

Summer of Fun Activities

Salford Council have asked schools to share with parents that an action-packed Summer of fun activities for 4 to 16 year olds is on offer for children who are eligible for Free School Meals. Activities run from the 26th July to 19th August and include baking and cooking, arts and crafts, sports, music and more. Check out what is available at <https://www.salford.gov.uk/summerfun>

Platinum Jubilee - Additional Bank Holiday

To enable everyone to celebrate the Platinum Jubilee of Her Majesty the Queen, the late May Bank Holiday (originally 30th May 2022) has been moved to Thu 2nd June 2022, with an additional Bank Holiday on Fri 3 June. We have received confirmation from the DfE that schools should reduce the minimum number of sessions schools are required to meet in the academic year 2021/22 to allow for the additional bank holiday. As the additional bank holiday falls in the half term dates already set by the school, the finish date at the end of the Summer term has been amended. School will now close on Thu 21st July 2022 instead of Fri 22nd July 2022.

Year 6 Leavers Performance

As we near the end of term, we have now completed a review of our risk assessment on the Y6 performance. The performance will now take place on Thu 22nd July and parents, in reduced numbers, will be invited on site to watch. The times for the showings in the 'Dates for your Diary' section. Unfortunately, due to restricted numbers, we are limiting attendance to two people per family. Entrance for parents will be via the main gate. Please ensure that you arrive at the designated time and not before, as this will allow us to manage our normal drop off for other years groups, without compromising bubbles. Obviously, we are all aware that, at the present time, there remains a risk to bubble closure etc. If further changes are required, we would communicate with parents directly.

Friday 16th July



Website: www.broadoak.salford.sch.uk
Email: broadoak.primaryschool@salford.gov.uk
Twitter: https://twitter.com/Broadoak_PS

Thank you - Patterdale Hall

I would like to say a huge thank you to the Broadoak staff team who took our Y6 children on the residential visit to Patterdale this week. It has been lovely chatting to the children about all of their highlights. Well done also to the children who were a credit to the school.

Exercise Books

It is usual for teachers to send home the children's books at the end of each academic year. This year we will be retaining these in school to allow the next year teachers to use as a reference for curriculum coverage.

COVID-19

I would like to remind parents that there will be no changes to our COVID-19 risk assessment for the remainder of this academic year. Parents will still be required to wear face coverings at drop off / collection.

Dates for your Diary

15 th July	Sports Day - Nur / Rec / Y1 / Y2 (Rescheduled)
16 th July	Sports Day - Y3 / Y5 / Y6 (Rescheduled)
19 th July	Transition Days Y3 - Y5 (Rescheduled)
20 th July	Transition Days Rec - Y2 (Rescheduled)
20 th July	Sports Day - Y4 (Rescheduled)
22 nd July	Rescheduled Year 6 Leavers Event: 9:25am - Mrs Comerford's Class 10:40am - Mrs Dermody's Class
22 nd July	Sports Day - Y2 (Rescheduled)
22 nd July	School closes - Summer Break

Transition Day (Reception to Year 6)

Due to the bubble closures, we are having to make yet another change to the arrangements for transition day. On Monday 19th July, transition for our current Year 3, Year 4 and Year 5 children will go ahead as planned. Transition for our current Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children will now take place on Tuesday 20th July.

Governor Appointments - Welcome

Earlier this term, we held a parent governor election. I am pleased to share that we have now successfully appointed Lyndsey Olive and Rachael Owens to our governing board. I would like to welcome them to the team and look forward to working with them during the next academic year.

Make Time For a Read

Salford libraries are excited to introduce **the Big Salford Summer Read**. The summer read will be running in all Salford libraries from **Friday 16th July**. It is open to all children aged 4-11 years, free of charge. Children simply need to read three books or more to receive a certificate, and be entered into a prize draw to win a Kindle. Everyone who takes part, will receive a colourful reading record, chock-full of mini challenges to maintain motivation whilst on their reading voyage. For each mini-challenge successfully completed, they receive stars to mark them as complete. Once their reading record is complete, they will receive a medal (while stocks last). What's more, they'll also be entered into a prize draw for one of our ten annual family swimming pass. There will also be a prize for the school who has the greatest proportion of joiners to the Big Salford Summer Read. So, spread the word!