



### Headteacher's Note

Dear Parents and Carers, I would like to say a big thank you to all of you who attended the KS2 Sports Day last week. One parent stopped me to say how much the children seemed to enjoy the whole event. I would like to thank Mr. McAlpine and the sports coaches for organising the event so well. I hope that we will get really good weather again for the KS1 Sports Day (09/07/19) and the EYFS Sports Day. (17/07/19)

We are very proud to provide so many opportunities for children to work together in a range of sports activities that are available at the school which include afterschool clubs, lunchtime games and now a before school martial arts club run by Jason Baird. This club operates on a Tuesday morning between 8 and 8:45am and any KS2 pupils are welcome to attend for a fee of £5 per session. Our wraparound care for children operates before school, at lunchtimes, in our afterschool clubs and soon in our new provision; The Broadstone Hall Post Learning Hub, starting in September 2019. "The Hub" will provide wrap around care for pupils from 3:15 until 6pm and pupils who already attend one of our clubs can come along after 4:30pm. Details and booking forms are now on our website.

Yours sincerely,  
Simon Langley,  
Headteacher

### Y6 Writing Moderation

The children in Y6 completed their SATs tests before the Whitsun holidays and we will be getting their results very soon. However, they have had to continue working very hard since then as our school was picked for a writing moderation visit by the Local Authority. The children have applied themselves brilliantly to editing and improving examples of their writing (totally independently from their teachers) as is expected in the National Testing and Assessment Arrangements.

The children did really well and the LA assessors were very impressed, not only with the quality of the work that the children had completed, but also by how well the work was organised by the class teachers who were able to demonstrate how well they knew the individual children's work and attainment in writing. I would like to thank Mr. Bagguley, Mrs. Marron, Mrs. Posner, Mrs. Orndal, Mrs. Wager and Ms. Rogers for all their hard work in organising the moderation visit.

### Da Vinci Afternoon

On the afternoon of Thursday 18/07/19, we will be beholding an exhibition of children's work to celebrate the 500 year anniversary of the death of Leonardo Da Vinci. He was not only a brilliant artist but also an inventor, scientist, designer and sculptor so he is a great focus for study. The exhibition will take place in the School Hall from 2pm to 3:10pm and will include a range of work from pupils in both KS1 and KS2. Please come along if you can and see the work that the children have completed.

### FOB Events

FOB are determined to run the usual summer events for the benefit of the children, including the Fun Afternoon, on the afternoon of 12/07/19 and the Summer Garden Party in the evening of the 22/07/19. The children's discos took place last week and were very successful and I would like to thank all those parents who came to help at them. If you can help in any way, please get in touch with FOB via the School Office.

### Parking Outside School

If you are attending any of our summer events, please could you remember to park considerately around our neighbouring properties. Can I also point out that it is against the Highway Code to park on the markings at the front of the school, thank you.

### Behaviour in School

The DfE Teachers' Standards Document states that all teachers should, "have high expectations of behaviour, and establish a framework for discipline with a range of strategies, using praise, sanctions and rewards consistently and fairly."

If your child is involved in a behaviour incident at school, we aim to deal with it in a fair and appropriate manner but parents must respect that the school reserves the right for teachers to use sanctions to deal with behaviour issues, in line with our Behaviour Policy (which is approved annually by the Board of Governors). Your support and co-operation as parents in these situations will be greatly appreciated.