

Bredhurst Church Of England Primary School



Parents As Partners

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Church of England Vision for Education

Deeply Christian, Serving the Common Good.

John 10:10 "I came that you might have life, life in all its fullness".

Bredhurst Church of England Primary Vision:

To learn and grow through the guidance and love of God.

Self Control

Perseverance

Inclusion

Respect

Inspiration

Trust



Dear parents and carers,

Well, it's been a lovely hot week, with the summer weather finally arriving!

The children have had another busy week with their Transition Day on Thursday.

All the children experienced the morning in their classes for September—there was some exciting learning taking place: flapjack cooking, spaghetti and marshmallow challenges, making peg and tray labels and sketching silhouettes, to name but a few activities.

Our new reception children came to a coffee afternoon on Monday and experienced two mornings in Fir Tree class on Wednesday and Thursday. I cannot believe our current year R will be year 1's in September, it seems to have gone in the blink of an eye!

Most of our year 6 children have now spent time in their new schools and are at the point where they are chomping at the bit to experience new pastures. They were in year 3 when I joined the school it seems crazy they are now off onto the next stage of their learning journeys!

Year 1+2 children attended a sporting tournament at Greenfields on Wednesday and won the Fair Play Award—which also meant they all won a family swim. Ella and Jarin also won individual medals for their attitude and perseverance. A very well done to the whole team. A very enjoyable day of sports!

We have another busy week next week with Ten Step on Wednesday and a librarian visit. We have a full Governor's meeting on Thursday afternoon and the week culminates in the end of year trips, which the children are all eagerly anticipating—the weather forecast looks promising too!

We are lucky enough to be able to offer drums, clarinets, saxophone and guitar lessons within the school day, however the arrangement is a private one between parents and the music provider. Please can I remind you it is your responsibility to inform the music teacher if your child is not in school for any reason—this includes school trips and sporting events. Whilst we do endeavour to let them know we cannot be held responsible for any missed lessons as it's difficult to know which children attend which additional lessons.

Well done to Hurstwood class for their wonderful river poem, the way it was delivered made it sound just like a bubbling, gurgling river on its journey! Well done to Alexis who made the power point—a great job!

Our Year 6 SATs results are due in on Tuesday, we are keeping our fingers firmly crossed! All results from SATs testing will be in the final school reports during the last week.

Swimming will continue when we return in September, weather permitting until the October half term.

Enjoy the sunshine this weekend,

Best Wishes

Michelle Cox
Head Teacher

Our new term dates are available on our website. We will be updating our staff development days over the course of next week. We will also be adding the key dates for our upcoming years events in September—do keep an eye on the website calendar.

From September, celebration worship will be held every Friday at 2.45p.m. We will not be having parents join us for the first few weeks. Once our new year R children join us for our celebration, we will ask parents to join us as usual. We will keep you informed as to when this will be. There will be no stars or writers during this time!

The leavers service will be held at St. Peter's Church on Friday 19th at 11a.m. As seating will be very limited we would like to ask that only family members of the year 6 children attend.

The Tea Towels raised a whopping £420 profit. A fantastic amount. Well done to Mrs MacLellan for organising this.

We have also received a certificate for raising £143 for Red Nose day.

We have noticed that a few children are playing in the staff car park before and after school, some on scooters and some with a ball. Please **do not** let your children play in this area, cars are often reversing and a child cannot be seen. This is a very serious health and safety issue and parents need to keep their children away from any dangers. There is also the issue of damage to staff cars.

We have a full stock of school uniform available from the office. Please be advised we do not stock drink bottles anymore as we prefer the children to have a bottle with a closed lid and not an open spout for hygiene reasons.

In September Breakfast Club will be increased from £2.50 to £3 per session. Children can arrive from 7.30.a.m.

Could you please pay any outstanding monies as soon as possible as the end of term is quickly approaching. Bank details for



BACS payments are:-

Account 83297758

Sort Code 60-60-08

FAMILY FUN DAY

Grand Re-Opening of Bredhurst Church Charity Shop

Saturday 13th July 12—3p.m.

At

BREDHURST VILLAGE HALL

Lots of new and quality stock in the newly refurbished shop. Plus many bargains! Separate well stocked jewellery stand.

FREE GIFT for the first 50 adults and 50 children that visit the shop.

Fun day includes:-

Bouncy Castle Children's Games Bar-B-Que Children's Raffle Grand Raffle Refreshments
Football | Goal scoring Penalty shootout Trophies + Medals Crafts Ice Cream

Live performance between 1 - 2p.m. by **Mr. Fizz The Colourful Wiz** Children's Entertainer + Magician

Entrance 50p Children FREE

Proceeds from the Charity Shop will go to St. Peter's Church

And from the Fun Day to Bredhurst Village Hall



Spirit of Bredhurst this Week

- Fir Tree Jacob Addison
- Forge Austin Humphries
- Hurstwood Theo Bennett
- Kemsley Robin Rose
- Oakwood Olivia Grant



Stars of the Week

- Fir Tree Dominic Carr
- Forge Amalie Cameron
- Hurstwood Elliott Abdey
- Kemsley Louis Fiolka
- Oakwood Olivia Grant



Writer of the Week

- Fir Tree Lucas Wood
- Forge James Tupper
- Hurstwood Emil Alawad
- Kemsley Sienna Hegley
- Oakwood Samuel Jackson



The Summer Disco will be taking place on Thursday 18th July. 4.30 –6.30p.m.

Please don't forget to purchase a ticket for your child to attend. They will need to bring their ticket on the night to be entered in the 'prize draw'.

We still have a few remaining Tea Towels for sale: reduced to £3 each. Please see the school office if you wish to purchase any.

Your stuff misses YOU too.



Lost Property
We have hundreds of lost property items, including several un-named jumpers and cardigans—they will be on the front playground every Friday.

Please take a few minutes to have a look and hopefully find what you are missing! Please remember to label your children's clothes.



Please save your used crisp packets! These need to be emptied and flattened as they will be sent off and converted into cash which will be donated to the

Kent Air Ambulance. We will be setting up a collection box in the reception area.

Kent Surrey Sussex



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July

- Wednesday 10th Ten Step
- Wednesday 10th Librarian Visit
- Wednesday 10th Yr 5 + 6 Family Trust 1.30—3.30 p.m.
- Thursday 11th Yr 5 + 6 Family Trust 1.30—3.30 p.m.
- Thursday 11th Kemsley AOW
- Thursday 11th Yr 6 Sailing
- Thursday 11th Full Governors Day
- Friday 12th R,Yr1, Yr2 + Yr3 Trip to Folkestone
- Friday 12th Yr4, Yr5 + Yr6 Trip to Southend.
- Monday 15th Music Morning Drums + Guitars
- Wednesday 17th Ten Step
- Wednesday 17th Year 6 Pool Party
- Thursday 18th Ten Step Presentation
- Thursday 18th Summer Disco 4.30—6.30p.m.
- Friday 19th Leaver's service @ 11.00a.m.

The final week for clubs will be week commencing Monday 8th July. New clubs will begin in September.

Children return to school on Wednesday 4th September.