

Bredhurst Church Of England Primary School



Parents As Partners

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Self Control
Perseverance
Inclusion
Respect
Inspiration
Trust



Dear Parents,

We have had a very busy week with a variety of sporting events and activities taking place.

On Tuesday our entire year 6 and some of our year 5 children represented the school in an Athletics Tournament against 14 other schools. Every single child took part in at least two events throughout the morning. We came 7th overall and were the very proud winners of the 'Fair Play Award' as nominated by the other schools.

Wednesday morning saw Courtney Tulloch demonstrating his considerable gymnastics skills to the children. He worked with each class with some of the children using muscles they didn't even know they had, (listening to their complaints about aches and pains the following day!)

On Thursday 8 children represented the school in the Medway Sports Swimming Gale. They all swam incredibly well with Oscar, Myles, Abbie and Henry winning each of their heats. Oscar had the fastest breaststroke time out of everyone competing (approx. 132 children) We were very strong going into the Team Medleys and had a good 10 seconds lead right up until the last 2 heats. We eventually came 3rd in both Medleys with every single child swimming the best they could for the team.

We then listened tentatively for the results, with the children desperate to beat last years result of 13th place. I am delighted to be able to tell you we came 3rd overall, an impressive result for a fantastic team, who all worked brilliantly together! A massive well done.

Finally on Thursday our year 1 and 2 children took part in a friendly football match against Greenfields school and although they didn't win they once again played well together with Milly and Mikel really standing out for their sportsmanship and perseverance.

Three of our year 6 girls: Maisie, Isobel and Sophie have been selected to play for the Kent Team, they will be playing on Sunday against the other counties! We wish them Good Luck!

Next week on Thursday we have an athletics tournament for year 3/4 children during the afternoon and a friendly netball match at the end of the school day at St. John's school in Maidstone

Clubs began this week. The only clubs which will be changing after the half term break, due to such a high demand are crafty club and cooking club. There are still places available in table-tennis/badminton club on Wednesday after school and in both board games and Years R,1+2 multi-skills club on a Thursday after school. Do speak to the office if your child would like a place at one of these clubs.

We are allowing the children to use the field during break and lunch-times, but they need to have a pair of wellies to change into, these can either be kept in school or go home daily.

Please do ensure your child has a warm coat for lunch-times as the playground does get very cold as it is quite exposed.

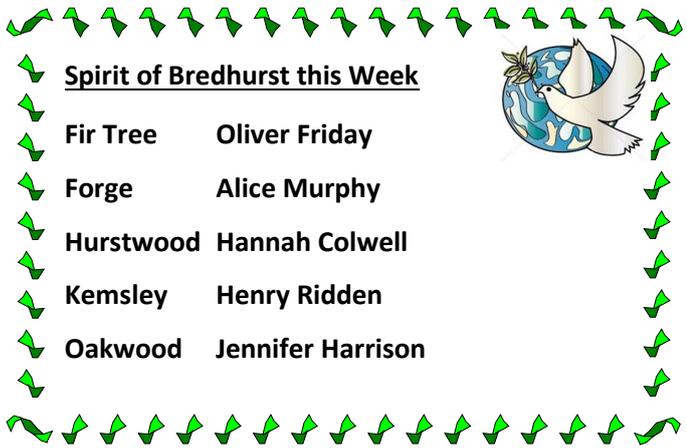
We will be changing office procedures, due to discrepancies regarding payments. We will be sending out a separate letter regarding this next week. If you are able to pay by BACS this ensures that your payment is received and gives you the security of the proof of payment.

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Best Wishes

Michelle Cox
Head Teacher



Spirit of Bredhurst this Week



- Fir Tree** **Oliver Friday**
- Forge** **Alice Murphy**
- Hurstwood** **Hannah Colwell**
- Kemsley** **Henry Ridden**
- Oakwood** **Jennifer Harrison**



Stars of the Week

- Fir Tree** **Jacob Addison**
- Forge** **Austin Humphries**
- Hurstwood** **Darcie Killick**
- Kemsley** **Thomas Dodson**
- Oakwood** **Sidney Killick**

The children have voted for a local and global charity.
 This year our nominated charities are:-
 Peter's Place and Mary's Meals.

Reminder

**It is our Bredhurst Got Talent auditions on
 Wednesday 30th and Thursday 31st January.**

If your child wishes to enter please encourage them to
 practise at home ready for their event.

We have just had our school census which also picks up
 our attendance.

Well done to all our absence is down to 2.31%



Every School Day Counts



Writer of the Week



- Fir Tree** **Oscar Hyland**
- Forge** **Lucas Knowles**
- Hurstwood** **Louis Merrick**
- Kemsley** **Sian Evans**
- Oakwood** **Sean Maple**



Mikel Sage
Milly Checkland

Diary Dates for this Term



- January**
- Thursday 24th Hurstwood Class Worship
 - Thursday 24th Yr3/4 Athletics (Medway Park)
 - Thursday 24th Yr 5/6 Netball St. Johns
 - Wednesday 30th Bredhurst's Got Talent Auditions
 - Thursday 31st Bredhurst's Got Talent Auditions
 - Thursday 31st Fir Tree Worship
- February**
- Friday 1st Bredhurst's Got Talent Final
 - Tuesday 5th KS2 Football East Borough
 - Wednesday 6th Messy Church in hall @ 3.45p.m.
(All welcome)
 - Thursday 7th Kemsley Class Worship
 - Wednesday 13th Parents Evening 3.45-5.30p.m.
 - Thursday 14th Parents Evening 3.45-7.00p.m.
- Monday 18th—Friday 22nd Half Term**
- Monday 25th Staff Development Day
 - Tuesday 26th Children return to school
- March**
- Tuesday 5th Pancake Day races @ 2.45p.m.
 - Tuesday 26th Yr3/4 + 5/6 High 5 Netball