



Brownhills West Newsletter

Friday 23rd June 2017

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Well Done Brownhills West!

We were thrilled to be able to finally share our Ofsted report and 'GOOD' outcome with you all last week. I'm sure you'll agree, it was a very pleasing report with many strengths identified, as well as scope for improvement in the future. When speaking with the inspectors, they were so complimentary about the children and their attitudes to learning and school life; they were very impressed indeed. Well done to everyone involved, it was a real team effort.

Y5/6 Football Tournament

On Monday afternoon we headed off to Bescot Stadium to take part in a boys football tournament. We played 7 matches against 7 different schools. It was really hot and sweaty! Team work was used throughout and we all took it in turns to substitute each other. We didn't score any goals but Jaq almost did. It was an exciting and enjoyable experience. We loved it!

By Jaq, Jerod, Ben & Tom (Y5)

Attendance

Last week's winners were Year 2 with 98%.

This week's winners also with 98% are Reception.

Well done to both classes!

As you may know our school attendance target is a minimum of 95%, even though we strive to achieve 100%. Our overall attendance is currently 95.6%.



A-Stars Day out

On Wednesday we went to the Town Hall in Walsall to take part in the A-Stars Road Safety competition. We had to answer questions about keeping safe whilst crossing the road. There were 26 schools in total taking part and we were so proud that we came 12th place overall. We got to meet the Mayor of Walsall and have our photograph taken with him. We were also given a gift bag each with bottle, pencil case, highlighter, ruler, certificate and glowing key ring. In addition to the quiz we had to take part in some physical activities all around the hall and were even given a buffet lunch. It was a fabulous day and we all really enjoyed it.



By Megan & Bethany (Y5); Gracie & Shayne (Y4)

Thank you!

Many thanks to everyone who sent in donations for the summer fair. A reminder that children in Bright Beginnings, Nursery and Reception are to bring their contributions of cakes and plants in on Friday 30th June.



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Summer Term diary dates and useful info - please keep for future reference!

This half of the summer term is always very busy, with lots going on; here are some things to look out for...

Our **Summer Fair** is scheduled for Friday 30th June from 3.30pm-5pm. There will be many stalls (such as raffle, tombola, decorate a biscuit, hook a duck, class craft, welly wanging and refreshments) as well as a bouncy castle and ice cream van. All are welcome to attend.

KS2 parents should have received letters for tickets for the production '**Shakespeare Rocks**', which will take place on Thursday 6th July. The children and staff have been working incredibly hard on creating a musical masterpiece that will not disappoint, so be sure to send in your ticket requests asap. Please speak to the office if you have not yet received a letter.

IMPACT workshops for Maths are scheduled for the week commencing 10th July (exact dates and times are below; Year 6 will **not** be having a session). As with previous workshops, we request that a parent/other family member attends the session. Further details will be sent out, but be sure to save the date now!

The **End of Year Disco / Leavers Disco** is scheduled for Thursday 20th July 2017. The disco for all pupils will run from **5.30-6.30pm** and we kindly request that parents remain for children in Bright Beginnings and Nursery. From **6.30-7pm** the disco will be for **Year 6 pupils only**.

DATES

Fri 30th June from 3.30-5pm: Summer Fair

Thur 6th July: Years 3-6 Production of 'Shakespeare Rocks' @ 9.30am, 2pm & 6pm

Tues 11th July @ 9.15am: Nursery and Reception Maths IMPACT session

Wed 12th July @ 9.15am: Year 1 & 2 Maths IMPACT session

Thur 13th July @ 9.15am: Year 3 & 4 Maths IMPACT session

Fri 14th July @ 9.15am: Year 5 Maths IMPACT session

Thur 20th July @ 9.30am: GOLD PRAISE

Thurs 20th July: 5.30-6.30pm Disco for all

6.30-7pm Year 6 only Disco

Fri 21st July @ 9.30am: Year 6 Leavers Service

Monday 24th and Tuesday 25th July: TRAINING DAYS (School closed)

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