

Year 6 - Bikeability

Ensuring the safety of our children is always a priority for us at Broadoak. Next term, all Year 6 children will be taking part in a four day cycle training programme. This aims to develop all children's cycling proficiency, providing them with the opportunity to gain practical skills and understanding of how to cycle on today's roads. The children will take part within their class groupings, with the dates as follows:

- Miss Gavin's Class - W/C Monday 10th June
 - Mrs Dermody's Class - W/C Monday 24th June
- In order to take part, the children will need to have their bikes and helmets in school during their allocated weeks. If any parents have any concerns, please do not hesitate to contact the class teachers.

Class Photograph Day - Friday 10th May

Next Friday, we will be welcoming to school a photographer to take our annual class photographs. Please could you ensure that the children are wearing correct school uniform, including school shoes, appropriate hair bands etc.

Spring Fair - Friday 17th May (3:30pm)

Our annual Spring Fair is fast approaching and plans are well underway. The event is being held after school on Friday 17th May. We are keeping our fingers crossed for nice weather, allowing us to have a range of games/stalls on the school field. We hope you will all be able to attend, helping to make it a successful fundraiser. Could I also ask if any parents can help in the following ways, that they contact the school office as soon as possible:

- Are you available to help during the event, manning a stall?
- Are you available to help set up for the event on Friday afternoon from 1pm?
- Do you have links with local businesses that could provide raffle prize donations?
- Do you have links with local businesses who would be willing to sponsor one of our stalls (recommended sponsorship amount £50)

Early next week we will be distributing raffle tickets and in next weeks newsletter, sharing a list of the stalls we are hoping to include at the event.

Friday 3rd May



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Lledr Hall Visit

This week our Year 5 children took part in a residential visit to Lledr Hall in Wales. I wanted to take this opportunity to recognise the children's outstanding behaviour during the visit and praise them for their resilience and commitment demonstrated throughout. Could I also say a huge thank you to the staff who accompanied the children. Without this fantastic staff dedication such trips would not be possible - Good job everyone! Enjoy a restful, well earned long weekend.

Dates for your Diary

6th May	School Closed - Bank Holiday
10th May	Class Photograph Day
10 th May	KS1 Cricket Festival
13 th - 17 th May	Y6 SATs Week: Breakfast Club (8:30am)
17 th May	PTA Spring Fair
21 st May	Y6 Frisbee Competition - Selected Team Event
21 st May	Swimming Gala - am - Selected Team Event
21 st May	Worsley Athletics - Selected Team Event
24th May	School closes for Whit holidays
10th June	School Re-opens following Whit break

Author Visit from Elly Griffiths

On Monday, we were visited by the brilliant Elly Griffiths. Author of 'A Girl called Justice'. KS2 had a wonderful afternoon and were gripped by her stories of crime and mystery. Elly inspired the children to want to read for pleasure as well as helping them to see the importance of reading and how they too, could become engaging writers themselves. The children thoroughly enjoyed her visit, asking questions and taking part in creating their very own mystery story.

School Car Park

We have seen a significant increase in the number of parents using the school car park at drop off and collection times, particularly on wet weather days. Could I please remind parents that, in order to ensure the safety of our children, the car park is for staff use only. Any parents using the car park will be challenged by staff and asked to remove the vehicle immediately. Thank you in advance for your support in this matter.