

Dear all,

Welcome back, I hope you all had a lovely Easter. In school this week, it has been great to see the children enjoying the summer sunshine on the school fields. Days like this remind us how fortunate we are to have such fantastic school grounds. To further enhance this provision, I have been busy this week investigating the installation of a running track, a resource that would allow us to enhance children's fitness and offer community running sessions, watch this space!

I would like to say a huge well done to our Y3 children who attended their first swimming session today. The children demonstrated great confidence and represented the school amazingly - good job Y3! Next week our Y5 are off on their residential visit to Lledr Hall. I'm sure they will have a fantastic time and know they will come back having built up further independence and resilience. Wishing you a lovely, hopefully sunny, weekend. Mrs. Karen Wild

Children's Activity Week - World Record Attempt

As I shared in the previous newsletter, we have been lucky enough to be selected as the host school for the launch event of Children's Activity Week. The event involves a visit from Sid Sloane who will lead the school in a World Record Attempt. The attempt will take place at 10:15am and will see all Broadoak pupils and staff joining in with the song and dance. The theme of the event is 'flight' and we are therefore asking children to come in dressed in an appropriate costume. Costumes may include superhero capes, fairy wings or any other such items. We are also asking children to contribute a £1 charity donation which will go directly to the charities Caudwell Children and Children's Activities Association. To help you share with us in this event we will be streaming the event live and sharing updates via our school Twitter feed.

Friday 20th March



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Additional letters sent out this week:

- KS2 Author Visit
- Y4 Trip Letter - Bridgewater Canal
- SRE Letter (Y1 - Y6)
- School of Military (Individual Pupils)

These have been emailed out and can be viewed from the letters section of the website.

Fitness Fortnight - 18th June to 29th June

This week we have begun preparations for our annual Fitness Fortnight. Last year the event was a great success and this year we intend to build upon that success and make it bigger and better than ever! If any parents have any contacts that they may think could be utilised within the event, please contact the school office.

Key Stage Funds

As you will be aware, the school asks for a voluntary termly parental contribution via the Key Stage Funds. The £6 contribution is used to support the school in delivering exciting and engaging activities for the children. So far this year, the funds have been used to purchase enhancements in the outdoor areas in Nursery and Reception. In KS1 they have funded the chick and butterfly hatching programme and in KS2 supported us in delivering camp nights and Forest School sessions. All funds are payable via ParentPay. Thank you in advance for your support with this.

Dates for your Diary

23 rd - 25 th Apr	5W Residential Visit—Lledr Hall
25 th - 27 th Apr	5S Residential Visit—Lledr Hall
27 th Apr	Y3 - Y6 Author Visit
1 st May	World Record Attempt - 'flight' dress up theme and £1 charity donation
2 nd May	Class Photograph Day
4 th May	Parent Voice Group Meeting - 9am
7 th May	Bank Holiday
14 th - 17 th May	Y6 SATs assessments - Breakfast club 8:30am
18 th May	Broadoak Spring Fair - 3:30pm
22nd May	Y6 Worsley Cluster Rounders Competition

Parent Voice Group Meeting

A Parent Voice Group meeting will be held on Fri 4th May at 9am. I look forward to seeing the team then.

Warm Weather Precautions

As we begin the summer term, I would like to remind parents of the importance of bringing in sun hats and water bottles. Children should also have sun cream applied in the morning, ideally a long lasting cream that will not require re-application. If required, children are permitted to bring in sun cream, which should be named, however they would be required to reapply this themselves.

Broadoak's Spring Fair

Yesterday we held a PTA meeting to begin preparations for the Spring Fair. The event is being held after school on Fri 18th 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. If you are available to help during the event, please contact the school office.