Dear all,

Welcome back, I hope you all had a lovely Christmas and would like to wish you all the best for 2019. Well done to all the children who have returned following the Christmas break with a positive attitude and eager to learn.

In our first newsletter of 2019, I would like to welcome some new additions to the Broadoak team. Welcome to Mrs. Boden who has joined the Year 1 team. She has had a busy first week, getting to know the children and I am confident she will have a lovely remainder of the year. I would also like to welcome Coach Kim and Coach Vicky who make up our newly appointed Health and Wellbeing Team. They have spent time this week reviewing the sports curriculum and working with the children across all year groups. Regular updates of developments within the area of Health and Wellbeing will be shared in the newsletter to keep parents updated.

I would also like to offer our congratulations to Mrs Comerford and Miss Whitney. Over the Christmas period, both welcomed new arrivals to their family. Mrs Comerford welcomed Baby Ted and Miss Whitney welcomed Baby Ayaan, both mums and babies are doing well.

Have a lovely weekend. Mrs. Karen Wild.

## **PTA Meeting Reminder**

We will be holding a PTA meeting on Wed 16th Jan at 6pm. The meeting will be held in the Meeting Room opposite the main office due to hall lettings. During the meeting we will aim to map out any events for the Spring Term.

## Friday 11<sup>th</sup> January



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## **After School Clubs**

This week we began our after school clubs programme for this half term. Many filled up fast, however there are still places available on the following clubs:

	Club	Age	Adult
Mon	Netball	Y5 & Y6	Coach Kim / Coach Vicky
Tue	Fun Fitness	Y3-Y6	Coach Kim / Coach Vicky
	Glee / Karaoke Club	Y3 - Y4	Mrs Dermody
	Art / Craft Club	Y3 - Y6	Miss Carter
Wed	Drama	Y3 - Y6	Mrs. Sequeira- Jennings
	Mathmagicians	Y3 - Y6	Miss Samson
	Creative Crafts	Y1 - Y2	Miss Moores
Thu	Homework Club	Y3 - Y6	Miss Ward
	Forest School	Y1 - Y4	Mrs. Stribling / Miss Alford

Clubs are bookable via ParentPay. Following the weekend, we will review place numbers of the clubs being offered in order to ensure that each of the clubs have enough participants. If a club has too low a number, we may be required to merge together or alternatively cancel. If either of these actions are required the school office will contact parents individually.

Dates for your Diary			
16 <sup>th</sup> Jan	PTA Meeting - 6pm		
4 <sup>th</sup> - 8 <sup>th</sup>	Curriculum Enhancement Week - A		
Feb	Journey Through Broadoak's History		
12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Young Voices - Choir Performance		
15 <sup>th</sup> Feb	School Closes for Half Term Break		



## **Key Stage Funds**

Could I please remind parents that the voluntary Key Stage Funds payment of £6 for the Spring Term is now available on ParentPay. Following a staff meeting on continuing to build a love of reading in all our children, we have now decided that the funds raised this year will be used to help buy a set of books for each class. These books will form the basis of each year groups '50 Broadoak Brilliant Books' for each year group. These books will be housed in each classroom and will be available to the children to borrow as their school read.