Bramley Sunnyside Infant School

Newsletter 31

Summer 1: 17th May 2019





IT'S A GIRL!

We are thrilled to announce that Mrs Hanby gave birth to a beautiful baby girl yesterday! Mum and baby are doing really well (so is Dad!).

REMINDER: Year 2 SATs

Throughout the month of May 2019, Year 2 children will take their SATs tests.

Year 1 Phonic Screening Week - Commencing Monday 10th June to Friday 14th June 2019

Please refrain from taking any absence during MAY AND JUNE time.

Disco Nights

We are excited to inform you that we will be hosting another series of Disco Nights for all our Year 1 & Year 2 children. These dates are as follows:

Classes 9 & 10 - Thursday 23rd May 3pm to 4.15pm

The cost of the evening will be £3.00 per child and this will include a drink & a hotdog. Please advise your child's teacher or the school office of any dietary requirements.

Children can bring a change of clothes in a bag with their name on and be collected at 4.15pm from their class as usual.

If you would like your child to attend a disco night. Payment should be made online via your Schoolmoney account by the day before the event. (Wednesday 22nd May for Classes 9 & 10. Please ensure that you give consent for your child to attend by ticking the consent box online. Without this consent your child will not be able to attend.

Online Safety Updates

With reference to the recent issues about the creepy doll "Momo." As a school we address issues about online safeguarding, we also need to know that there are times when online groups or individuals can initiate rumours etc to try and raise fears amongst children and parents.

A useful article about this has been produced for the CEOP/Parentzone site and is available here: https://parentinfo.org/article/don-t-focus-on-the-so-called-momo-challenge-educate-children-about-online-safety

Online Safety videos and stories

The CEOP have updated their 4-7 resources with the release of 'Jessie and Friends'. It includes three animated videos on:

- Watching Videos (aimed at 4-5 year olds)
- Sharing Pictures (aimed at 5-6 year olds)
- Playing Games (aimed at 6-7 year olds)

In addition to the videos, there are storybooks for each of the videos that parents can read with their child. Further information about the videos and storybooks are available here:

https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/jessie-and-friends-videos/

#GOLDILOCKS

Vodafone along with Anderson Press have produced an online book and activity page to look at the issue of younger children using social media. The story is based on the three bears fairy tale and looks at the consequences of Goldilocks using social media sites. It has been produced by the author Jeanne Willis and illustrator Tony Ross. It is suitable resource for KS1 and possibly Years 3/4.

For more information, please visit;

https://www.vodafone.co.uk/mobile/digital-parenting/goldilocks

Advice for parents on the latest Apps

Here are some useful website links for parents giving safety advice on the latest apps your child might be using.

Snapchat: https://pwxp5srs168nsac2n3fnjyaa-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/parent-controls-docs/parental-control-snapchat.pdf

Instragram: https://pwxp5srs168nsac2n3fnjyaa-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp content/uploads/parent-controls-docs/parental-control-instagram.pdf

Roblox: https://pwxp5srs168nsac2n3fnjyaa-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/parent-controls-docs/parental-control-roblox.pdf

You Tube: https://pwxp5srs168nsac2n3fnjyaa-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/parent-controls-docs/parental-control-youtube-app.pdf

Telonym: https://protectyoungeyes.com/content/tellonym-app-safe-for-teens-definite-guide-for-parents/

WhatsApp: https://pwxp5srs168nsac2n3fnjyaa-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wpcontent/uploads/parent-controls-docs/parental-control-whatsapp.pdf

Yubo" https://pwxp5srs168nsac2n3fnjyaa-wpengine.netdna-ssl.com/wp-content/uploads/parent-controls-docs/parental-control-yubo.pdf

Sports Day

The times and dates for this year's sports day are as follows:-Foundation Stage 2, Y1 & Y2 — Tuesday 2nd July at 9.15am Foundation Stage 1 AM & 30 hours — Friday 21st June at 9.30am Foundation Stage 1 PM & 30 hours — Friday 21st June at 1.15pm

Bramley & Wickersley Lions Club

The Bramley and Wickersley Lions would like us to inform you about the 'Dry Land Regatta' that they have organised for the past six years for the local community in Wickersley and Bramley and is now becoming a regular local community annual fund raising and fun event. They have recently donated lots of reading books and supplied storage drawers used for promoting reading within the school.

This year the regatta and family fun day will be held on the recreation field behind the Bramley Youth Centre, Flash Lane on Saturday 13th July 2019.

All the profits made from the day go to local needy causes. Last year they supported both Rotherham Hospice and Bluebell Wood in special initiatives that they would not have been able to fund themselves. They hope that our parents and pupils will be participating in the races and supporting the event.

Friends at Bramley Sunnyside Schools (FABSS)

Thank you to the support of families attending 'Friends At Bramley Sunnyside Schools' (FABSS) fundraising events over the past years, we have now received a donation into school from FABSS. This will allow us to purchase electronic tablets and a charging trolley for children to use throughout school. Thank you to FABSS committee members for giving your time so generously and to all families who helped support / run or attend the events.

