



Issue 15

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

**Apologies** - for the late arrival of this newsletter. This was due to Mrs Beesley being temporarily absent on Friday. I am happy to report that normal service will commence this week.

### Staffing updates

Sadly Shaun Collins is not able to work at the moment due to ill health. Alison Colbran is Acting Headteacher in his absence. Euan Hanington is leading on Safeguarding each day and Julie Rebbeck will be supporting Year One as a stand in Year One Leader. I am sure that you will join us in wishing Mr Collins a speedy recovery.

Our TA team has also been strengthened due to the appointment of Lucy Belchamber.

### TLCs

Are taking place on the week beginning the 10<sup>th</sup> February. Thank you for making such speedy bookings, please do book an appointment if you have not yet.

### Curriculum updates

Our Behaviour Regulation policy is now ready for parental voice following CPD with all staff. If you would be interested in adding your voice to this useful development work then please do leave your details with the office - [office@brunswick.brighton-hove.sch.uk](mailto:office@brunswick.brighton-hove.sch.uk). Thank you to the families who have already shown interest, Alison Colbran will be in touch with you very soon to confirm times and dates for a meeting.

### On time behaviour and lateness

Thank you for increased punctuality last week. We do note that some families continue to struggle with on time behaviours. We will be contacting families to arrange meetings to support our expectations of readiness.

### Term dates and trips

The Dogs Trust have continued to lead workshops this week, the children have very much enjoyed learning about safe behaviours around dogs.

### Dogs on school premises

Could I please remind all families that dogs are not permitted onto our school site. Could I also advise against tying dogs onto the railings near to the school entry and exit points this can be distressing for the children and detrimental to the welfare of the dog.

## Class Awards

Last week we are celebrated with...

Rabbit	<i>Tilde</i>	Hamster	<i>Clementine</i>
Duck	<i>Austin</i>	Fish	<i>Cadija</i>
Seahorse	<i>Tilly</i>	Starfish	<i>Francesca</i>
Lobster	<i>Adelka</i>	Octopus	<i>Leni</i>
Grasshopper	<i>Alex</i>	Ladybird	<i>Shianne</i>
Bumblebee	<i>Axel</i>	Kestrel	<i>Sofia</i>
Phoenix	<i>Mia</i>	Iguana	<i>Thea</i>
Chameleon	<i>Gerti</i>	Salamander	<i>James</i>
Lion	<i>Hasan</i>	Jaguar	<i>Sylvie</i>
Tiger	<i>Ray</i>	Puma	<i>Morgan</i>
Dragon	<i>Dorian</i>	Falcon	<i>Whole class</i>
Griffin	<i>Emily</i>	Kite	<i>Dylan</i>
Eagle	<i>Yasmine</i>	Pegasus	<i>Kayo</i>
Osprey	<i>Maria</i>		

*Congratulations to Roma in Kite class who was awarded the Toby Nichols Cup last week for outstanding effort and achievement.*



## Reception Trip

During February we will be going on our first trip; a walk around St Ann's Well park!

Each class needs 6 parent volunteers to accompany them. If you would like to help your child's class please register your interest with the class teacher. A sign-up sheet will go up on class doors next week.

If you have any interest in helping in school (whether in class or on school trips) at any point this year, please do see the office as early as possible to start a DBS check; these can sometimes take a while to come through!

## Outdoor Learning in Reception

Mr Slater is planning lots of exciting activities for Outdoor Learning in Reception this term. He is hoping to collect as many items of small furniture and wood such as small chairs, boxes and tables. Please take any donations to Reception for the attention of Mr Slater rather than the school office.

## Help our hens!

We're looking for volunteers to care for the Brunswick chickens at the weekends. If you could spare some time to feed the hens and give them a quick run around, please sign up via the school website (Curriculum > Extra-curricular > Chickens). The chickens will reward your efforts with fabulous fresh eggs.



## Camp Brunswick

This year's Camp Brunswick is on Friday and Saturday 3rd-4th July. Camp Brunswick is a camping weekend open to all families from Reception to Year 6. Please book by March 31st or by January 31st if you want a glamping option. You will need to choose which field you would like to camp in at the point of booking.

Our camping codes are :

Upper Moat Field: uppermoat2025

Grassy Field: grassy2025

To book:

Copy the code

Go to the booking page [Booking](#)

Click on I HAVE A PROMOTIONAL CODE

Paste the code on the line, then Click on Add

Input the number of nights, children (4-16 yrs of age) and adults

Click on next step

*Camp Brunswick is not run by Brunswick School.* Each person booking is responsible for their own family and should read the Wowo code of conduct when booking.

