

Dear Parents / Carers,

12th July 2018

We are sending home an early newsletter this week due to tomorrow's Summer Fayre. I'd just like to say a big thank you to the Friends of Brading for their hard work preparing for another brilliant fayre. If you aren't able to attend, it would be fabulous if another family member or family friend could take your child around. Remember tomorrow is mufti day for cakes (sensible clothing and shoes please – no crop tops, strappy tops or high heels).

I can't believe what an amazing week it's been! Both sports days have been great, it was really good to have two separate sessions for the school. I hope all our spectators enjoyed themselves, well done to Blue house in KS1 and Green house in KS2 who won their sports day and Blue house for winning overall. A really big thank you to all staff who supported.

I have heard fantastic reports from the organisers of Swim Safe regarding the behaviour of the year 6 children when they went to the beach on Monday. The children learnt a lot about keeping safe when playing in the sea which is especially important where we live on an Island. Also Picasso class had a fabulous time at Appley beach on Monday, they played lots of games and enjoyed their lunch on the beach. Pre-school children visited Brading park on Tuesday morning and had a great time, it was a lovely way to end the first year of us having Early Years children as part of our team. Thank you to Mrs Wheeler for organising the day.

I hope you have all had a chance to read your child's report – I am so proud of what all the children have achieved this year, well done to you all. It was a delight to read everyone's super reports. All reports came with a reply sheet, can we have these back by Monday 16th July please. There is an opportunity for parents with children in years 1-6 to see class teachers on Tuesday from 12:45 – 4:00pm if you have any concerns about any aspects of the report. Please let the class teacher know on Monday morning if you would like to see them. Remember my door is always open as well.

I hope the year 6 children have a fantastic time at their prom tomorrow, which will start at 6pm and finish at 8pm.

Next week is our last week before we break up for the Summer Holidays. On Wednesday afternoon we have our year 6 leaver's service **in school** starting at 1:30pm. On Friday we will finish at 3pm as usual.

Finally, there will be no Celebration Assembly tomorrow. Please join us for the last assembly of the academic year next Friday at 9am.

Have a great weekend.

Mrs Gilbert.

Attendance 02/07/18 – 06/07/18

Class	Attendance	Lates	Whole school attendance for the week: 96.3% against our target of 97%.
Picasso	98.9%	3	
Van Gogh	94.3%	1	
Matisse	97.7%	2	
Monet	94.5%	7	
Banksy	96.7%	2	

Just a reminder that on Friday morning the school nurses are coming in to work with years 4, 5 and 6 to support the Relationship and Sex Education Policy. If you have any concerns, please see Mrs Gilbert tomorrow morning.

Message from the office:

Please can you make sure that all outstanding school dinner money, early year's fees and snack money are paid in full by Monday 16th July, this includes any school dinners and snacks for the last week of term as we can't carry any debts into the new academic year.

If this is likely to cause you any problems please come and talk to Mrs Stubbs in the office.

From September, we are reducing the amount of paper we are using within school and sending the newsletter home via email. If you currently receive a paper copy of the newsletter, and you are happy for us to email it to you, please fill out your email address below and hand back to the office. As an alternative, a copy of the newsletter is always uploaded to the website every Friday.

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Lunch menu w/c Monday 16th July 2018

Please note the change to this week's menu; this is to allow the kitchen to use up stock before the Summer holidays.

Monday: Hotdogs or Burgers/Veggie Burger(v), Wedges, Coleslaw and Salad, Pancake and Ice Cream.

Tuesday: Spaghetti Bolognese/Vegetable Chilli with Rice(v), Seasonal Vegetables, Jelly.

Wednesday: Chicken Roast/Quorn Roast, Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables, Cookie.

Thursday: BBQ Chicken Wrap with Rice/Quorn Wrap(v), Seasonal Vegetables, Chocolate & Beetroot Cake.

Friday: Fish Fingers/Cheese & Onion Quiche(v), Chips, Baked Beans, Peas, Iced Sponge.

A reminder that the cost of school dinners is rising to £1.95 from September 2018.



Beware of the dangers of shallow water - very young and small children can drown even in shallow water so be extra careful of your kids near paddling pools, ponds and swimming pools this summer

<https://www.rospa.com/leisure-safety/water/advice/children-young-people/>

Message from Sandown Bay Academy:

We have a large collection of lost items left over from the Baylink Games. These items are being held at reception, which is contactable on 01983 402142. If these items are not collected by the 20th of July they will be donated to charity.

Remember we no longer keep a stock of uniform in school. To purchase uniform, please visit <https://www.kidsandcodirect.co.uk/>, click 'Find your school' and then Brading Primary School. Here you can order jumpers (with logo), cardigans (with logo), plain white PE tops, plain white polo tops, book bags (with logo), red PE bags, trousers and skirts. You can also order uniform in their shop in Ryde.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Jul 17 th	Years 1-6 parent sessions for reports – 12:45 – 4:00pm
Jul 18 th	Year 6 Leavers Service – School Hall starting at 1:30pm
Jul 20 th	Last day at school for the academic year
Jul 23 rd	Development day – school closed to pupils
Jul 24 th – Aug 31 st	Summer Holidays
Sept 3 rd	Development Day – school closed to pupils
Sept 4 th	First day back for 2018/2019 academic year
Oct 18 th	Development day – school closed to pupils
Oct 19 th	Development day – school closed to pupils
Oct 22 nd – Oct 26 th	October half term