



Broomhill First School

May Newsletter



Dear Parents

I hope you all enjoyed the warm bank holiday weekend! As the weather is starting to warm up, please protect your child during the Summer Term by applying sun cream before he/she comes to school and sending in a sun hat to wear at playtimes. Your child can also bring a named bottle of sun cream into school to keep in his/her drawer and apply before lunch, if you so wish. Please can I also remind parents to send a named water bottle into school each day with their child. This is important at all times of the year, but particularly so during the warmer months.

This is a very busy term with lots of learning to fit in, as well as end of year assessments, school trips, inter-school sporting events, our Summer Fair and Sports Day, transition day and class assemblies! As well as taking note of the dates overleaf, please keep checking in your child's reading folder for details of other class trips etc, which will be sent out during the next few weeks once arrangements have been finalised. When your child is going on a visit, including sporting events, please can you make sure that your child comes to school with all the items listed on the information letter.

Our Year 4s have already had an exciting day out at Ford Castle where they took part in team building and adventurous activities. The children were very enthusiastic (and brave!) and I was very proud of their excellent behaviour. Thank you Year 4s!

To celebrate the wedding of Prince Harry and Meghan Markle we will be having a day of royal wedding activities on Friday 18th May. Children are invited to come to school dressed in red, white and blue, and/or as prince or princesses on this day.

As always, please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any queries or issues you would like to discuss.

Julie Newton
Headteacher



Play Leaders

Thank you to Ashton Beverley, Jack Tait, Charlie Forsyth, Scarlett Allan, Mitchell Arnold, Ava Lawson, Archie Lillie, Jack Shanks, Rosie Henderson, Simranjit Singh, Louisaleigh Price, Lily Morley, Peyton James, Lexi Smailes and Eva Roopra for volunteering to be play leaders this term. They will be responsible for organising playground activities and helping children to have happy playtimes.

Sport Relief

We raised £118 for Sport Relief. Thank you!

Friends' News



Our Easter cake stall raised £82. Thanks for all your donations and for coming along to make purchases. The money has already been spent on a disco treat, as requested by the school council.

Congratulations to the following children who were all winners in the Decorated Eggs Competition:

Little Owls - Kate White, Thomas Haddow Big Owls - Lauren Barclay, Sean Modral-Walker

Finches - Olivia James, Noah Tait Falcons - Emilia Barclay, Jude White

Seabirds (Year 3) - Eva Roopra, Harry Rowland Seabirds (Year 4) - Ava Lawson, Jack Shanks

Friends have paid for M and M Theatre Productions to come into school on the 10th May to perform their version of Charlotte's Web for children in main school. We are sure that the children will enjoy this treat.

Sporting Events

Our netball teams (Ashton Beverley, Archie Lillie, Jack Shanks, Jack Tait, Caitlin Davidson, Ava Lawson, Lexie Lowes, Kiera Shepherd, Charlie Forsyth, Peyton James, Lily Morley, Lexi Smailes) have played a friendly match with Red Row First School and also taken part in a netball tournament at JCSC. Our children did very well in both events.

Ashton Beverley, Jack Tait, Archie Lillie, Mitchell Arnold, Jayden Fuller, Charlie Forsyth, Luke Colbourn, Jacob Simpson and Taylor Stansfield showed resilience and determination when they took part in a football tournament against tough opposition from schools across the Coquet and Ashington Partnerships.

Children from Seabirds have taken part in Multi-skills and Personal Best Festivals, giving them the opportunity to participate in a wide range of activities.

These children from Finches and Falcons enjoyed taking part in a football festival, demonstrating not only great skills and sportsmanship but also amazing amounts of energy!



Dates for Diaries

18th May – Red, white and blue day!

25th May – School closes for half term.

4th June – School re-opens.

20th June – Falcons Class Assembly at 9.10am. Parents invited to attend.

29th June – Sports Day at 1.30pm, followed by Summer Fair.

2nd July – Firefighters' Bags 2 School.

4th July – Finches Class Assembly at 9.10am. Parents invited to attend.

5th July – Transition Day, Year 4 children visit James Calvert Spence College/rest of school spend the day in their new classes.

6th July - School reports sent home.

11th July - Year 3 Class Assembly at 9.10am. Parents invited to attend.

11th July – Parents' Evening for those parents who wish to discuss reports.

17th July – Leavers' Assembly followed by Strawberry Tea for Year 4 parents, starting at 2.15pm.

School closes for the Summer holidays on Friday 20th July at 3.10pm and re-opens on Tuesday 4th September.