Happy Home Learning Foundation Stage 1

This week we have been learning the letter u and the number 8. Can you practice all the sounds m a d s t i n p g o c k u we have learnt so far. Please ask your child to say the sound and practice writing them using the handwrite rhyme. They can be found on pages 25-27 of your home school diary. You could write them with chalks outside, paintbrushes with water outside or in shaving foam. Enjoy

FS2 Homework

<u>Literacy</u>

This week we have had a lovely walk to Woodlaithes Pond. Draw a map from school to the pond labelling the landmarks we saw. Eg. Houses, dog walkers, cars, fields, The Woodman.

Maths

Recap doubling by using objects at home. Eg doubling pasta shapes, sweets, buttons, spoons etc. Recap that doubling means (to add the same amount again). Record in your homework book.

Year 1 Homework

<u>Spellings</u>

made cake lake take safe
What other words have the split digraph, a_e?

Phonics

Do you know all the sounds in your home-school diary? See if you can say them all to your grown up using the pictures. E.g. ow blow the snow

Orally blend some words containing the sounds you're unsure about. E.g. s t ar t start

Maths

Count in twos starting from the number 1. What do you notice? Challenge: Can you count backwards in twos from the number 21?

Year 2 Homework

<u>Spellings</u>

could cold called our hour are one once hear here

Maths

We have been learning about length, mass and capacity. We have used the 'greater than' symbol > and the 'less than' symbol < to write comparison sentences.

If you have a ruler at home you could choose objects to measure and write a number sentence to compare the lengths e.g. 12cm > 4cm. You could look at some packaging and find the weight of the food and make similar sentences e.g. 150g < 345g. If you have a measuring jug you could practise measuring amounts of liquid and then compare the amounts using the < and > symbols.

Topic

If you can spare an umbrella could you please bring it into school for the last week of term to help us with our art project. If possible can you write your child's initials on it somewhere to avoid any mix ups!

Reading Race:

The Reading Race scores from Spring 2 will be merged with Summer 1 due to it being such a short half term. So far, Class 7 are in the lead, achieving an average score of 4 reads every single week! Well done! The winning class will go to Wickersley Library on Monday 10th June for an exciting treat! Keep up the home-reading!

Average read per child:

Unit/Class	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
Unit 1 AM	2	3		
Unit 1 30 hours	3	2		
Unit 1 PM	4	3		
Unit 2	3	3		
Unit 3	2	3		
Unit 4	3	3		
Class 5	3	3		
Class 6	3	2		
Class 7	4	3		
Class 8	3	3		
Class 9	2	2		
Class 10	3	3		

Number of reads per class:

Unit/Class	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4
Unit 1 AM	56	73		
Unit 1 30 hours	45	36		
Unit 1 PM	53	44		
Unit 2	92	93		
Unit 3	68	66		
Unit 4	103	84		
Class 5	80	77		
Class 6	62	65		

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Class 7	110	102	
Class 8	73	74	
Class 9	58	52	
Class 10	94	104	

Attendance

Unit 2	94.6%
Unit 3	94.4%
Unit 4	99.1%
Class 5	92%
Class 6	96.6%
Class 7	97.5%
Class 8	97.9%
Class 9	98.9%
Class 10	100%
Whole School Overall FS2 YR1/2	96.9% 96% 97.3%
	Unit 3 Unit 4 Class 5 Class 6 Class 7 Class 8 Class 9 Class 10 Whole School Overall FS2

Inset Days - 2019

In 2018/19 the school will be closed to all children on the following days to allow for staff training.

Friday 28th June 2019 Monday 22nd July 2019

Inset Days 2019/2020

Monday 2nd September 2019 Monday 4th November 2019 Friday 14th February 2020 Friday 19th June 2020 Monday 20th July 2020

Please note, the **school will be closed to Foundation Stage 1 Pupils only on Thursday 27th June** to allow the induction of new FS1 September starters to take place.

FABSS Upcoming Events

Fashion Show - 27/06/19 6:30pm to 9:30pm

Holiday Dates

Spring Bank -27^{th} May 2019 (1 week)

Summer — 23rd July 2019 (22nd July — inset day) (6 weeks)

Diary Dates

23/5/19	FS1/FS2 Family Learning Sessions (Family Recycle IT) 1.15-3pm
21/6/19	Sports Day - Foundation Stage 1 AM & 30 hours @ 9.30am
21/6/19	Sports Day - Foundation Stage 1 PM & 30 hours @ 1.15pm
2/7/19	Sports Day - Foundation Stage 2, Y1 & Y2
10/7/10	

Foundation Stage 1 Graduation for AM children at 11am. 12/7/19

12/7/19 Foundation Stage 1 Graduation for PM & 30 hours children at 2pm.