we did last year, ensuring the children are able to get the most from the pool as possible—this will obviously be weather dependent. A swimming timetable will be sent out shortly informing you which class are swimming on which day. If you are able to help with these sessions please also indicate this on the form. Unfortunately we will not be able to permit children to swim if we do not have the permissions slips returned.



Dates for your Diary

Tuesday 25th April

Music Worship

Wednesday 26th April

Performance for Children 2p.m.

Wednesday 26th April

YR6 SATS Mtg. for parents 5p.m.

Thursday 27th April

Spring Afternoon 2p.m.

Friday 28th April

Orchard Run YR3-6 (more info to follow for selected children)

Monday 1st May

Bank Holiday

Tuesday 2nd May

FOBs meeting 3.35p.m.

Thursday 4th May

Hurstwood Class 'Living Land Event'

Thursday 4th May

Hockey Team to Anchorians

Friday 5th May

Sweet Tag Day

Monday 8th May—Thursday 11th May Year 6 SATS

Thursday 11th May

YR2 SATS Mtg. for parents 5p.m.

Thursday 18th May

Hockey Team to Anchorians

Saturday 20th May

MAY DAY

Wednesday 24th May

Tea + Talk—Maths

Monday 29th May

Half Term Break

Monday 5th June

Staff Development Day

Tuesday 6th June

Children return to school

Best Wishes

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Head Teacher