

## Friday 22nd March



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**Broadoak Backpack Character Value of the Fortnight:**  
***Honesty***

### **Broadoak PTA Quiz Night - Cancellation**

Unfortunately, due to low numbers, we have taken the decision to cancel the PTA Quiz Night. A lot of preparation has gone into the evening from the committee members and the plan is to reschedule for a later date when hopefully attendance may be higher.

### **PTA Meeting - Date for the Diary**

The next PTA meeting will be held on **Thursday 18th April at 5.30pm.**

### **Swimming Gala**

On Tuesday, Broadoak swim squad took part in the Worsley swimming Gala. Their attitude, determination and effort throughout was amazing - finishing 2nd in the Gala. A special mention to Monty and Eshan, winning both their races! Well done Team Broadoak!



### **Red Nose Charity Donations**

Thank you to all the families who supported our charity day last Friday. We raised £465 in total.

### **Year 5 Forest School Sessions**

After half-term, our Y5 children will be taking part in Forest School sessions. The sessions will run as follows:

- Monday Afternoon - 5B
- Friday Afternoon - 5W

The sessions will begin w/c 15th April. Children should come in 'Forest School' clothing on the days that they are taking part in the sessions. Please see the Forest School section of the website for guidance on appropriate clothing.

### **Year 3 Spanish Afternoon**

On Thursday, Year 3 children are invited to come into school wearing Spanish colours (red and yellow) or Spain-related clothes as part of their whole class reward. The children have been learning all about Spain this half-term and can celebrate their knowledge with a Spanish-themed party as a reward for their hard work. (PE will still take place in the morning so please make sure clothing is not too restrictive).

### **PTA Egg Decoration Competition**

Entries for the PTA Easter Egg Decoration competition should be brought into school on the morning of Tuesday 26th March. All entries need to include the child's name and class. To support the PTA with fundraising, an entry fee of £2 is available via ParentPay. Winners will be shared prior to the Easter break.

### **After School Clubs - Summer Term Bookings**

Please find attached the list of After School Clubs available to the children this term. Bookings can be made on Monday 25th March from 4pm.

### **Online Safety**

Please see the link below for information about how best to support your child to navigate nastiness and conflict online from our Online Safety Hub.

<https://broadoak.onlinesafetyhub.uk/parent/blogs-articles/nastiness-online>

### **Dates for your Diary**

25 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Wear Green - National Cerebral Palsy Awareness Day
28 <sup>th</sup> Mar	School Closes for Easter Break
15 <sup>th</sup> Apr	School Re-opens
22 <sup>nd</sup> Apr	Reception Vision Screening
22 <sup>nd</sup> - 24 <sup>th</sup> Apr	5W Lledr Hall Residential Visit
24 <sup>th</sup> - 26 <sup>th</sup> Apr	5B Lledr Hall Residential Visit
30 <sup>th</sup> Apr	Reception Height and Weight National Checks
6 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank Holiday - School Closed
13 <sup>th</sup> - 16 <sup>th</sup> May	Key Stage Two SATs (Mon to Thu)
17 <sup>th</sup> May	Parent Voice Group Meeting - 9am

### **Parents' Evening - Catch Up Session**

On Monday, we will be holding a catch up session for any parents who did not attend the online sessions held this week. Please contact the school office via email and an appointment will be made for you.

### **Parent Voice Group Meeting**

Today, we held our half termly Parent Voice Group meeting. At the meeting, we discussed the following items:

- Online Safety – use of Online Safety Hub
- Mobile Phone Policy – what we do at school
- Acceptable Use Agreements
- Sports Day

Minutes from the meeting will be available to parents via the Parent Voice tab on the school website.

### **Manchester Airport Competition**

An exciting competition, being held by Manchester Airport, has been shared by a parent. We are inviting children to enter poems, short stories and illustrations on the subject of travel. The closing date for entries to be sent into school is Fri 3rd May. The top 10 entries will then be chosen and sent in - good luck everyone.