Bredhurst Church Of England Primary School



Parents As Partners

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Church of England Vision for Education

Deeply Christian, Serving the Common Good.

John 10:10 "I came that you might have life, life in all its fullness".

Bredhurst Church of England Primary Vision:

To learn and grow through the guidance and love of God.



Dear parents,

Thank you to all those parents who attended the maths workshops on Wednesday evening. The feedback from you showed how informative and helpful you found it in supporting your child with their maths learning. We have put some helpful guides on our school website to help you understand how we teach each of the 4 operation—addition, subtraction, multiplication and division in each year group.

We are planning to offer a phonics and reading workshop next as this seems to be the area which the most support and guidance is needed. We will be sending out a date for Term 3.

Our firework display was a roaring success last week with almost £2000 raised from the ticket sales, merchandise and refreshments bought on the night. Thank you to all those parents, grand parents, aunts, uncles and family friends who supported us. Thank you to the parents who helped to man stalls on the evening. Finally a particular thank you to both Mrs Sullivan and Mrs Shepherd who work tirelessly behind the scenes to both raise money for our school and to ensure our children are provided opportunities and experience. Some of the money raised will go towards funding some of the trip cost to the pantomime at The Hazlitt on Thursday 5th December, meaning parental contribution will be £10, this is for the ticket and coach travel. The rest of the money raised will go towards enriching

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This term becomes very busy, we always have a variety of activities and experiences to stimulate and widen the children's knowledge. Do keep an eye out for the different events and activities taking place in the build up to Christmas.

Our advent event will be taking place on Friday 29th November at 1.45p.m. there will be small gifts and crafts your child has made as well as refreshments on sale in the hall before the event, which will take place on the front playground. (weather permitting).



Our Remembrance Worship was very thought provoking with children being reminded of lives lost due to war and also thinking how they can use the message of peace and resolving conflict in their play and lives. Well done to Alexus Treeby who sold the merchandise after school. A terrific £246.94 was raised.

Children in Need Tag Day today was very spotty, sporty and colourful with two children actually dressed as Pudsey! Well done to all the children. We raised £113 for Children in Need.

Finally, I am relieved that the traffic lights have finally gone and with them the queues and disruption. I know it was a very hectic time with you trying to drop your children off in time for the start of the school day. During this time parking became difficult due to the backlog of vehicles. Can I remind you to be mindful of where you park—this includes not parking in the new Blacksmith Court development.

Best Wishes

Mrs Cox Head Teacher

Spirit of Bredhurst this Week

Fir Tree **Lennie Smith**

Thomas Newell Forge

Hurstwood Charlie McCann

Kemsley **Alexus Treeby**

Oakwood **Robyn Taylor**

Writer of the Week

Fir Tree **Henry Murphy**

Forge Eden Tasker-Twinn

Hurstwood Isaac Jackson

Ronnie Killick Kemsley

Oakwood **Darcie Killick**

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Monday 18th KS1 Football + KS2 Football

Millie Jeary

April Grant

Devon Louden

Sienna Hegley

Hurstwood Elliott Abdey

Fir Tree visit to Chatham Dockyard. Wednesday 27th

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Stars of the Week

Thursday 28th KS2 Football Friday 29th **KS2 Girls Football** Advent Event Friday 29th

<u>December</u>

Wednesday 4th Fir Tree AOW

Wednesday 4th Year 6 Rochester Cathedral—Age Concern

Thursday 5th Panto—Hazlitt Beauty and the Beast (Whole School) Thursday 5th Gift sale Wrapping Preparations Volunteers needed

Friday 6th FOBS Gift sale

Monday 9th KS1 Performance @ 2.00p.m. Tuesday 10th Flu Immunisation YrR-Yr6

KS1 Xmas Production @ 6.00p.m. Wednesday 11th

Thursday 12th KS2 Performance to Parents @ 6.00p.m.

Friday 13th **Xmas Lunch**

Monday 16th Xmas Disco 3.30p.m.—5.30p.m.

Tuesday 17th **Xmas Parties**

Wednesday 18th Staff Development Day





Don't forget Christmas decorations will be on sale after school on Monday 18th November on the front playground. These will be used at the Advent Event.



St Peter's Christmas Fayre in the village hall is on Saturday **7th December** –Come and Meet Santa in the Church before the fun begins in the hall.

Don't forget to fill out the NHS consent form for your child to have their Flu Immunisation. This must be done before 2.12.19