Happy Camping!

Alison (Violet's mum in Year 6, Falcon class)

## Attendance

Key: Green-97% attendance, Yellow-95-96.9% attendance, Orange-90-94.9% attendance, Red 89.9% attendance and below.

<b>Class</b>	<b>10/01/2020</b>	<b>17/01/2020</b>
Rabbit	94.6	99.6
Hamster	92.1	93.1
Duck	98.7	97.4
Fish	87.9	96.3
Seahorse	98.6	97.7
Octopus	95.8	94.2
Lobster	87.5	97.8
Starfish	92.4	95.1
Grasshopper	94.2	99.1
Ladybird	94.2	97.8
Dragonfly	89.2	93.1
Bumblebee	93.3	94.7
Salamander	94.4	95.2
Chameleon	93.5	97.7
Gecko	98.7	97.8
Iguana	92.5	95.4
Lion	94.9	94.7
Puma	93.8	97.3
Tiger	98.3	97.5
Jaguar	89.8	96.5
Griffin	92.3	94
Phoenix	91.7	96.8
Unicorn	99.1	96.1
Dragon	97	94.8
Pegasus	96.8	100
Falcon	93	99
Osprey	90.5	96.5
Kestrel	97.5	94.9
Eagle	96.4	97.9
Kite	97.9	94.3
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>94.2</b>	<b>96.4</b>

Yours sincerely,

Alison Colbran  
Acting Headteacher

# Brunswick Diary Dates 2020

Please refer to the calendar on the school website on a regular basis as dates can sometimes be changed or new ones added.

Key:	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	All School	
Date	Event							Time	
Tues 28 <sup>th</sup> Jan				Year 3				Year 3 Salamander & Chameleon trip to the Booth Museum	9.30am
Wed 29 <sup>th</sup> Jan				Year 3				Year 3 Iguana & Gecko trip to the Booth Museum	9.30am
Thurs 30 <sup>th</sup> Jan							Year 6	Year 6 Cake Sale after school in aid of Sloth Foundation	3.15pm
Wed 5 <sup>th</sup> Feb						Year 5		Year 5 Unicorn & Griffin to visit Chichester Planetarium	
Thurs 6 <sup>th</sup> Feb						Year 5		Year 5 Pegasus, Dragon & Phoenix to visit Chichester Planetarium	
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> Feb								TLC week	
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup> Feb						Year 5		Last swimming session for Unicorn class	
Mon 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb								Half term holiday	
Mon 24 <sup>th</sup> Feb								INSET Day – School closed to children	
Tues 25 <sup>th</sup> Feb								Children return to school	
Wed 26 <sup>th</sup> Feb		Year 1						Hobgoblin Theatre Company to visit Year 1	
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mar						Year 5		Year 5 Griffin & Phoenix classes start swimming lessons	
Mon 2 <sup>nd</sup> Mar	Reception							NHS Reception Screening	
Tues 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mar	Reception							NHS Reception Screening	
Mon 9 <sup>th</sup> Mar								School Nurse Drop-In Session – no appointment necessary	9am
Wed 11 <sup>th</sup> Mar		Year 1						Year 1 Starfish & Octopus to visit Woods Mill	
Thurs 12 <sup>th</sup> Mar		Year 1						Year 1 Seahorse & Lobster to visit Woods Mill	
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Mar						Year 5		Year 5 Space Day – dress up in galactic costumes	
Wed 18 <sup>th</sup> Mar							Year 6	Year 6 trip to Herstmonceux Science Centre	
Thurs 19 <sup>th</sup> Mar			Year 2					Year 2 visit from Zoolab – endangered creatures	
Wed 25 <sup>th</sup> Mar						Year 5		Year 5 Pump rocket launches – Major Tom visiting	
Mon 30 <sup>th</sup> Mar						Year 5		Last swimming session for Griffin & Phoenix classes	
Mon 6 <sup>th</sup> Apr								Easter Holidays	
Mon 20 <sup>th</sup> Apr								INSET Day – School closed to children	
Tues 21 <sup>st</sup> Apr								Children return to school	
Mon 27 <sup>th</sup> Apr						Year 5		Year 5 Pegasus & Dragon classes start swimming lessons	
Mon 8 <sup>th</sup> Jun						Year 5		Last swimming session for Pegasus & Dragon	