

Friday 10th March



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Book Fair - Junior Hall - 3:30pm

Tuesday 14th March, Wednesday 15th March and Thursday 16th March

We will be hosting our Spring term book fair on the dates above. The Fair will be open to all year groups on each day.

PE Sessions—Timetable Change

Due to the two strike action days, we have had to make changes to the PE days. The timetable below shows when your child needs to come dressed in their PE kit:

Monday	Y2
Tuesday	Y5
Wednesday	REC / Y3 / Y4
Thursday	Y3 / Y4
Friday	Y1 + Y4 Swimming / Y6

Comic Relief Charity Day - Friday 17th March

Comic Relief's Red Nose Day this year is on Friday 17th March. This is such an important charity as it makes a difference to the lives of millions of people across the UK and around the world struggling with poverty. We would like to invite the children to wear red (or Comic Relief clothing items). Online donations can be made via the following link <https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=10301>

Keeping Children Safe Online- Parent Workshop

On Thursday, Lyndsey from Smoothwall, delivered an excellent session which was very helpful and informative about risks posed to children online as well as information about the latest Apps and games that children may be accessing. Thank you to all of the parents who attended. Smoothwall are the digital safety experts and who we use for our filtering and monitoring. They work closely with school to ensure we are keeping parents up to date with relevant information to support them in keeping children safe when they are online. Smoothwall will host another online safety workshop for parents in the summer term.

Online Safety Hub - our New Resource for Parents

The Online Safety Hub is a brand-new online resource with lots of expert advice and guidance to help you as a parent, manage your child's safety online. It includes information on the latest hot topics when it comes to keeping children safe, such as how to manage your child's screen time, understand the latest gaming platforms, what they mean for your child's safety and lots more.

You can access it for free here:

<https://broadoak.online.safety.hub.uk/>

There is a fantastic resource which is free for parents to access and use, an App called Qustodio. This allows parents to gain more visibility on what's going on in your child's online world. Block dangerous content, introduce screen free schedules, receive alerts for inappropriate content, keep tabs on their location and more.

Follow the link to receive your free account and to download the app:

https://www.qustodio.com/en/30-days-schoolspecial/?utm_source=internal&utm_medium=parentsessionsuk

If you have any questions about any of the above, please get in touch.

Parents Evening 20.03.23/21.03.23

Reminder for parents to book a session using the online parents evening booking system. Any queries which parents would like to discuss can be added to the comment box which will then be addressed by staff during the meeting. Appointments should be made before the window closes on Friday 17th March at 12 noon.

Planned Industrial Action - 15.03.23 & 16.03.23

The third and fourth scheduled days of strike action are due to take place on Wednesday 15th March and Thursday 16th March. As with the previous strike days, I can now confirm that, as before, plans have been made that currently facilitate the full opening of Broadoak on these days.

Dates for your Diary

13 th Mar	Author Visit - Rec / Y1 / Y2
13 th Mar	Y1 - Y6 Parent Book Look - 3:35pm - 4:30pm
14 th - 16 th Mar	Scholastic Book Fair - KS2 Hall
15 th /16 th Mar	National Strike Days 3 & 4
17 th Mar	Comic Relief Charity Day - Wear Red/ Comic Relief themed clothing
20 th Mar	Parents' Evening - 4pm to 7pm
21 st Mar	World Down Syndrome Day - Wear Mismatching Socks
21 st Mar	Parents' Evening - 4pm to 5pm
24 th Mar	Parent Voice Group Meeting - 9am
31 st Mar	Break up for Easter

Forest School - Timetable Change

Next week, both Year 5 classes will be taking part in Forest School sessions on Monday. Please can both classes come dressed ready for the session.

Aspirations Week

Thank you so much to each and every one of our volunteers who so kindly gave up their time to come in and speak to the children about their careers. The children have been so enthused and inspired by all of our visitors, they really enjoyed their presentations and discussions and we are grateful for their involvement in our Aspirations Week.

Book Look 13.03.23

On Monday, between 3:35-4:30pm, parents of Y1-Y6 children will have the opportunity to come to their child's classroom and look at their children's work in their curriculum books.