



Brunswick Park Primary School e-Newsletter 14

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*September's Focus Value is
RESPECT*

Dear Parents and Carers

I wish you a very warm welcome back after the Summer Break, and hope you have had an enjoyable time with your children and families. The children are telling us about all the interesting and exciting things they did, and look rested, refreshed, smart and ready to learn, which is excellent news. It is lovely to see them again, as believe it or not we really do miss them when they are not here!

The Break allows us to maintain and develop the school buildings and facilities, and it has been the busiest Summer ever for building. The roof, chimneys and windows have been repaired, the drains and outside lighting overhauled and the internal fire doors replaced. The two biggest tasks have been replacing the huge, ancient and unreliable boilers in the main school and converting the empty School House into teaching space and a teaching kitchen for the children. I have never seen contractors work so hard and to such tight deadlines, and I am delighted to report that all works are on schedule. The new Cottage will be completed and unveiled by the end of September. I will write to you with further details nearer the time, and we are very excited to have such an amazing and high quality resource for our children's learning.

This Newsletter is full of useful information for your diaries to help you plan for the term and to inform you of; the staff's roles and responsibilities so you know who to approach if you have a question. Please remember that all Newsletters are also available on the website along with plenty of other news and useful information about the school.

I wish those pupils going on Year 6 School Journey to Swanage in Dorset next week a wonderful time, and everyone in our school community a happy and successful year.

Best wishes

Susannah Bellingham

Welcome to Reception!

Over the next few weeks we will be welcoming our new children and families into the Early Years classrooms. Children in Nursery and Reception are given an individual starting date and we operate a careful phased admission so that children build up gently to staying in school for a full day.

If you are a parent or carer of a child in Reception, please check the arrangements for your own child. If you are unsure of anything, please ask to speak to Fiona O'Malley.

A Welcome Meeting will be held on Wednesday 27 September at 9.15am in the Middle Hall. You will receive a separate letter about this, and we look forward to seeing you there.



Communication

Please note that written communication from school to home is done via ParentMail and can be accessed from your SmartPhone. Parents Evening bookings are also taken using ParentMail. We also send short and urgent messages by text.

It is essential that your contact details are up to date and that you are registered for ParentMail. If you need to make changes or register, please see School Office Staff urgently.



Teaching Staff	
Nursery and Reception (EYFS)	Fiona O'Malley Charlotte Bullar Sacha Patrick
1A	Hannah Williams
1B	Anna Newbold
2A	Fiona Wright
2B	Dina Achilleos
2C	Joya Roychoudhury
3A	Jaspreet Gallagher
3B	Brooke Murphy
3C	Edel Fallon
4A	Juliette Woods
4B	Rachel Levine
5A	Tobi Akinlade
5B	Eleanor Brown
5C	Selina Walker
6A	Christina Huszar and Marcia Crowe
6B	Gwen Cook
EYFS SEND Provision and EYFS/Year 1 Transition Lead	Alex Louis
Key Stage 1 Intervention	Ruth Abraham
Key Stage 2 Intervention	Ali Cantlay Marcia Crowe
EAL	Gaby Richards
Spanish (MFL)	Ann-Marie Lake
Music	Paula Hales
PE and Games	Andrew Payne
Resource Base Lead	Caroline Champion
SENDCo	Susanna Renwick-Joyce
A full staff list is available on our website	

Extra-Curricular PE Clubs:

We will be booking children into our PE clubs using an online system this term. This is designed to be a more straightforward and quicker way for you to be able to see the clubs on offer and to book your child in. You will also be able to see the dates each club runs on including when they start and finish.

The website you will need to visit is <http://www.bookwhen.com/brunswick>

To make a booking you will need an email address and debit/credit card.

All places are on a first come first served basis however Gymnastics and Football are usually very popular so we ask that each child books only one or the other and not both.

School Term Dates - 2017/2018

Autumn Term 2017:

INSET DAYS MONDAY 4 - WEDNESDAY 6 SEPTEMBER, SCHOOL CLOSED TO CHILDREN
Thursday 7 September - Thursday 19 October
INSET DAY FRIDAY 20 OCTOBER, SCHOOL CLOSED TO CHILDREN
Half Term Monday 23 October - Friday 27 October
Monday 30 October - Wednesday 20 December

Spring Term 2018:

INSET DAY TUESDAY 2 JANUARY, SCHOOL CLOSED TO CHILDREN
Wednesday 3 January - Friday 9 February
Half Term Monday 12 February - Friday 16 February
Monday 19 February - Thursday 29 March

Summer Term 2018:

Monday 16 April - Friday 25 May
Half Term Monday 28 May - Friday 1 June
Monday 4 June - Friday 20 July
Public Holidays

Boxing Day Holiday Tuesday 26 December 2017
New Year Holiday Monday 1 January 2018
Good Friday Friday 30 March 2018
Easter Monday Monday 2 April 2018
May Day Bank Holiday Monday 7 May 2018
Spring Bank Holiday Monday 28 May 2018
Summer Bank Holiday Monday 27 August 2018

Please note:

In 2017-18 children should attend school for 190 days (or 380 half sessions). If your child is unable to attend school, please make sure you ring the School Office before 8.30am and provide a note and/or evidence for your child's absence on their return to school.

Dance Clubs

Sabrina Duff-Olalere will run clubs on Mondays and Tuesdays this term. She will be in the playground after school on Monday 11 and Tuesday 12 Sept for people to sign up. (Dance sign-ups are not done online like Gymnastics and Football).

Dance Clubs will start on Monday 18 September.

