

# Bredhurst Church Of England Primary School



Parents As Partners

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Self Control  
Perseverance  
Inclusion  
Respect  
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Dear Parents,

The school has been a hive of activity this last week, with the children preparing for our annual Pumpkin Morning tomorrow.

The school has been awash with: animals, super heroes, vegetables and many other creative designs using a pine cone. The winners of these for each year group will be announced during Pumpkin Morning.

Well done to all our Year 6 pupils, several of them have sat Medway or Kent test or both during the past month and the long anticipated results have finally come through. Whatever the outcome of these tests please do remember it is just a snapshot of one day of your learning, not a reflection of you as a person or your whole learning journey. What matters in life are the choices you make, working hard, being determined, being thoughtful, kind and considerate. If you take these qualities with you to your new schools, you will achieve, regardless of which school you choose to continue the next stage of your education in. We are all proud of everyone of you.

Some of our Year 1 and 2 children represented the school at a multi-skills tournament this week. Mr Peters said you were all super and tried your very best—well done all of you!

Our football team had their first after school match on Tuesday, unfortunately the final score was 3-1 to East Borough, but you all played really well as a team and persevered! We had a mixture of Years 4, 5, and 6's playing against a Year 6 team, so you all did very well!

Fir Tree and Forge Class experienced a drama workshop on Thursday morning, which they all thoroughly enjoyed.

Do remember there will be no after school clubs next week due to parents evenings. After school clubs will re-commence the first week back after the half term break. If you haven't had an appointment time sent home for a meeting with your child's class teacher please contact the office to book an appointment.

We are asking for help from any creative parents that would be happy to help with displays around the school. If you feel you may have an hour to spare to help with putting up displays, mounting and trimming work, please let the school office know. We will provide tea and biscuits in return!

We are also always looking for volunteer readers, if you have any spare time and would be willing to listen to children read please contact the school office. Thank you in advance.

Finally Thank you to all the parents for your contributions towards Pumpkin Morning and the time you are giving up to help to run stalls and support the school. Lastly a thank you to Mrs Sullivan, Mrs Shepherd and all the FOBS team for the timeless effort they put into raising money for our school.

Hopefully see you all at Pumpkin Morning!

Have a lovely weekend,

Best Wishes

*Michelle Cox*

Head Teacher

**Spirit of Bredhurst this Week**

Fir Tree	Roman Hurst
Forge	Amalie Cameron
Hurstwood	Robyn Taylor
Kemsley	Scott Abdey
Oakwood	Isabel LeBreton



**Writer of the Week**

Fir Tree	Lucas Wood
Forge	Luca Suvari
Hurstwood	Theo Bennett
Kemsley	Michael Canning
Oakwood	Sidney Killick



**Stars of the Week**

Fir Tree	Henry Murphy
Forge	Euan Coker
Hurstwood	Evan Boardman
Kemsley	Louis Fiolka
Oakwood	Isobel Day



**FairPlay**

Jeremy Duduyemi




We have now received our Cycle Pods which are situated in the back playground and nature garden. If your child would like to cycle or scoot to school they can leave these safely until the end of the school day. These will not be able to be used during the school day.

Please ensure your child 'walks' their bike or scooter from the front playground to the rear.



**Concentration aids—Fiddle objects.**

As you are probably aware there are a few recognised educational needs when a child may benefit from a concentration aid. These are now marketed and sold in many toy shops, but their original use was not intended to be as a toy. Children who have sensory needs, attention difficulties (ADHD) or Autism (ASC) may need this support. If you believe that a concentration aid is necessary to access their learning then please contact their class teacher directly or speak to Mrs Place, our SENCO who is happy to advise. They are for classroom use only and will not be taken onto the playground.

**Diary dates for this term**



**October**

- Tuesday 16th YrR-Yr5 Flu immunisation
- Tuesday 16th Parent Evening
- Wednesday 17th Parent Evening
- Friday 19th Celebration AOW
- Monday 22nd—Friday 29th Half Term
- Monday 29th Staff Development Day
- Tuesday 30th Children return to school

**November**

- Tuesday 6th Yr 5 + 6 Harry Potter Trip
- Friday 9th Poppy Tag Day (Donation £1)
- Friday 9th Fireworks, gates open at 6.p.m.
- Monday 12th Remembrance—AOW
- Tuesday 13th Year R + 6 Height + Weight
- Friday 16th KS1 Author Visit
- Thursday 22nd Hurstwood + Kemsley Canterbury Trip
- Wednesday 28th Fir Tree Trip Leeds Castle Trip