



BROADSTONE HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week 25 ending 3rd March 2023



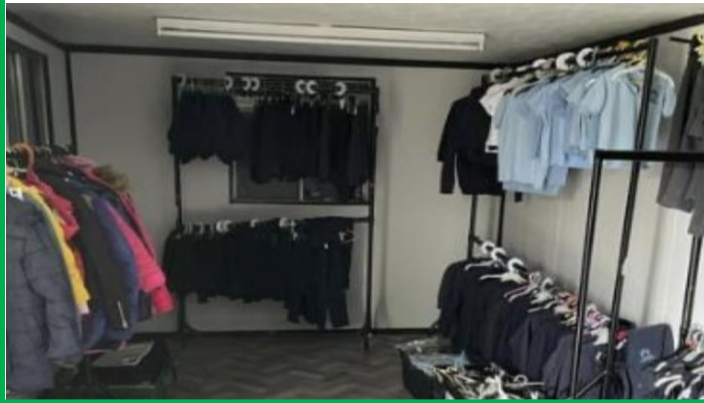
Welcome to the Broadstone Hall Primary School Newsletter!

We trust that you all had a restful half term and are fully charged. The efforts made to improve uniform standards over the break have not gone unnoticed so, thank you.

Being dressed correctly gives the children a sense of belonging and a readiness to learn. We know it is not easy during the current climate & we would like to give all children the equal opportunity to access uniform.

Therefore, we have been making steps to try and support this. **THE VISION:**

"FREE TO A GOOD HOME" SHOP



We would like to create a way of recycling the mass of unnamed lost property we accumulate & an opportunity for parents to access free uniform. Once up and running we will stock it with underwear, swimming gear and anything else we think would help.

We are looking for donations of any coat hangers, please drop them off at the Office and once the shop is set up we will ask for donations of what uniform we are short of.

Y2 MATHS MORNING

We had an unbelievable turnout of parents who attended our Y2 Maths Morning! It was a great way to demonstrate our 'Mastering Number Programme' we are using in school. How many times have we used the phrase as parents, **"That's not how I used to do it at school."**

The aim over time is that children will leave KS1 with fluency in calculation and a confidence and flexibility with number.



CHECK HIM OUT!

Special mention to **Theo B 2MK/Boathouse** who won PSCL "Player of the Week," during the Feb Holiday Courses for his amazing listening & sportsmanship! Way to go Theo!

NEW!!! PARENT GOVERNOR APPOINTMENT

We are delighted to announce our new parent governor is **Mr. Joe Gregory**. Joe has a child in our Nursery; so we would like to welcome him to the beginning of his Broadstone Hall life and thank him for his commitment to the school so early on in his daughter's education. A little bit about Joe;

"I co-founded a legal recruitment business in 2016, having previously managed a team at a national recruitment agency. I have experience of starting a business and setting and delivering a growth strategy, through a variety of challenges over the last 7 years. I manage and mentor skilled professionals, while also undertaking a full fee earning caseload. I understand the need for strong financial management of businesses and have experience of taking tough decisions in turbulent times. I have successfully recruited and onboarded skilled and motivated staff; fully implemented a GDPR policy; dealt with different types of HR issues, developed and implemented a policy to combat cyber-crime (given we hold extensive personal data); and managed the migration to home/flexible working during the Covid 19 pandemic. Externally, I advise HR teams in large, international law firms on recruitment and retention and liaise with senior legal professionals at board level. I think of myself as a balanced and clear thinker, able to consider all sides of any negotiation, and colleagues and clients appreciate my ability to find solutions. I think that my business management and HR related experience could be of service to the school in the years ahead as a parent governor, I am keen to make a meaningful contribution to the school and the broader community in the years to come."

I think you will agree it is great to have Joe onboard.

SMALL BUSINESS SUPPORT

In an effort to give back, after all the support you have shown the school over recent months, please **find attached** a list of small independent businesses who took the opportunity to advertise through our newsletter.

DISCLAIMER: As a school, we cannot validate or endorse these adverts. Any business entered into is between yourself and the company and done so at your own risk.

