

Broadwood Primary School Easter Newsletter



A Message from Mrs Mitcheson

Although I am just starting my journey at Broadwood, unfortunately some of our staff will be leaving us at the end of Summer term, moving on to new adventures. I would like to say a huge 'thank you' to Mrs Bowden (who has dedicated many years to Broadwood), Mr McDonald, Miss Shaw, Mrs Fraser, Mrs Hope and Miss Morgan. Mr Inkster will be joining us in September. More information will follow!

MOVING ON

It is that time of year where children are starting to think about which class they will be joining in September and who will be their teacher. Some children have worries about this and may need a little extra support with these changes. If your child needs that support can you please see Mrs

MORNING SHAKE UP

What a shame! Since starting our morning shake-up routine we have experienced so much rain! The children really do enjoy beginning the school day in this way. It would be lovely if we could have them all in the yard at 8:45 so everybody can join in. Parents are welcome to join in too!

EARLY YEARS VISIT TO THE FARM

On Tuesday 4th June all of the Reception children and lots of our parents and carers visited Thornton Farm near Morpeth.

They had an absolutely amazing time holding the chicks, watching the lambs being fed and exploring habitats and looking at mole hills! The farmers fed back that the children were amazing and the parents were outstanding!! Thank you parents.

Many thanks to David Thompson, a local farmer who works with the Countrywide Trust. Every year he works with us to help plan all of our farm visits....and each year the children get so much from these experiences. They certainly wouldn't be possible without his help and support.

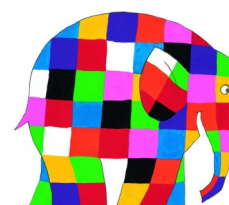
BEST ATTENDANCE

A huge well done to OAK class who had the best attendance in the school last half term.

They will be having a treat to reward them—what will it be?

ELMER COMPETITION

A huge well done to Ruhab who has won the Elmer Design Competition. Her entry was very detailed and well thought out and we are all very proud of her success. Look out for her design on the Metro Trains over the coming months.



DATES FOR PARENTS

- 17.06.19—Drop in for children starting Reception in September 3:15 to 4:15
- 18.06.19—Operation Encompass Drop in 3pm
- 20.06.19—Year 5 to visit Kenton School (Taster session)
- 21.06.19—Year 5 Debating Competition at the Civic Centre—good luck Year 5
- 21.06.19—Nursery closed for current children—new starters Open Day
- 24.06.19—Year 6 visit to Lightwater Valley
- 28.06.19—Year 3 (Oak) Family Assembly 2:10pm
- 01.07.19—Year 3 visit to the Farm
- Monday 01.07.19 and Friday 05.07.19—Bikeability Year 5
- 02.07.19—Sports Day EYs/KS1 9:15, KS2 10:30 (may continue into the afternoon)
- 04.07.19—Year 4 visit to the Farm
- 04.07.19—Year 6 visit to the Farm
- WB 08.07.19—Transition week (children moving to new classes for 4 mornings)
- Tues 09.07.19—Y1/2 parents visit new class 9:15am
- Wed 10.07.19— Y3/4 parents visit new class 9:15am
- Thurs 12.07. 19—Y5/6 parents visit new class 9:15am
- 09.07.19— Super Splash Hero Panto in school (all year groups)
- 09.07.19—Bikeability for Year 4 and Year 5 parents after school
- 11.07.19—Summer Fair after school (Book Fair will also be in school)
- 15.07.19— Reports to be given to parents today

ROAD SAFETY



Can we politely ask parents/carers to be considerate when parking on Broadwood Road, thinking of both residents and the children who attend our school. Our new bike and scooter stores should be with us in July—would be great if you could scoot or cycle to school!

WHOLE SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Remember we are working towards a whole school attendance this year of 96.5% attendance by the end of the summer term.

We are currently 95.31%

