

Weekly Update

Friday 23rd June 2023

Updates this Week



IMPORTANT: School events affected by the NEU Strike Action

As you will be aware, the NEU recently announced another set of dates for strike action. These dates are Wednesday 5th July & Friday 7th July. We will be writing to you to confirm arrangements for these days closer to the time.

Sports Day 2023

Early indications are that our planned <u>Sports Day for Years 1-6 will be affected by the strike</u>. Having looked at the diary there are no other viable alternative dates due to events already happening across the school. This means that sports day will not be taking place this year. Please know we have tried to find alternatives but without cancelling other planned events it is just not possible. We are grateful to our teaching staff for the very advanced warning that sports day is likely to be affected so that parents have plenty of notice regarding this event change.

Transition Days for Year 6

Another date which could have been impacted by the proposed strike action is Wednesday 5th July, which is one of the transition days for Year 6 going into Bracknell Forest Secondary Schools. We have been consulting with these schools and have been informed that they will be prioritising the pupils attending for transition so these dates will not be affected by the strike action.

Book Fair

It's been lovely seeing so many of you visiting the Book Fair this week. Don't forget that Monday is the last day that the Book Fair is with us so there is still time to come along and grab a 3 for 2 bargain!

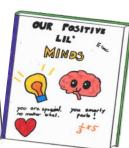
Competition Winners

We had so many amazing entries for our 'Design a Book Cover' competition and it was incredibly hard for to choose only 5 winners out of all of them. Well done to William, Fariyah, Angel, Dylan and Joey who have each won a £5 voucher to spend at the Book Fair.









Everyone who took part should be very proud of themselves as the quality, creativity and variety of wonderful ideas was absolutely fantastic – what a GREAT competition!

Wishing you all a relaxing weekend.



Richard Ferris Headteacher **Diary Dates**

Thursday 29th June Year 3/4 Trip to Winchester Science Centre

FRoGS Year 6 Cake Sale after school

Friday 30th June Inset Day, pupils not in school Tuesday 4th July Year 1/2 Trip to Living Rainforest

Year 6 Performance for Parents (afternoon and evening) Wednesday 5th July Year 6 Transition to Secondary School (Bracknell Forest) Thursday 6th July Year 6 Transition to Secondary School (Bracknell Forest)

10th – 12th July Year 6 Residential Trip to Runways End

Thursday 13th July Year 5 Brass Performance for Parents at 2.30pm

Friday 14th July Year 6 Trip to Legoland

FRoGS Year 5 Cake Sale after school

Monday 17th July Year 6 Water Day

Nursery End of Year Picnic – 11.15am

Tuesday 18th July Year 6 Prom – 6.00pm-8.00pm

Weds 19th July Graduation Assembly at 10.00am, details to follow

End of term at 2.15pm

We will do our best to update you as soon as possible in the event of any changes being made.

A GREAT Pupil Achievement



We love to share good news from our pupils and we are delighted to hear this week that Taylor in Year 6 entered a Young Writers competition and her work is going to be published. She received a certificate to celebrate such a terrific achievement, and we'd all like to say a big well done to her – GREAT work Taylor!

School Lunch Price Increase from September



We have received notification from the local authority that the price for a school meal will be increasing to £2.39 each day from September 2023.

Our school meal provider, Caterlink, are also asking for feedback from parents and carers via a short survey which can be found here: https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/M67CD59 - the survey will close on 21st July.

New Key Stage 1 Play Equipment

The KS1 playground equipment is beginning to take shape and we are all very excited to see the progress being made by the installation team.

They are on track for it to be finished next week, so look out for some photos in next week's newsletter!

Important – Water Bottles in School

Please make sure that your child has a water bottle in school which they will access throughout the day. We do ask that you do not send in your child with water in other types of containers, e.g. used PRIME bottles or squash bottles, as this causes confusion.





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