WORLD BOOK DAY 2023

Too many amazing costumes to choose from...take a look for yourselves at the fantastic turn out once again this year for World Book Day 2023. **Photos attached**

Don't forget to spend your book token before 8th March

*****JOB VACANCY Cover Supervisor*** Scale 3**

30 hours per week Monday – Friday 8.45am – 3.15pm

Start date: March 2023 or asap

We would like to appoint a committed, creative and enthusiastic Cover Supervisor to cover maternity leave.



WRITER OF THE WEEK:

Reception RICC

RJA – "Cooperative" - **Lincoln B** great improvements working well with his peers.

RLR "Independent" - **Euan W** for independently segmenting when writing!

RBW "Confidence" - **Daisy L** for her growing confidence to sound talk her words independently and her super efforts in her writing this week. Well done! 😊

Year 1:

1CH **Matilda E** – super work writing about our new topic
1CR **Mia G** - for lovely handwriting and using time connectives independently.

Class 1/2 Ella C - superb handwriting and always finishing her writing to a very high standard and applying everything we have asked of her. Amazing work as always 😊

Year 2:

2MK **Billy B** - For having a super week and for being ready to learn!

2CB **Isabelle M** for a fantastic setting description about the chocolate room for World Book Day!

Year 3:

3VH **Archie O** for working so hard on his handwriting and presentation

3ZA **Polly B** for writing a great recount with lots of detail

3DM **Lilla B** – Lilla made a great start on her recount of our Egyptian day, with a super introduction. Well done!

Year 4:

4FM **Ava R** for a great comic strip retelling the story of the Trojan Horse

4EE *****DOUBLE AWARD***** – **Charlie P** for working really hard on his story about the Fall of Troy.

4SH **Francesca B** for an imaginative and humorous piece of writing in Science about the journey of food through the digestive system.

Year 5:

5RT **Ella W** for a fabulous diary entry based on The Lost Thing

5TL **Ben C**: For a very well written Diary entry with examples of reported speech. This week the children have been learning the differences between direct speech and reported speech. In the role of Shaun from our class text, the lost thing, Ben has made a very well written diary entry including these devices, as well as fronted adverbials and expanded noun phrases.

5LK **Mia H** for writing some excellent, high-level reported speech sentences

Year 6:

6AB **Emily P** has shown great resilience while editing and improving a number of pieces of writing.

6KH **Alfie G** for a great piece of research on the Blitz

6ZW **Misi Z** for great attitudes to writing and the editing and improving stages.



STAR OF THE WEEK:

Reception

RJA **Subhan F** - superb improvements with reading and great attitude to learning

RLR **Felix M** for increased confidence

RBW **Ryan L** has made a super effort this week to show good listening behaviour and has shown super enthusiasm to have a go at everything and tried his best. Well done!

Year 1:

1CH **Alfie E** – Much improved behaviour & work. Much better listening too!

1CR **Violet H** - for being a kind and helpful friend

Class 1/2 Henry D for coming back to school this week with a super attitude and working so hard. Well done Henry 😊

Year 2:

2MK **Joe G** - For using super vocabulary and punctuation in his setting description

2CB **Emie B-S** for always giving 100% and being a caring friend.

Year 3:

3VH **Scarlett R** for being such a co-operative learner and for being kind and helpful to her shoulder partner

3ZA **Alisa R** for working very hard and trying her best.

3DM **Peaches T** - Peaches has been a lovely, kind and caring member of 3DM recently. I am so proud, keep it up!

Year 4:

4FM **Aaron S** for a fantastic effort all week and working well with his new shoulder partner

4EE *****DOUBLE AWARD***** - **Charlie P** has had a fantastic week. Charlie has worked really hard and been a super role model! **WELL DONE CHARLIE!!!**

4SH **Rosie G** for demonstrating all of the school's core learning values every week.

Year 5:

5RT **Alannah C** excellent work all week, especially in Maths

5TL **Amelia McL** for improved writing and reading across the curriculum. Amelia has really worked hard on her handwriting and reading this week and is showing much improvement, keep it up!

5LK **Tegan D** for excellent effort in her English and Maths this week. Keep up the hard work!

Year 6:

6AB **Milo D** is always caring, cooperative and respectful and has a great attitude to learning.

6KH **Olivia H** for a consistently brilliant approach to learning in class!

6ZW **Jaiden C** for being a caring, cooperative, and respectful member of our class.

Keep up the good work!