



Broadstone Hall Primary School

Newsletter

September 2016

Headteacher's Note

On behalf of all the staff at Broadstone Hall Primary School, I would like to welcome you back to the new academic year. It was great to see all the pupils return after the summer holidays this week with such a positive attitude. We have had a bit of a paint job inside school with new coloured doors and corridors to brighten up the school.

There will be lots of exciting learning opportunities and activities coming up this year for children in all year groups. We are also hoping to run all our usual events for parents and carers.

We will be holding a parents' meeting on Monday 26th of September to share data and information about the school with you, but also to ask your opinion about what the school could do to improve.

We hope that this year the excellent support that you give to our school will carry on as we continue to make Broadstone Hall a caring, respectful and co-operative learning community.

Simon Langley,
Headteacher.

Dates for your Diary:

There is a full list of dates on the reverse of this sheet.

School Uniform

It was really encouraging to see all of the children return to school wearing the correct uniforms and looking smart. I would like to remind parents and carers that earrings are **not** allowed in school and pupils must take any earrings out before they come to school in the morning. This ruling was made with regard to health and safety for children in school and was decided by the governing body in 2013 and still applies.

After School Clubs

There are still some places left in the after school clubs for this term. For administrative reasons, the register for each club must close this Friday so if you want to book your child in a club this needs to be completed by the end of 09/09/16. www.ParentPay.com or Ask the office for details about Parent Pay if you are unsure.

Lost Property

It is very important that every item that your child brings to school has their name on. We can only keep lost property for so long so it is very important that the children take some responsibility for their own belongings.

Mobile Phones

The school does **not** allow children to bring mobile phones to school **unless** they regularly walk home on their own. There is no other reason why children would need to have a phone in school and if they are not handed in at the office, they are at risk from damage and theft. If your child fits into the category above, please fill in a permission form at the office.

Website Update

This week we will be working hard to ensure that all the information on the school website is up to date for this year. Each year group will have its own page with a range of activities that you can do at home with your children. We will also have a new updated timetable and curriculum long term plan for each year on the site very soon. Please make the website one of your favourites and encourage your children to log on regularly. We would also like as many parents as possible to start following our School Spider app, which can be downloaded from the website.

Twitter Feed

As many of you will know, we reluctantly suspended our Twitter feed at the end of last year due to some safeguarding issues surrounding the use of images which appear on it. The vast majority of our parents have given permission for their children's images to be put on our Twitter feed, but I was recently made aware that screenshots of these images can then be put on other social media, which parents have not given their permission for. I have asked for advice on this issue from the Stockport LA Safeguarding Service and we will hope to reinstate some form of Twitter feed based on their advice in the near future.

Traffic Calming

We are waiting on the outcome of the meeting that was held in July concerning traffic calming issues around school. As soon as we have any news we will let you know. In the meantime we would ask all parents to be careful, respectful and co-operative parkers around school.

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Dates List September -November 2016

DATE	EVENT	VENUE	YEAR GROUP
08/09/16	Bikeability training Cancelled	School	Y5
09/09/16	Bikeability training for pre-booked children	School	Y6
14/09/16	Individual Photos	School	All
14/09/16	FOB autumn meeting	Super Heroes Room 7-8pm	All Parents Welcome
16/09/16	Forest School Friday sessions start	School Grounds	Y3 NO
16/09/16	International Dot Day	School	All
19/09/16	Yr 4LMC Historical Walk around Stockport	Stockport	Y4
21/09/16	Yr 3/4SH/JB Historical Walk around Stockport	Stockport	Class Yr3/4
22/09/16	Yr 4 Historical Walk around Stockport	Stockport	Y4
23/09/16	FOB Bingo Night	Hall 7-9pm	Parents and children
26/09/16	Parents' meeting information /feedback	School Hall 6-7pm	Y1-Y6 parents
04/10/16	Y1 Dinosaur trip	Manchester Museum	Y1 JEA + Y1VH
06/10/16	Y1 Dinosaur trip	Manchester Museum	Y1 LJ
10/10/16	Eagle Eye Road Safety	School	Various
11/10/16	Eagle Eye Road Safety	School	Various
17/10/16	Eagle Eye Road Safety	School	Various
18/10/16	Eagle Eye Road Safety	School	Various
21/10/16	Curriculum celebration session	School Hall 2:15-3:15pm	Y1-Y6
21/10/16	School closes for half term 3:15/3:20pm		
31/10/16	School closed, staff training day		
01/11/16	School opens 8:55am, breakfast club 8am		
08/11/16	Flu vaccination day	School	Y1
11/11/16	Parents' assembly	School hall 9:00am	Y3/4 SH/JB
14/11/16	Parent ,pupil and teacher interviews	School 3:30-7:30pm	Y2-LM only
15/11/16	Y2 trip to Nantwich	All day	Y2 LM
16/11/16	Y2 trip to Nantwich	All day	Y2 MK and Y2 LH
17/11/16	Parent ,pupil and teacher interviews	School 3:30-7:30pm	REC-Y6
22/11/16	Parent ,pupil and teacher interviews	School 3:30-7:30pm	REC-Y6
25/11/16	Parents' assembly	School hall 9:00am	Y3 CO
02/12/16	Christmas Fair	School hall 6-8pm	All year groups
09/12/16	Parents' assembly	School hall 9:00am	Y5 JG

This list is accurate at the time of printing; more events may be announced later in the term.

A full dates list for Christmas will be published before October half term.

Please check school website www.broadstonehallschool.co.uk and School Spider App for up to date information.